



Over the Influence Presents

Daniel Albrigo

Flora

20 May to 2 July 2023



Daniel Albrigo, *Untitled (Xmas Roses)*, 2020, Oil on canvas, 152.4 by 121.9 cm, 60 by 48 in,
Photo courtesy of the Artist and Over the Influence

Over the Influence is pleased to present California-based artist Daniel Albrigo's first exhibition with the gallery *Flora*. The show opens on May 20th and will remain on view through July 2, 2023.

Albrigo's monochromatic, hyper-realist oil paintings read as surreal Polaroid snapshots aimed at the exquisite presence of nature oft overlooked or ignored. Gathered in glass vases, lilies and roses, rendering in exacting detail, appear sculptural and otherworldly. The pollen on the stamen, the folds of the petals, and the veins of the leaves, are so deftly reproduced that one half expects to be able to lean in and catch a waft of their honeyed fragrance. Perhaps reminding us all to pause, look around, and smell the flowers.

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Artist Statement

Flora “Flower” in Latin. Flowers, Plants and Trees have been the subject of painting since the beginning of time and the subject is still worthy of continual exploration.

A Flower does not talk
“Silently a flower blooms, In silence it falls away;
Yet here now, at this moment, at this place,
The world of the flower, the whole of
the world is blooming.
This is the talk of the flower, the truth of the blossom:
The glory of eternal life is fully shining here.”

-Zenkei Shibayama (1894-1974)

Artist Bio

Daniel Albrigo is a Southern California based artist, drawing influence from aspects of modern American culture. Albrigo predominantly works with the medium of Painting, but also includes Photography, Drawing and various Printing Methods in his work practice. He explores classical and contemporary themes of realism. From 2009-2020 Albrigo and Genesis P-Orridge had an ongoing working relationship and produced collaborative work as well as multiple split exhibitions. The collaborative work he created with P-Orridge has been shown at Pioneer Works in Brooklyn, Utah Museum of Contemporary Art in Salt Lake City, The Andy Warhol Museum in Pittsburgh and The Rubin Museum of Art in New York City. Daniel Albrigo was born in Pomona California in 1982 and currently resides in Huntington Beach, California.

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Location:

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