Pi ARTWORKS LONDON

Susan Hefuna Landscapes

12 October – 13 November 2021 Pi Artworks London 55 Eastcastle Street, W1W 8EG, London

Pi Artworks London is pleased to present *LANDSCAPES by* Susan Hefuna.



Landscapes, 2021, Paper, Ink, Stitching, 80 x 200 cm

LANDSCAPES is a completely new group of works created in 2021. The works will be shown publicly for the first time in London from 12 October to 13 November 2021. The opening of the exhibition LANDSCAPES coincides with London's Frieze Week.

After Susan Hefuna's well known signature cityscape and buildings drawing series which are in permanent collections of major museums including Tate Modern, British Museum, Guggenheim NY, Centre Pompidou, Sharjah Art Foundation, in 2021 Susan Hefuna focused on landscapes in which she immerses herself and plays with reflections and perspectives made of paper, ink and thread. Hefuna has never drawn in these breathtaking large-formats.

LANDSCAPES reflect the artist's experiences with light, sun, fog and shapes in the Swiss Alps as well the artist's very personal, psychological unknown inner landscapes. These extraordinary, fresh works were created at a time of Hefuna's retreat in nature. Her experiences reflect directly in her new intriguing works.

"In the circle of nature nothing stands still - all is constantly changing. There is no straight line in nature." states Susan Hefuna.

Hefuna's LANDSCAPES series show hints of lighting in the mountains. Landscapes are created using cut out paper, layers, stitches, and Egyptian ink. While cut out paper shapes the composition, layering creates translucent depth.

The fascination and the secrets of Susan Hefuna's Landscapes pull the viewer under its spell.

LANDSCAPES will run from 12 October until 13 November 2021, Tuesday - Saturday, 12-6pm or by appointment.

About Susan Hefuna

Susan Hefuna (b.1962, Berlin) works across a wide range of media, including drawing, sculpture, and installation as well as video, photography, and performance. Susan Hefuna draws on her mixed Egyptian/German heritage to ponder the intersection of location and identity.

Selected biennials: Sydney Biennale, Australia 2012, Fare Mondi, in both the Arsenale and Guardini at the Venice Biennale, Italy, in 2009; the Seville Biennial, Spain, 2008, Riwaq Biennale, Riwaq, Palestine and the Ninth Sharjah Biennial, UAE in 2007.

In 2013 Susan Hefuna was awarded the international Contemporary Drawing Prize of the Daniel & Florence Guerlain Art Foundation in Paris.

Selected public and private collections:

Tate Modern, London, UK; The British Museum, London, UK; Victoria and Albert Museum, London, UK; The Louvre Museum, Paris, France; Centre Pompidou, Paris, France; Daniel and Florence Guerlain Collection, Paris, France; Dior Collection, Paris, France; Fondation Louis Vuitton, Paris, France; Institut du Monde Arabe, Paris, France; MoMA (Museum of Modern Art) Museum, New York, USA; Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York, USA; Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago, USA; The Art Institute of Chicago, USA; CU Galleries, University of Colorado, Boulder, USA: Kemper Museum of Contemporary Art, Kansas City, Missouri, USA: LACMA (Los Angeles County Museum of Art), Los Angeles, CA, USA; Daimler Contemporary, Berlin, Germany; MLP Collection, Heidelberg, Germany; Staatsgalerie Stuttgart, Stuttgart, Germany; Burger Collection, Zurich, Switzerland; Moderna Museet, Stockholm, Sweden; Graphische Sammlung ETH, Zurich, Switzerland; Groupe Lhoist Collection, Limelette, Belgium; Neue Galerie Am Joanneum, Graz, Austria; Barjeel Art Foundation, Sharjah, UAE; Art Jameel Collection, Dubai, UAE; Collection HH Sheika Salama, Abu Dhabi, UAE: DIFC, Dubai, UAE: HH Sheikha Salama Collection, Abu Dhabi, UAE; Solomon R. Guggenheim, Abu Dhabi, UAE; The Farjam Foundation Collection, Dubai, UAE; Carmikli Collection, Istanbul, Turkey; Huma Kabakci Collection, Istanbul, Turkey; Papko Collection, Istanbul, Turkey; King Abdulaziz Center for World Culture, Saudi Arabia; Sharjah Art Foundation, Sharjah, UAE; Sharjah Art Museum, Sharjah, UAE; Museum of New Zealand Te Papa Tongarewa, NewZeland.