



Good Weather is thrilled to participate in MECA International Art Fair with a solo presentation by Ezra Tessler in booth M13 at Antiguo Arsenal de la Marina Española. The gallery will present three-dimensional paper works made in collaboration with master papermaker Amy Jacobs during Tessler's time at the prestigious Dieu Donné workspace residency in Brooklyn, New York. These paper works have an intrinsic relationship with Tessler's paintings. Their colorful surfaces converge with — and diverge from — their irregular shapes. Gradients build illusionistic space and patterns dissolve the figure-ground dichotomy, as forms respond to and fight against the volumes and angles of the work. The papermaking process results in a direct and immediate ebb and flow between image and object.

Ezra Tessler (b. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania) lives and works in Brooklyn, New York. He completed his MFA in painting from Bard College in 2016 and holds previous degrees from Harvard University and Columbia University. Solo and two-person exhibitions include *The Nervous Hand* (with Fabienne Lasserre) at Jack Barrett (New York), *New Proposals* (with Barb Smith) with Páramo at Zona Maco (Mexico City), *Rafters* at Culture Room (New York), and *The Red-Haired Man* at Good Weather (North Little Rock). His work has been included in group shows at Green Gallery West (Milwaukee), the Landing (Los Angeles), Hap Gallery (Portland), Bannerette (New York), Jack Barrett (New York), and Museo de los Pintores Oaxaqueños (MUPO) (Oaxaca, Mexico), among others. He is the recipient of a Jacob Javits Fellowship, a Joan Mitchell Foundation Grant, and a Pforzheimer Foundation Fellowship. He was an artist-in-residence at the University of Tennessee and the Elizabeth Murray Foundation, participant in Ox-Bow School of Art Fall Artist Residency, and is currently a resident of the Workspace Residency at Dieu Donné. He recently curated an exhibition titled *Just Painting* at Jack Barrett (New York), which was reviewed by *The New York Times*.

A VIP preview for MECA International Art Fair commences at Antiguo Arsenal de la Marina Española on Thu, Nov 21, 2019 from 6–9 pm, with public hours for the fair continuing Fri, Nov 22–Sat, Nov 23, 2019 from 12–8 pm, and Sun, Nov 24, 2019 from 11 am–6 pm.

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