

DIANE ROSENSTEIN GALLERY

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JAY KVAPIL
TERRAN LAST GUN

Booth 607

Location

Spring Studios 50 Varick Street, New York, NY 10013

VIP Preview (By invitation only)

Thursday, May 8: 11AM-8PM

Fair Hours

Friday, May 9: 11AM–7PM Saturday, May 10: 11AM–7PM Sunday, May 11: 11AM–6PM

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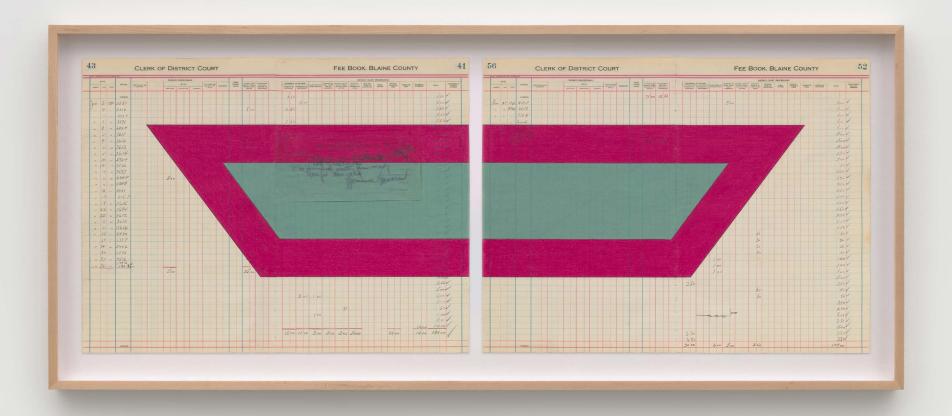


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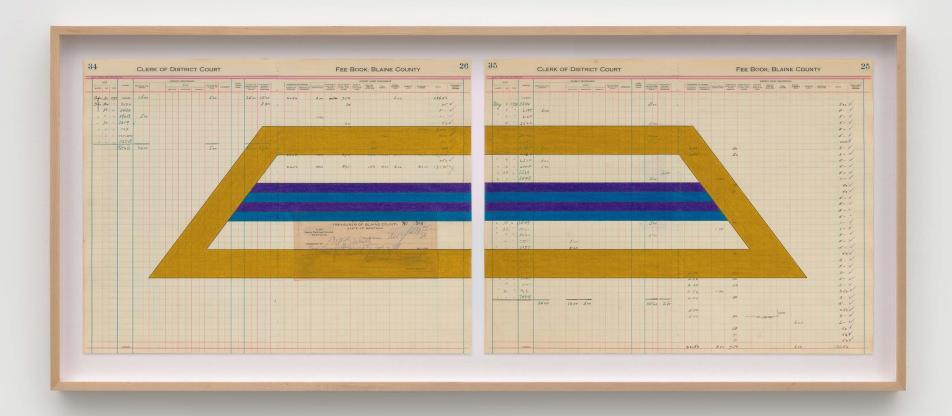
(USA, b. 1989)

Terran Last Gun, Saakwaynaamah'kaa (Last Gun), (USA, b. 1989) is an enrolled citizen of the Piikani Nation (Blackfeet) of Montana and a visual artist based in Santa Fe, New Mexico. The Piikani are one of four nations that make up the Blackfoot Confederacy, collectively called the Niitsitapi (Real People). Born and raised on the Blackfeet Reservation in Montana, Last Gun works across media to explore color, form, and abstraction. Drawing inspiration from land, cosmos, cultural narratives, and experiences, Last Gun pushes the boundaries of Piikani modernism.

Terran Last Gun received his BFA and AFA from the Institute of American Indian Arts in Santa Fe (2016); and has recently received the Louis Comfort Tiffany Foundation Biennial Award (2025). In June, Last Gun will participate in *Once Within a Time*, curated by Cecilia Alemani, 12th SITE SANTA FE International, Santa Fe, NM (Summer, 2025). Currently, his ledger drawings are on view in Indigenous Identities: Here, Now & Always, curated by Jaune Quick-to-See Smith, Zimmerli Art Museum at Rutgers in NJ; and Engaging The Future, Museum of Indian Arts and Culture, Santa Fe, NM. His work is in the permanent collection of the Amon Carter Museum of American Art, Fort Worth, TX; Bates Museum of Art, Lewiston, ME; Chrysler Museum of Art (VA); Harvard Art Museums, Cambridge, MA: Hood Museum of Art, Hanover, NH; Museum of Fine Art (MFAH), Houston, TX; Museum of the Plains Indian, Browning, MT; among others.



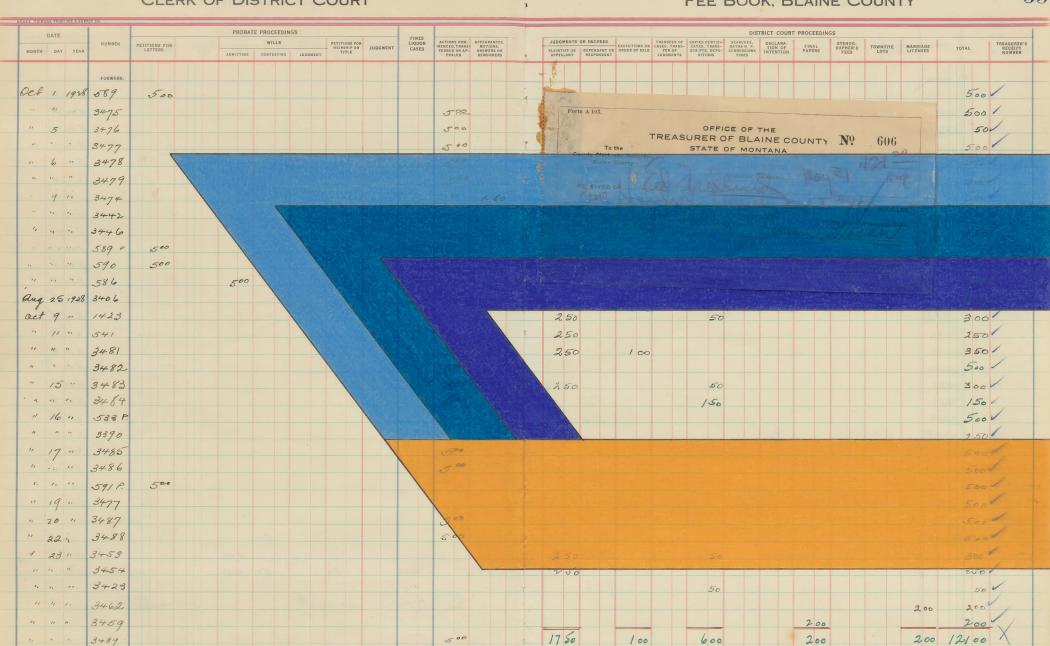
The Old Ones Persevered Through Difficult Times, 2025 Ink and colored pencil on antique "Clerk of District Court, Fee Book, Blaine County, Chinook, Montana" diptych ledger sheets (dated 1930); Watermark: Defiance Linen Ledger 1924 $18 \frac{1}{2} \times 44 \frac{1}{4}$ inches // 47 x 112.4 cm (TLG130)

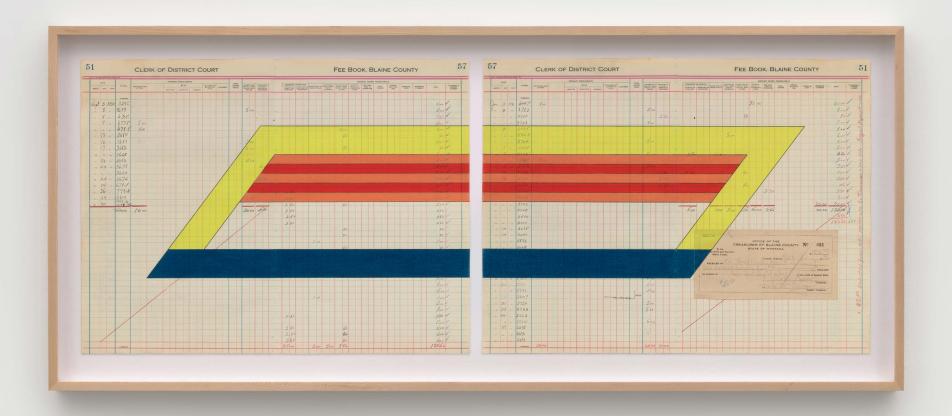


Discovering Insightful Purpose, 2025 Ink and colored pencil on antique "Clerk of District Court, Fee Book, Blaine County, Chinook, Montana" diptych ledger sheets (dated 1929); Watermark: Defiance Linen Ledger 1924 $18 \frac{1}{2} \times 44 \frac{1}{4}$ inches // 47 x 112.4 cm (TLG131)



Sites That Contain Immense Vitality, 2025 Ink and colored pencil on antique "Clerk of District Court, Fee Book, Blaine County, Chinook, Montana" diptych ledger sheets (dated 1928 and 1930); Watermark: Defiance Linen Ledger 1924 $18 \frac{1}{2} \times 44 \frac{1}{4}$ inches // 47 x 112.4 cm (TLG132)

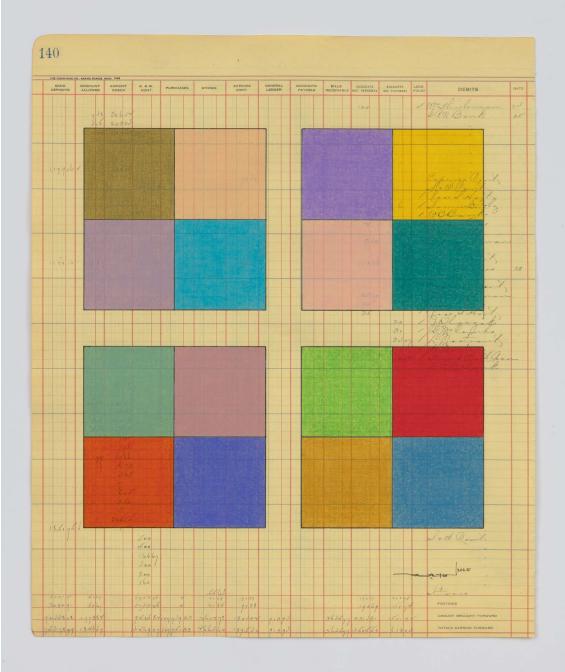




Surviving Another Winter And Continuing To View Earth's Beauty, 2025 Ink and colored pencil on antique "Clerk of District Court, Fee Book, Blaine County, Chinook, Montana" diptych ledger sheets (dated 1930 and 1931); Watermark: Defiance Linen Ledger 1924 $18 \frac{1}{2} \times 44 \frac{1}{4}$ inches // 47 x 112.4 cm (TLG133)

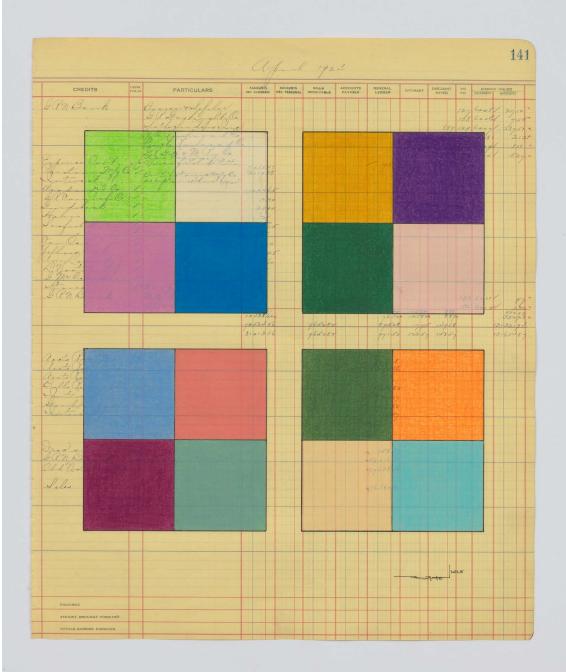
Cosmic Color Burst, 2025
Ink and colored pencil on antique
"The Tisch-Hine Co., Grand Rapids, Mich."
accounting ledger sheet (dated 1924);
Watermark: Waverly Ledger 1922
18 1 15 1 inches // 47.3 x 40 cm
(TLG134)

\$ 5,500.00 USD



Sun And Moon Bring Greatness, 2025 Ink and colored pencil on antique "The Tisch-Hine Co., Grand Rapids, Mich." accounting ledger sheet (dated 1924); Watermark: Waverly Ledger 1922 18 % x 15 ¾ inches // 47.3 x 40 cm (TLG135)

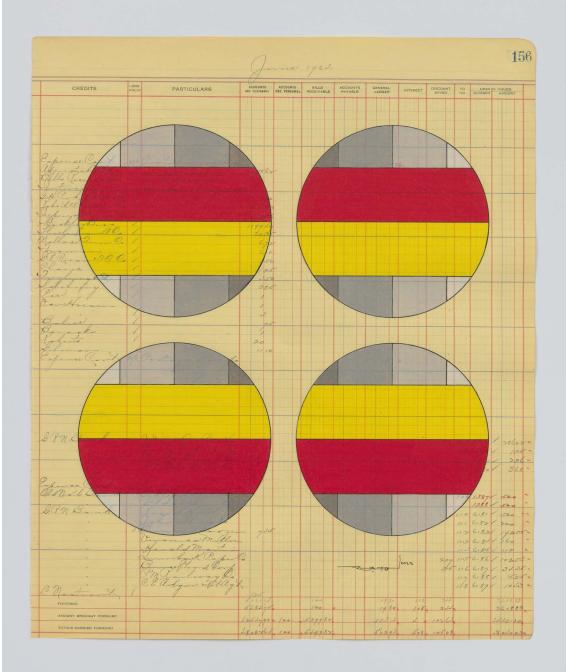
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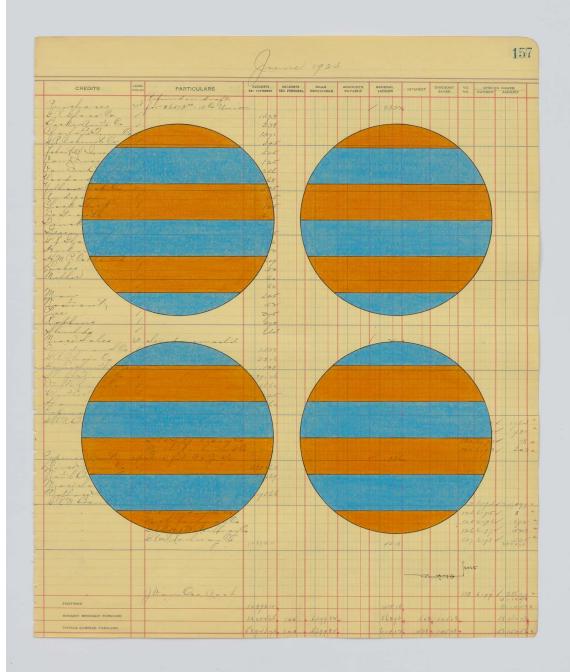
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Directional Movement Enhances Forces, 2025 Ink and colored pencil on antique "The Tisch-Hine Co., Grand Rapids, Mich." accounting ledger sheet (dated 1924); Watermark: Waverly Ledger 1922 18 % x 15 ¾ inches // 47.3 x 40 cm (TLG136)

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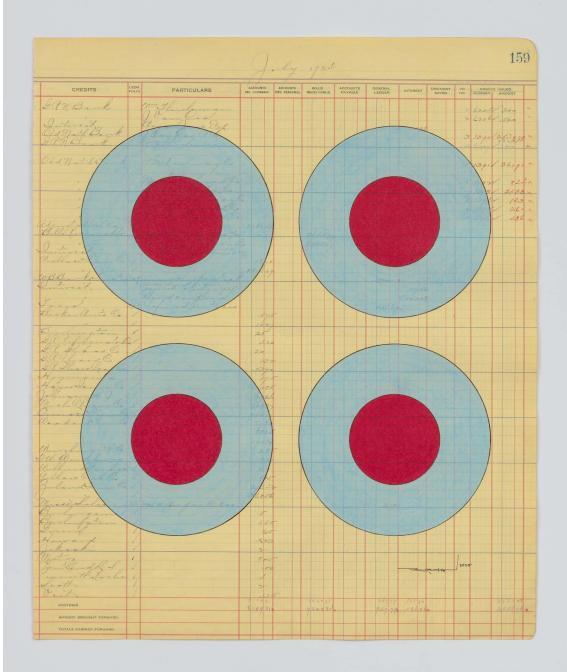


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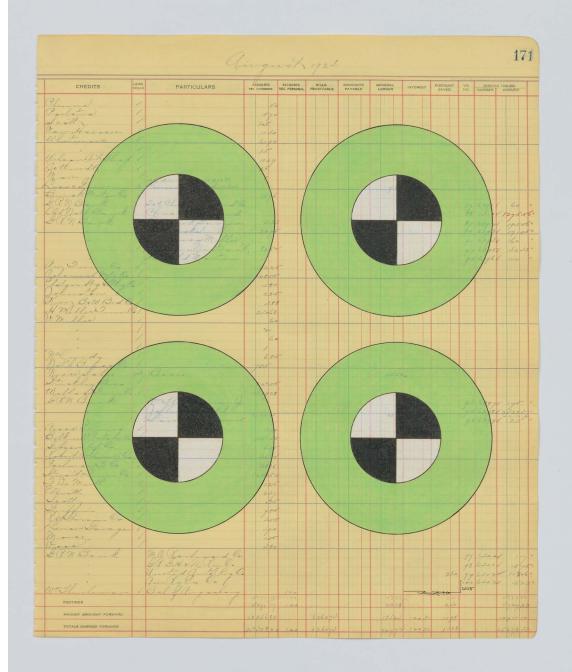
Creating Captivating Atmosphere, 2025 Ink and colored pencil on antique "The Tisch-Hine Co., Grand Rapids, Mich." accounting ledger sheet (dated 1924); Watermark: Waverly Ledger 1922 18 % x 15 ¾ inches // 47.3 x 40 cm (TLG138)

\$ 5,500.00 USD



Came Upon An Impressive Place, 2025 Ink and colored pencil on antique "The Tisch-Hine Co., Grand Rapids, Mich." accounting ledger sheet (dated 1924); Watermark: Waverly Ledger 1922 18 % x 15 ¾ inches // 47.3 x 40 cm (TLG139)

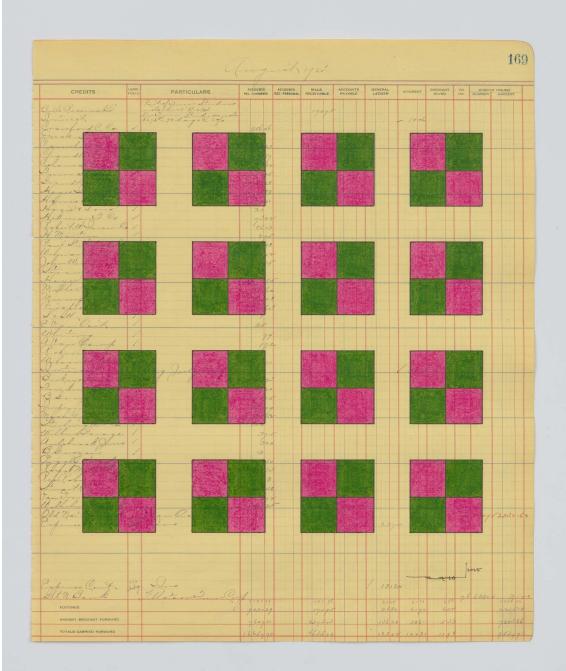
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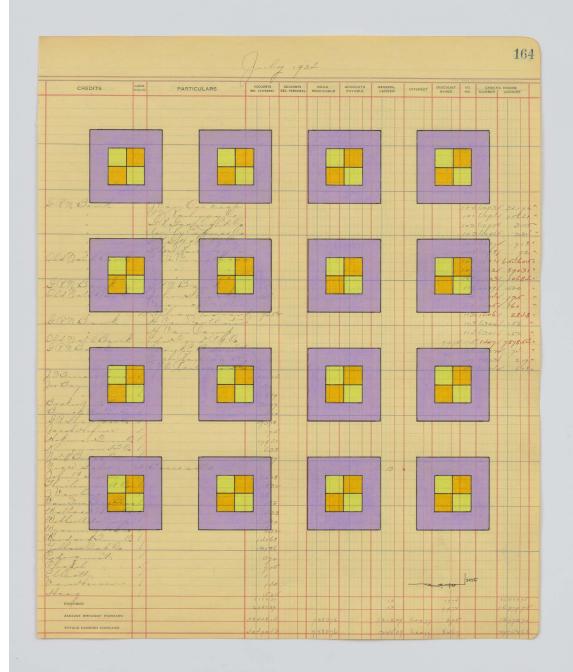
Multiplying Harmonious Energy, 2025 Ink and colored pencil on antique "The Tisch-Hine Co., Grand Rapids, Mich." accounting ledger sheet (dated 1924); Watermark: Waverly Ledger 1922 18 % x 15 ¾ inches // 47.3 x 40 cm (TLG140)

\$ 5,500.00 USD



Gathering Of Distinguished Knowledge Holders, 2025
Ink and colored pencil on antique
"The Tisch-Hine Co., Grand Rapids, Mich."
accounting ledger sheet (dated 1924);
Watermark: Waverly Ledger 1922
18 % x 15 ¾ inches // 47.3 x 40 cm
(TLG141)

\$ 5,500.00 USD



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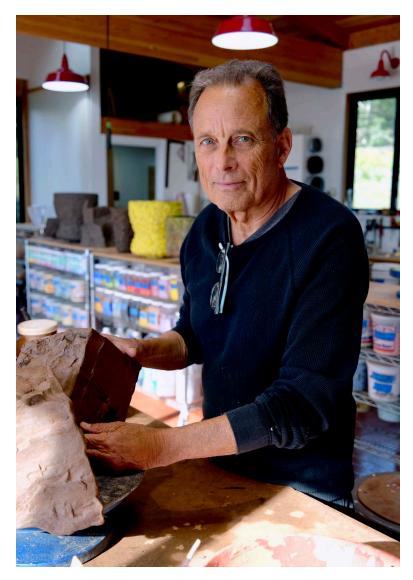


Photo by Beverly Higa

(USA, b. 1951)

Jay Kvapil is a potter and educator based in California. For the past decade his work has centered on landscapes, and his ceramics are known for their highly glazed surfaces. In recent years, Kvapil has explored metaphorical landscape through glazed rock forms, inspired by the coastal environment near his studio in Sonoma in Northern California. Between 1974-75, Kvapil studied tea ceremony ware in Southern Japan, at the Takatori Seizan Pottery on the island of Kyushu. His ceramics practice is formally tied to such traditional vessel forms; yet he uses raw ceramic glaze materials in abnormal ways to force the materials to melt, fuse, bubble, crawl, and drip in the firing.

"For more than a decade now my work has centered on landscapes," he wrote in 2024. "Increasingly, they are not re-creations or interpretations of what the eyes see in the distance, but rather metaphorical landscapes seen in the mind's eye—the space we travel through, not the physical world that we gaze upon in the distance."

Kvapil has received solo exhibitions at Diane Rosenstein Gallery, Los Angeles; Mindy Solomon Gallery, Miami; Galerie Lefebvre & Fils, Paris; and Couturier Gallery, Los Angeles. He graduated from University of the Pacific, Stockton, CA (1973); and obtained his MA (1979) and MFA (1981) from San Jose State University, in California. Kvapil taught at the University of Hawaii (1984), then moved to California State University, Long Beach (CSULB) in 1986, where for thirty-five years he served a variety of roles, including Professor of Art (Ceramics) and Director of the School of Art. His work is in the collection of The Crocker Museum, Sacramento, CA; and was included in group exhibitions at The Renwick Gallery at the Smithsonian Institution, Washington, DC, Oakland Museum of California (OMCA), and The Bunker Artspace, West Palm Beach, FL. Jay Kvapil lives and works in Long Beach and Sonoma, CA.



Vessel #1583, 2021/2024 Glazed ceramic 17 x 13 x 13 inches 43.2 x 33 x 33 cm (JKV237)



Vessel #1681, 2024 Glazed ceramic 17 x 15 x 14 inches 43.2 x 38.1 x 35.6 cm (JKV241)





Vessel #1655, 2024 Glazed ceramic 13 ½ x 16 x 16 inches 34.3 x 40.6 x 40.6 cm (JKV232)



Jar #1633, 2024 Glazed ceramic 15 x 16 ½ x 14 inches 38.1 x 41.9 x 35.6 cm (JKV227)



Vessel #1571, 2024 Glazed ceramic 11 ½ x 14 x 12 inches 29.2 x 35.6 x 30.5 cm (JKV211)

\$ 8,000.00 USD



Vessel #1677, 2024 Glazed ceramic 11 x 12 x 12 inches 27.9 x 30.5 x 30.5 cm (JKV240)

\$ 8,000.00 USD





Vessel #1654, 2024 Glazed ceramic 10 x 12 x 8 inches 25.4 x 30.5 x 20.3 cm (JKV231)

\$ 6,000.00 USD



Vessel #1674, 2024 Glazed ceramic 8 x 14 x 13 inches 20.3 x 35.6 x 33 cm (JKV239)

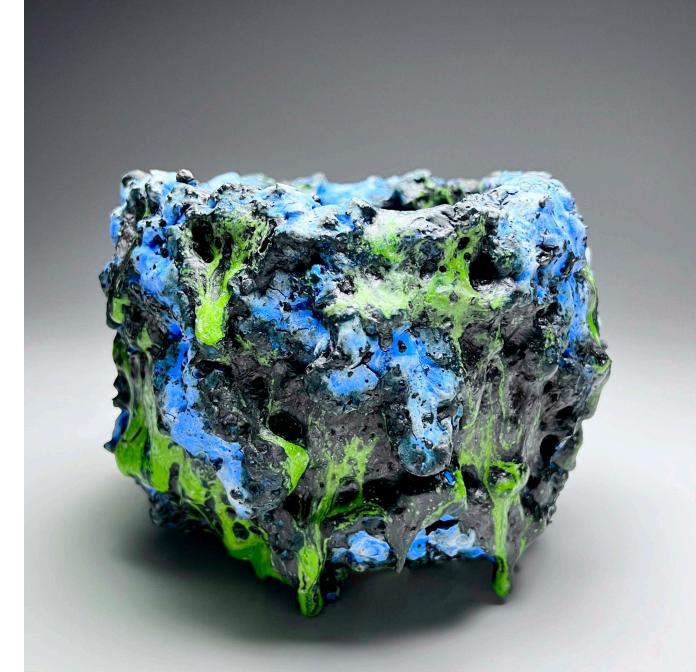
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Vessel #1560, 2019 Glazed ceramic 11 x 12 x 12 inches 27.9 x 30.5 x 30.5 cm (JKV238)

\$ 8,000.00 USD



Vessel #1642, 2024 Glazed ceramic 5 x 7 ½ x 7 ½ in 12.7 x 19.1 x 19.1 cm (JKV242)

\$ 4,000.00 USD



Vessel #1650, 2024 Glazed ceramic 6 x 7 x 7 inches 15.2 x 17.8 x 17.8 cm (JKV243)

\$ 4,000.00 USD

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