

JOANNA GILBERT



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Colourful, vibrant conceptual works are created with intuitive prowess, representing the sub-brand; the sub-traction and the sub-liminal.

Derelict shops that were once someone's dream, disregarded cardboard, empty crates, piled up rubbish or vandalized vehicles, tell Joanna Gilbert a story: One man's rubbish is another's treasure, is a truism and a source of inspiration for her.

Whilst completing her MA, Joanna's exploration into hyper-consumerism – informed by her background in marketing - resulted in the creation of the brand #NothingToBuy and this series, entitled #Now is a continuation of that creation.

Moved by the constant evolutionary dialogue and transformation of urban environments, by streetscapes and by consumerism, Joanna explores vandalistic marks and conversations with paint.

Joanna has previously shown with the Royal Institute of Painters in Watercolors and has been shortlisted for the Annka Kulty's Cacotopia Graduate Show, Society of Women Artists and the Ashurst Emerging Artist Prize. Her work is on show across various corporate offices around the UK, and she has exhibited a dynamic mirrored Perspex sculpture in the 'Walkie Talkie' building.

"I see the urban environment as a gallery in its own right."



sub-urban



Formation of Context

1.2m x 1m
acrylic, spray paint on
canvas
2019

SOLD

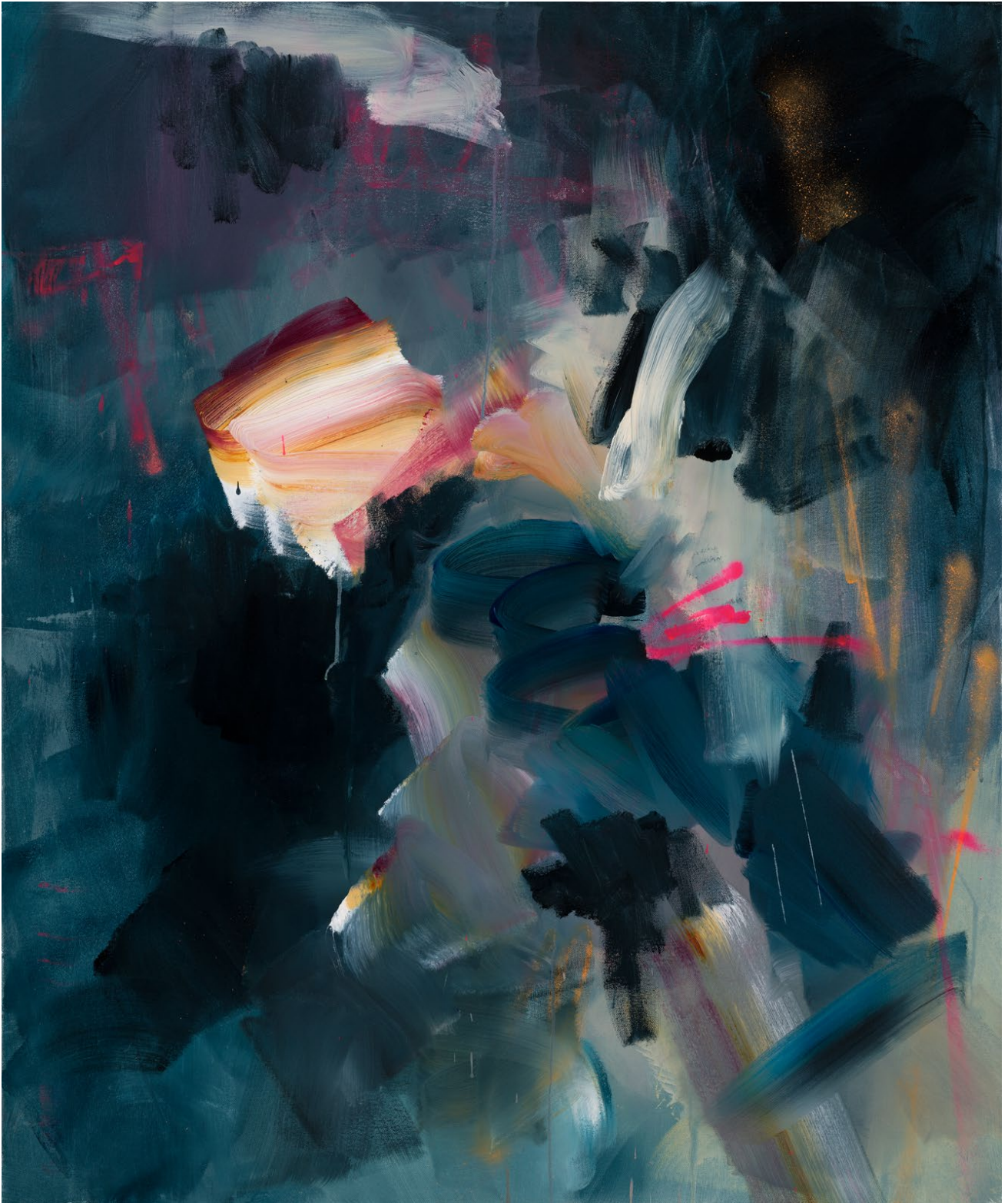
Limited Edition
Prints Available



**When Nothing Becomes
Something**

1.2 x 1m
acrylic, spray paint on
canvas
2019

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Formation of Concept

1m x 1.2m
Mixed Media on Canvas
2019

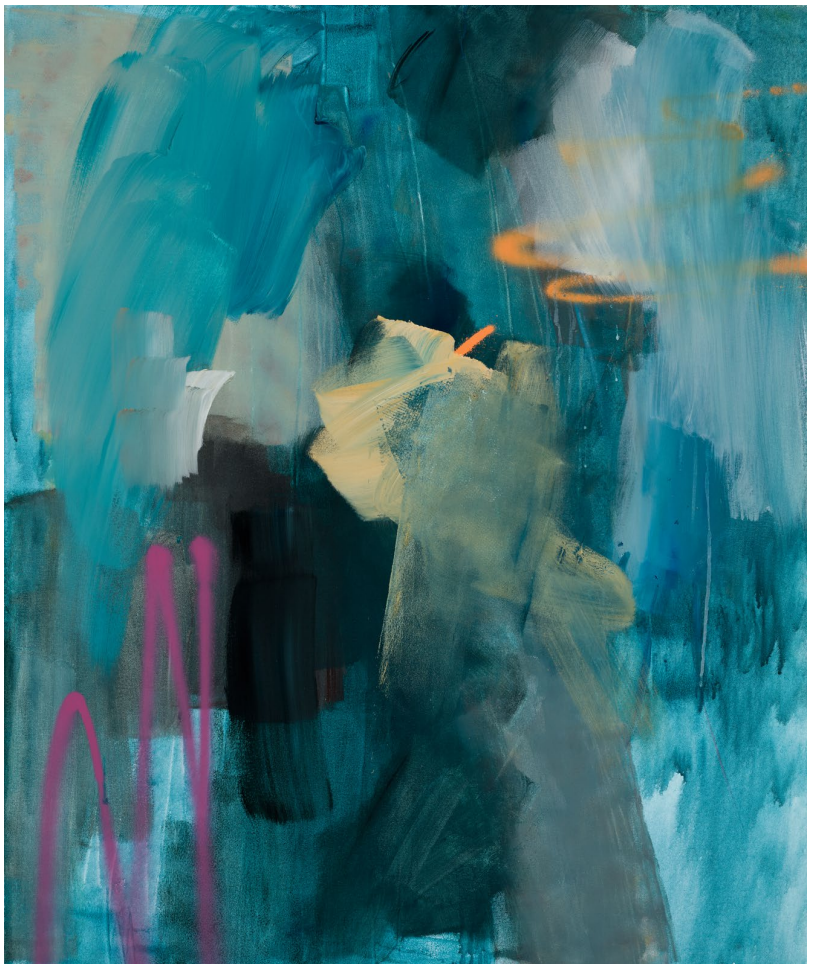
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Stormscape in the Green

1m x 1.2m
acrylic, spray paint
2019

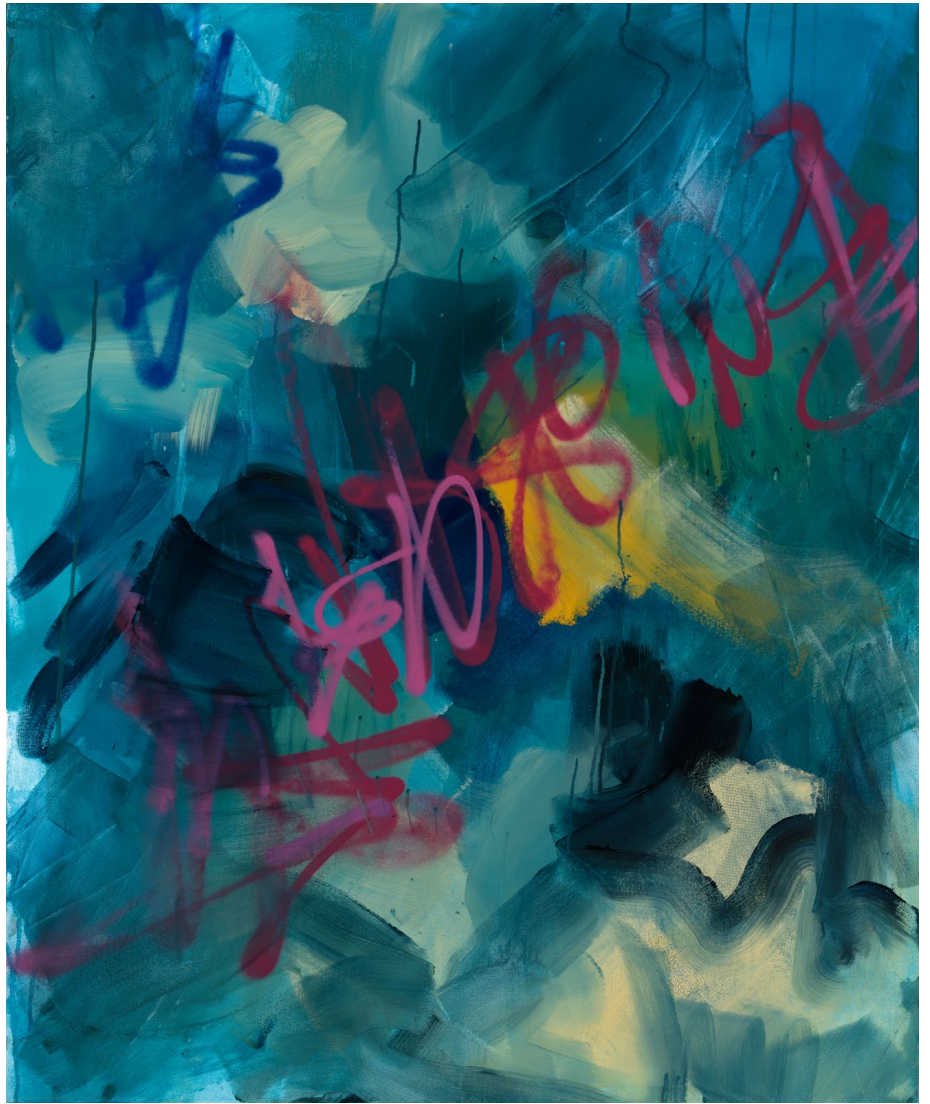
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The Bridge by Royal Oak Tube

1m x 1.2m
acrylic, spray paint
2019

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Overwritten

1m x 1.2m
Spray Paint, Acrylic on Canvas
2019

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Reclaim the Wall

1m x 1.2m
Spray Paint, Acrylic on Canvas
2019

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Concrete Pink Vibe

1m x 1m
Mixed Media on Canvas
2019

sub-liminal



And Whilst it All Goes On

0.7m x 0.7m
acrylic, spray paint on
wood
2019

The Big Idea

0.7m x 0.7m
acrylic, spray paint on
wood
2019

What Goes on Around

0.7m x 0.7m
acrylic, spray paint on
wood
2019



Every Mark Has a Message

1m x 0.9m
acrylic, spray paint on canvas
2019

Limited Edition
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The Journey of Thought

1m x 0.9m
acrylic, spray paint on canvas
2019

Limited Edition
Prints Available

Sometimes...

2m x 2m
Spray Paint, Acrylic on Canvas
2019





**Now is about now.
Not the past,
Not the future.
It's a moment in time
A capture in paint.
It's when now is just now...**

**Now is a thought.
A feeling.
An intuition.
An experience.
It's not controlled, it's not
calculated.
It just is...
#Now**

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EXHIBITIONS

2018 'MAFA Final Degree Show', Sept 7th, UAL Chelsea
2018 'Nothing to Buy', Solo Pop Up Installation, Unit 6, Station Parade, Southgate, London
2018 'Re:' Group show at the MAFA space with Blair Zaye, Gail Olding & Joanna Gilbert
2018 MAFA Interim Show in Triangle Space, UAL Chelsea
2017 Group Show at Insight School of Art
2017 'BLUE', Group Exhibition at Cass Art, Kingston
2016 'London CityScape', Sculpture installed at 20 Fenchurch St
2016 'Edge of Ordinary 5', Group Show at Espacio Gallery, London
2016 'Royal Institute of Painters in Water Colours' Annual Exhibition, Mall Galleries
2015 'Battersea Development' Group Exhibition
2015 London Jewish Cultural Centre Group Exhibition
2014 'Art in Architecture II' on show at The Comer Business Centre, London
2013 'Iconic London' at The Affordable Art Fair, Battersea
2013 Represented and on show via The Linda Blackstone Gallery
2013 Group show at The Playboy Club London
2013 Represented and on Show through Wade Consulting
2013 'Art in Architecture' at The Comer Business Centre, London
2012 Solo Show at Greys Gallery

2010 Private exhibition at Hodge Jones & Allen LLP office firm

2009 'Windmills of my mind' private shows at Home House

2008 'Brands and their Architecture' at The Arts Club

EDUCATION

UAL CHELSEA COLLEGE OF ART

2017/18 -Masters of Fine Art (Distinction)

INSIGHT SCHOOL OF ART

2015 - Current

Sharing a studio with professional artists and mentoring to build upon current portfolio and body of work.

CENTRAL ST MARTINS

2012 - 2015

Attended various short courses including Mixed Media Techniques, Oil Painting and Painting - The Next Step

MANCHESTER METROPOLITAN

1996 - 2000

BA Hons, Achieved a 2:1 in RETAIL MARKETING

COMMISSIONS

Allied World - Sculpture for HQ London Office
American Express - 3 paintings at 230 Blackfriars
Gazprom - A series of 5 works for HQ
Elior - Branded Art commission for HQ
Space Engineering - 2 paintings commissioned for Bristol HQ
M&S - On show in staff area of Cheshire Oaks

B&Q - On show in London HQ
Sports Direct - Portrait of Mike Ashley on show at HQ
House of Fraser - Presented to Jon King and displayed in HQ
Anthony Pepe & Co, Winners of Small Estate Agent of the Year



inspired by

#NOW