

## PATRICK DEANGELIS

Patrick DeAngelis is an oil painter based in Southern California. His work explores light and color harmonies within vast atmospheric spaces. Born and raised in Northeast Ohio, DeAngelis studied painting under artist Fredrick Graff and earned an MFA at the New York Academy of Art. His early works, composed on large birch panels explore hazy mountain vistas revealed though thin oil glazes. In these works, the viewer enters soft, tonally structured landscapes painted to evoke a sense of stillness, calm and wonder.

Searching for new inspiration and an opportunity to mature his style, DeAngelis relocated to Southern California in 2019. The drive west made an immediate impression as the desert and ocean became leading subjects to explore light, color and space, a new palette emerged, along with a further step toward abstraction and additional sensitivity to light and color. His most recent work strips the landscape of shape, line, and texture, formal elements that help articulate representational identity, in turn revealing only color, tone, and a singular suggestive line. The title of the series is called The Horizontal Line, which refers to the horizon, a single modernist line in an infinitely busy, ever-changing and complex natural world.

DeAngelis currently lives and works in San Diego, CA.

"Southern California is home to a luminous visual field, a vast and expansive landscape defined by its oceans, deserts, and mountains. Between the margins of these geographic landmarks lies the most subtle and distinct feature, the interaction of light, moisture, air and space. As a painter I aim to capture the sensation of this environment in a collection of paintings that exist somewhere between abstraction and representation. Painting provides a powerful tool to examine the light and study the subtle transitions and translucent effects. Painting allows me to be an inventor of an imaginary landscape within each piece, and write my poem in color."

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## **EDUCATION**

Education 2006 New York Academy of Art, MFA 2003 Kent State University, BA Arts Education

## **EXHIBITIONS**

2025 Color, Shape and Sensibility, Kennedy Contemporary, Newport Beach, CA 2024 Anna Kruhelska & Patrick DeAngelis, two person show, Lanoue Gallery, Boston, MA 2024 Group Show, Lanoue Gallery, Boston, MA 2024 The Other Side, Slate Contemporary, Oakland, CA 2023 Seattle Art Fair with Slate Contemporary Art 2023 Group Show, Adelman Fine Art, San Diego, CA 2023 Fresh Squeezed group show, Techne Art Center, Oceanside, CA 2023 POP, Janssen Art Space, Palm Springs, CA 2022 Group Show, Cobalt Gallery, San Diego, CA 2022 Group Show, Adelman Fine Art, San Diego, CS 2021 One if By Land, Two if by Sea, Cobalt Gallery, San Diego, CA 2018 Mending Memory, Made Again Gallery, Atlanta, GA 2017 I Saw Your Garage Light Was On, Octane Gallery, Atlanta, GA 2016 American Dreams, Made Again Gallery, Atlanta, GA 2012 Multiple Personalities, Blue Mark Studio, Atlanta, GA 2011 Bradley Hughes Gallery, Chicago, IL Awards/Recognition 2015 Atlanta Arts Festival: Best of Show in Painting, Atlanta, Ga 2014 Festival on Ponce: Best of Show Award, Atlanta, Ga 2012 Cain Park Arts Festival: Juried select award 2011 Art Institute of Atlanta: Teacher Appreciation Show, Best of Show Award