

John Macdonald

# Current work

## Artist Statement

The paintings presented in this show are part of an ongoing body of work developed over the last number of years evolving out of the landscape, figurative, and other subjects I have been working with.

The present paintings have a layered approach, both physically and in their contained psychological narratives. They have a baroque sensibility mutated with various isms.

These are images inspired by my immediate surroundings, some take on the essence of the sleepwalker - in transformative moments, living in the past, present, and future. These time travellers are not necessarily in the images but for the most part moving both physically and conceptually out of them, leaving you as the viewer ultimately alone to grasp their meaning.