

# John McAllister

## 简介

约翰·麦卡利斯特1973年生于美国路易斯安那州的斯莱德市，现在生活工作在马萨诸塞州的北安普顿。

约翰·麦卡利斯特对神秘光线的作用有着极大兴趣，他以绘画为媒介，沉浸在对光的探索中。麦卡利斯特从加州到纽约的旅程至关重要，尤其是在大都会艺术博物馆受到后印象派大师们的影响。皮埃尔·博纳尔 (PIERRE BONNARD) 和亨利·马蒂斯 (HENRI MATISSE) 的作品将其带入二十世纪艺术家的传统绘画世界，他们努力捕捉着光线的古老元素。

麦卡利斯特的风景画没有描绘自然世界中的特定场景和视角，而是以在自然之美中体验到的崇高感为灵感，创造出想象中的景色。艺术家与环境进行着不断的沟通：从工作室门外花园种的鲜花，到骑车数英里穿过马萨诸塞州周围的荒野。工作室里，他创作的场景具有和谐之美，只有充分理解自然中对立力量及其不断变化状态之间的微妙平衡才能实现：短暂光束与无处不在的太阳——创造性生长到冬眠与衰退的无休止循环。

麦卡利斯特近乎电子般的色调描绘着生动炫丽的场景，体现出绘画与自然中共存的愉悦本质。他的作品挑战传统视角，将平面与纵深的错觉融合在一起，背景错综复杂，让人想起纺织品和壁纸。每幅画，无论是静物、风景，还是充满细节的室内画，都是对天真且颓废世界的诗意一瞥。

麦卡利斯特的作品被许多重要机构收藏，包括：洛杉矶哈默博物馆、迈阿密鲁贝尔家族收藏馆、第戎LE CONSORTIUM。

### Solo exhibitions

#### 2024

2024 - John McAllister, MASSIMODECARLO, Hong Kong, PRC

2024 - sometimes splendid seeming...stellar even...ripping, James Fuentes, Los Angeles, USA

2024 - Sculpting Earth, Painting Sensations, Almine Rech Gallery, Paris, F

#### 2023

2023 - sometimes symphony clatter calm, Wentrup Gallery, Berlin, D

#### 2022

2022 - be delirious reveries ringing, Almine Rech, Brussels, B

#### 2021

2021 - some rhapsodies radiant, Almine Rech, Brussels, B

#### 2020

2020 - Adrift gleaming serenest rustling air, Wentrup Gallery, Berlin, D

**2019**

2019 - silence sounding sumptuous, James Fuentes, New York, USA  
2019 - John McAllister, Richard Telles Fine Art, Los Angeles, USA

**2018**

2018 - cymbals of sleep uncurtain the night, James Fuentes, New York, USA

**2017**

2017 - botanic haunting soft-static, Shane Campbell Gallery, Chicago, USA  
2017 - Wished-for wilds, Carl Freedman Gallery, London, UK

**2016**

2016 - Chorus clamors sultry, Wentrup Gallery, Berlin, D  
2016 - riot rose summary, Almine Rech, Brussels, B

**2015**

2015 - sudden thunder some motley sea, Hagiwara Projects, Tokyo, J  
2015 - Sultry Spells Rapture, Richard Telles Fine Art, Los Angeles, USA  
2015 - serene raving radiant, James Fuentes, New York, USA

**2014**

2014 - tides must exalt, James Fuentes, New York, USA  
2014 - stellar crash the sea, Carl Freedman, London, UK

**2012**

2012 - starry sudden without bales, Shane Campbell, Chicago, USA  
2012 - serenest riots away, Carl Freedman, London, UK  
2012 - Duskbright Bellows, Richard Telles, Los Angeles, USA

**2011**

2011 - Damned Sparkling Pomp, James Fuentes, New York, USA  
2011 - Damned Sparkling Pomp, Ribordy Contemporary, Geneve, CH

**2010**

2010 - Much Pretty Reverie, James Fuentes, New York, USA

**2009**

2009 - Alistair, James Fuentes, New York, USA

**2008**

2008 - Fire, James Fuentes, New York, USA

**Group exhibitions****2024**

2024 - The beauty of things: Still life from 1900 to today, Kunsthalle, Emden, D

**2023**

2023 - Particular Kind of Heaven, curated by Ali Dipp, parrasch heijnen, Los Angeles, USA  
2023 - Chromazones, Analog Diary, Beacon, USA

**2022**

2022 - In Bloom, MASSIMODECARLO Pièce Unique, Paris, F  
2022 - Symbiosis, Berkshire Botanical Garden, Stockbridge, USA  
2022 - Les Fleur du Mâle, Musée International d'Art Naïf Anatole Jakovsky, Nice, F  
2022 - Unnatural Nature: Post-Pop Landscapes, Acquavella Galleries, New York, USA

**2021**

2021 - Marcia Hafif and John McAllister, Parts & Labor, Beacon, New York, USA  
2021 - Salon de Peinture, Almine Rech, New York, USA

2021 - EXPEDITION, Brattleboro, Vermont, USA

**2020**

2020 - INTERIORS: hello from the living room, 1969 Gallery, New York, USA

**2019**

2019 - Contemporary Landscape, Shane Campbell Gallery, Chicago, USA

2019 - Group show, MAMCO, Geneva, CH

**2018**

2018 - Group show, Le Consortium, Dijon, F

**2015**

2015 - The Shell (Landscapes, Portraits & Shapes), a show by Eric Troncy, Almine Rech, Paris, F

**2014**

2014 - All a tremulous heart requires, ZieherSmith, New York, USA

2014 - Inside Arrangement, Mary Mary, Glasgow, UK

2014 - L'Almanach 14, Le Consortium, Dijon, F

2014 - Don't Look Now, curated by 247365, Zach Feuer, New York, USA

**2011**

2011 - Six Pack, Richard Telles Fine Art, Los Angeles, USA

2011 - American Exuberance, Rubell Family Collection, Miami, USA. Catalogue

**2009**

2009 - Harlequin, Sister / Cottage Home, Los Angeles, USA

**2008**

2008 - Joan Mitchell Foundation: 2007 MFA Grant Recipients Show, Cue Art Foundations, New York, USA

**2007**

2007 - Greater Los Angeles Master of Fine Arts Exhibition, California State University, Long Beach, USA

2007 - The Old Unstable Stable: MFA Thesis Exhibition, Art Center College of Design, Pasadena, USA

**2006**

2006 - 2nd ANNUAL L.A. WEEKLY BIENNIAL: MFA WMDs: Selections From L.A. Art Schools, Track 16 Gallery, Bergamot Station, Santa Monica, USA

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# Public Collections

## France

Consortium Museum, Dijon

## United States of America

Hammer Museum, Los Angeles

Rubell Family Collection, Miami