"The deer that leads a knight through the forest into the enchanted castle is in reality the princess who lives within." -PH

Wander & Pursuit presents an anachronistic office environment rendered in bleak color palettes and composed as a symmetric, medieval walled garden adorned with figurative renderings of chivalric symbolism depicting idyllic moments of the hunt and romantic courtship. The show delves on the contemporary construction of a sense of purpose articulated through labor and the way identity is intertwined with ideas of yearning, fantasy, and desire which translate into metaphorical quests for a more meaningful existence.

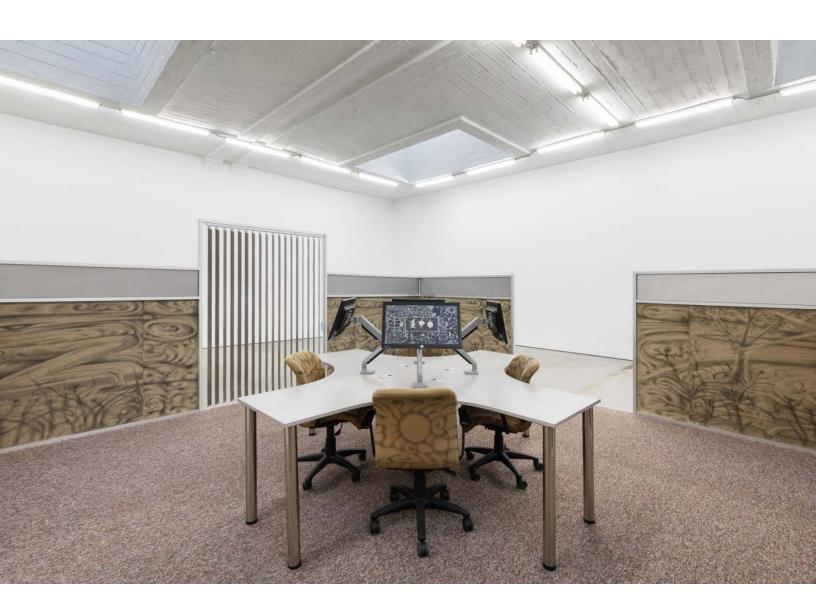
These chivalric tales of fulfillment and destiny prevail as aspirational narratives of desire and realization reaffirm ideas of success achievable exclusively through the accumulation of multiple forms of capital. How do these narratives dictating contemporary life embody a clash between contradicting desires and fantasies? Does only an alienated nature seek adventure? These allegorical figures of grandness infiltrate our workplaces, which today have expanded beyond their place and into a quotidian setting, leaving the office to become a mere symbol itself, a ruin from a time in our past when life was divided into work and leisure.

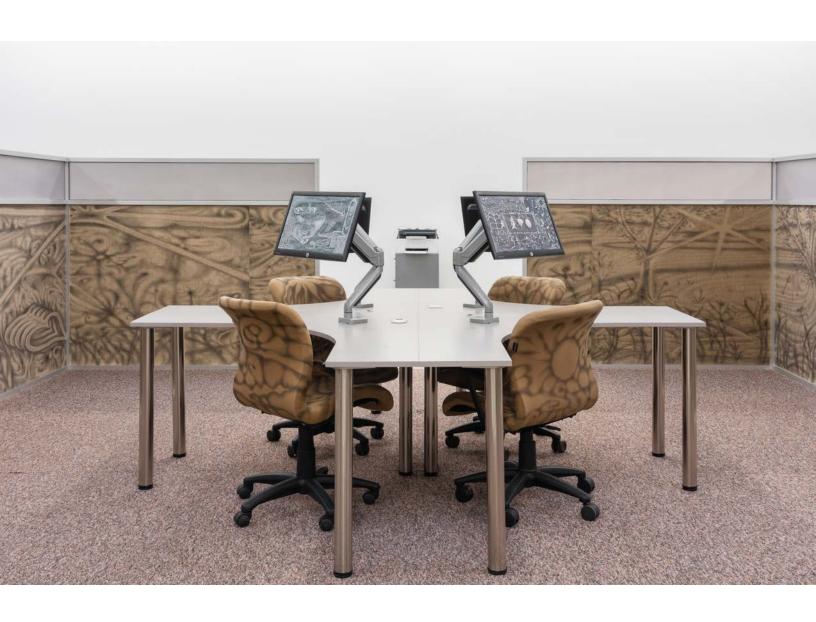


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Wander & Pursuit, 2022 Wall panels, chairs, printer, blinds, desks, computer screens, vents, carpet Variable Dimensions

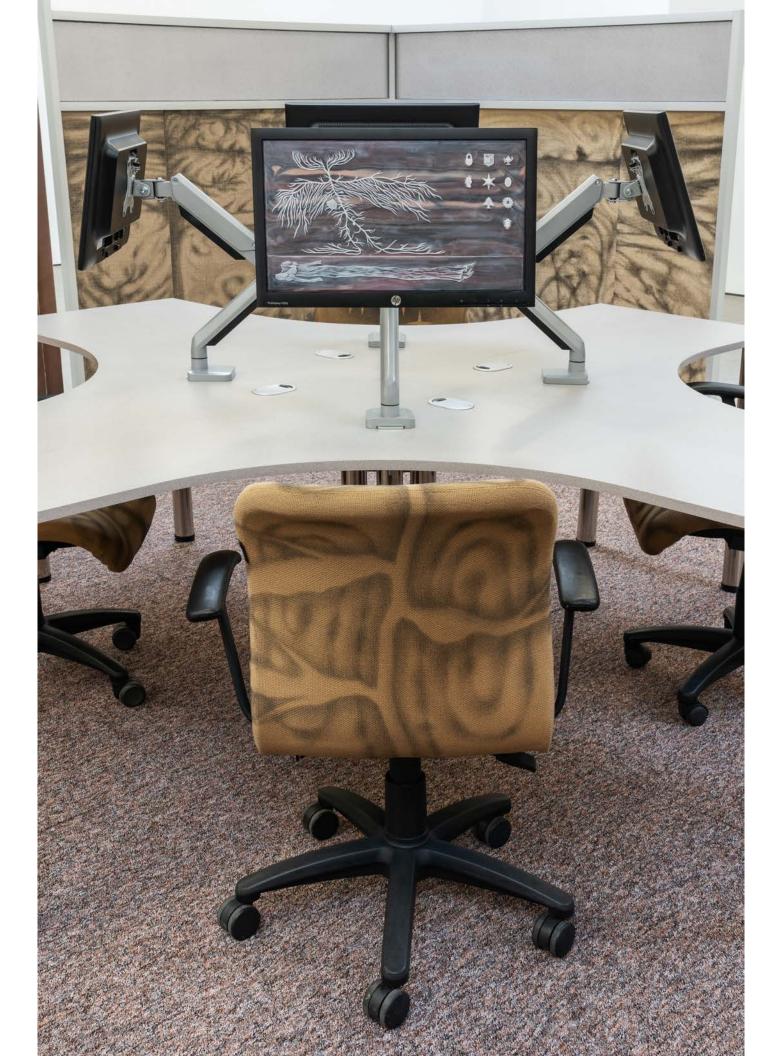






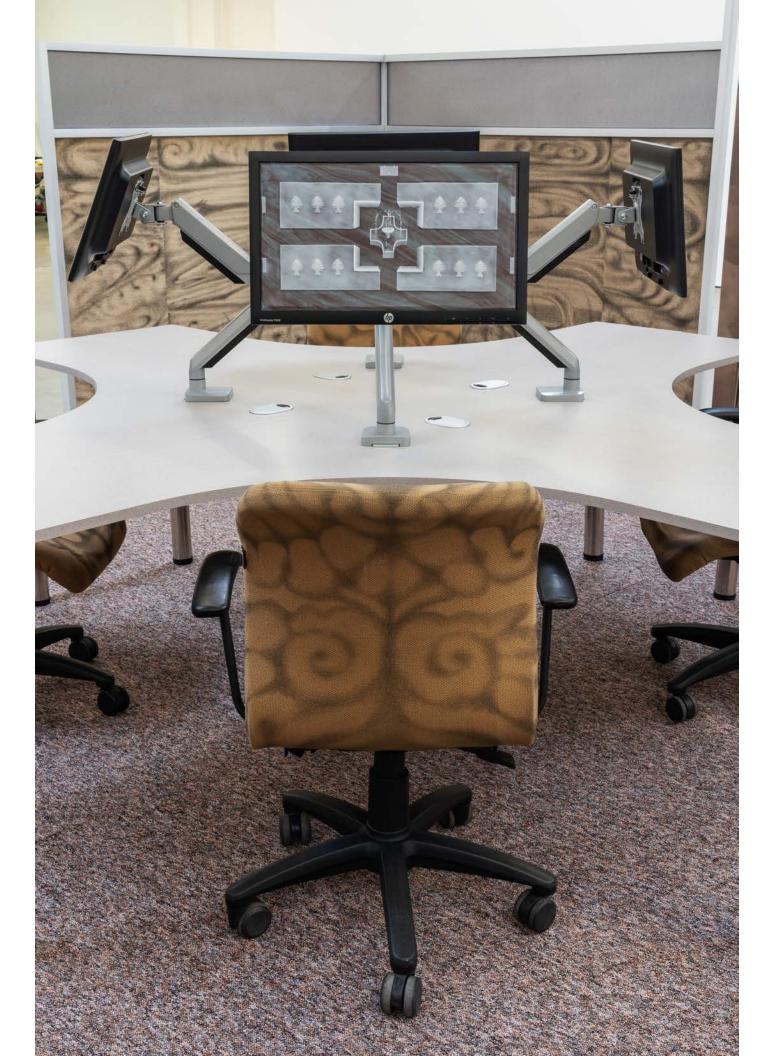


Asma
Deveined pursue (Wallpaper)
2022
Monitor, monitor arm mount, modular office table, silicone.
19 x 11.5 x 1.75 inches



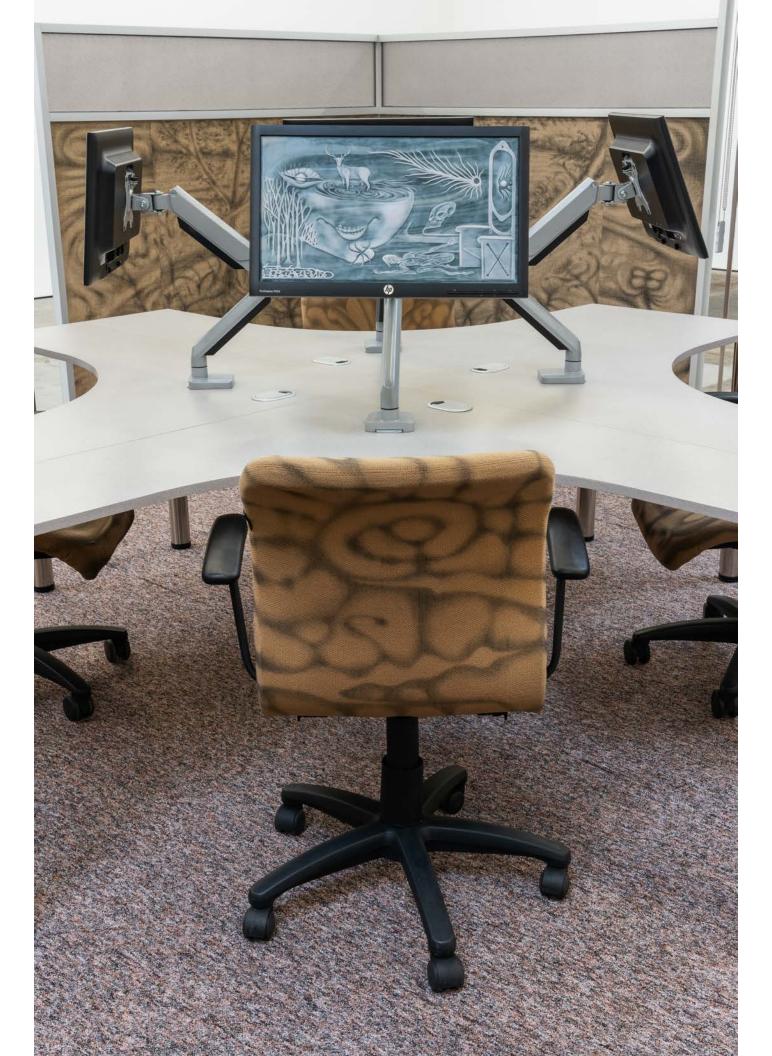


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Bürolandshaft (Wallpaper)
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Monitor, monitor arm mount, modular office table, silicone.
19 x 11.5 x 1.75 inches



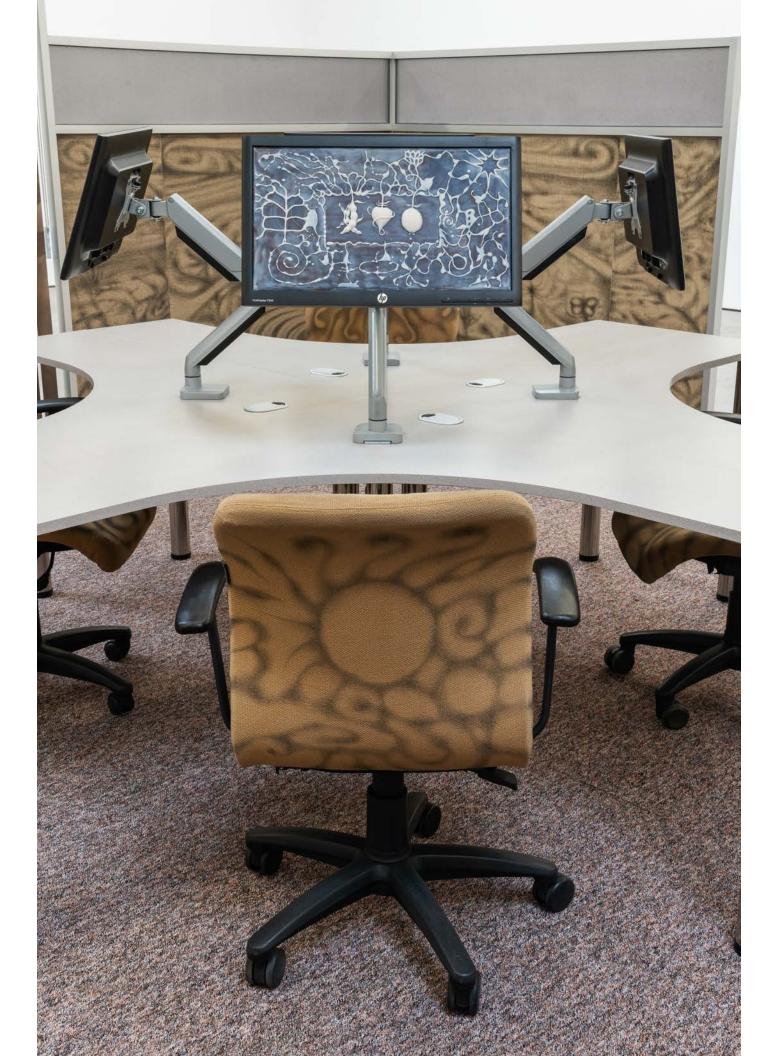


Asma
.RAR (Wallpaper)
2022
Monitor, monitor arm mount, modular office table, silicone.
19 x 11.5 x 1.75 inches





Asma Pomum (Wallpaper) 2022 Monitor, monitor arm mount, modular office table, silicone. 19 x 11.5 x 1.75 inches



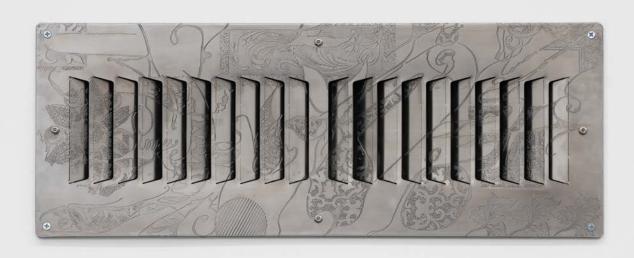






Asma
Self without work
2022
Epoxy resin, aluminum, blind headrail
81 x 56.5 x 2 inches





Asma
Headhuntress (Helmet)
2022
Acid engraved stainless steel, oil painting.
8.625 x 22.875 inches
(Inv# ASMA22-010)





Asma Old understanding remained (Helmet), 2022 Acid engraved stainless steel, oil painting. 8.625 x 22.875 inches (Inv# ASMA22-011)





Asma
Errantry (Helmet)
2022
Acid engraved stainless steel, oil painting.
8.625 x 22.875 inches
(Inv# ASMA22-012)





Asma I am as thou seest (Helmet) 2022 Acid engraved stainless steel, oil painting. 8.625 x 22.875 inches (Inv# ASMA22-013)





Asma Chest 2022 Laser printer, metallic hardware, locks, file cabinet, brass lost wax cast. 38 x 18 x 16.5 inches

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