

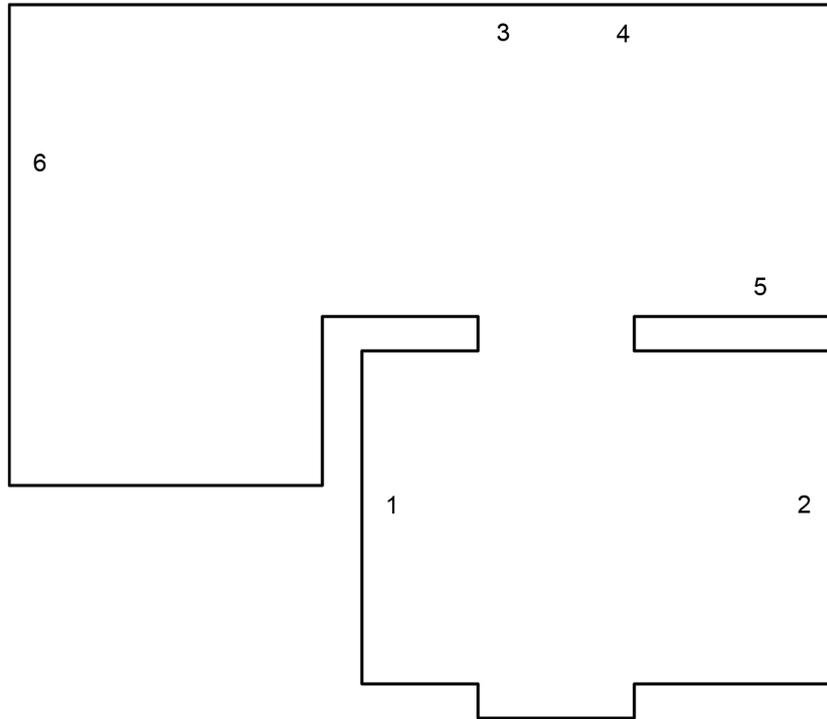
Brain Space - Dark Park
Helga Bärnarp
25.10. - 16.11.2024

In *Brain Space - Dark Park* at CHB-2, Helga Bärnarp presents six new paintings that expand on the series from her earlier exhibition, *Brain Space*, which took place in Brussels earlier this year¹.

These new works continue to depict cerebral alcoves that open onto interior landscapes, resembling compartments of the mind that seem to emerge from Helga's imagination. They act as cavities housing minimal objects that surround her. Two snail shells and a vaporous sky nestle within their chambers. Other paintings feature a top-down view of a map (or overworld) resembling a geographical game meant for exploration and contemplation.

“This is a very external work that we're looking at, but this is about an interior relationship from inside the self.”

¹ <https://rueamericaine13.com/helga-baernarp-1>



1
Tiergarten/Dragon year
 2024
 watercolor on canvas
 47 x 50 cm

2
Park map/ Dragon year
 2024
 watercolor on canvas
 47 x 50 cm

3
Sand compartment/ Shell Space
 2024
 watercolor on canvas
 47 x 50 cm

4
Compartment/ Shell Space
 2024
 watercolor on canvas
 47 x 50 cm

5
Sand/Park magazine
 2024
 watercolor on canvas
 75 x 65 cm

6
Body & Mind
 2024
 watercolor on canvas
 75 x 65 cm