

It's not Cats

December 21, 2024 – February 3, 2025 (Extended until February 17)

Lavender Opener Chair presents 'It's not Cats' by Tokyo based artist Joel Kirkham.

Kirkham's work takes the form of drawing, painting and sculpture. He combines different materials and processes to create works that carry a sense of flux, contradiction, and humor.

Joel Kirkham (b.1979 in Auckland, New Zealand) is a Lecturer in art at Temple University, Japan Campus and is co-founder and director of Tokyo's Goya Curtain art and project space.

Works List



Resurface, 2020-24, laser printed towel, wire mesh, paper pulp, glue, modeling paste, acrylic paint, spray paint



Crystal Voyager, 2024, laser printed towels, epoxy resin, modeling paste, acrylic paint

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Liquid Space, 2024, laser printed towel, found towel, epoxy resin, modeling paste, acrylic paint, spray paint, gardening pole



Fluid Drive, 2024, packaging, ink pen, archival pigment markers, color pencil



Receipt Drawing, 2024, receipt, dye markers, archival pigment markers, mounted on UV protected plexiglass, aluminum backing

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