

**MERVE İŞERİ** (b.1992, Istanbul)

Lives and works in Cornwall.

## Education

- Italian High School I.M.I, Istanbul, Türkiye
- 2014** Politecnico di Milano, School of Design, BA in Design of Communication, Milan, Italy
- 2016** Painting: Next Level, Short Course at Central Saint Martins London, UK
- 2016** Modern Art History, Short Course at Central Saint Martins London, UK

## Experience

- 2022** Radio Show on Montez Press Radio with Heloise Tunstall Behrens London
- 2018** Painting Clubb workshops at SET Studios and Guest Projects (with Mint Works Collective) London, UK
- 2017-2020** Gallery Assistant at Matt's Gallery, London, UK
- 2017** Assistant of Güneş Terkol for Art Night London, UK
- 2015-Ongoing** Studio/Artist Assistant for painter Michael Armitage based in London Artist
- 2015** Painting commission for Hotel No:81, Bodrum, Türkiye
- 2014** Creative Director at Piografiks Art Studio, Milan, Italy
- 2013** Graphic Design Intern, FRS Printing Press, Istanbul, Türkiye

## Selected Solo and Duo Exhibitions

- 2023** 'Merging Infinite', curated by Canan Batur, Galerist, Istanbul, Türkiye  
'Passage', Lamb Gallery, London, UK
- 2022** 'Hear to See', Pablo's Birthday Gallery, New York, USA  
'La finestra bacciata dalla lava', duo Show with Giovanni D'Angelo, Casapiena, Sicily
- 2020** 'Sonnets of the Subconscious', duo show with Krista Louise Smith, Carvalho Park Gallery, New York, USA
- 2019** 'As a chance meeting between a cloud and a rubber stamp on a cusp of land', Ballon Rouge, Brussels, Belgium  
'Text, Silence, Spectacle', duo show with Jennifer Ipek, Poşe, Istanbul, Türkiye
- 2018** 'Decaying Melons', curated by Nicole O'Rourke, Krank Art Gallery, Istanbul, Türkiye  
'Death Smells Acacia', Duo Show with Jennifer Ipek, SET Studios, London, UK
- 2017** 'Her Brain is a Travelling White Bullet', curated by Nicole O'Rourke, Ballon Rouge Collective, Istanbul, Türkiye
- 2016** 'My Immigration Papers', Tom's Etching Studio, London, UK
- 2015** 'Cultivative Domain', Milan Design Week, Atelier Wan, Milan, Italy

## Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2025** 'The Volcano Lover', curated by Anlam de Coster, Galerist, Istanbul, Türkiye
- 2024** 'Critical Shifts', Barın Han, Istanbul, Türkiye  
'Anima Nova', Istanbul'74 at Clubhouse Bebek, Istanbul, Türkiye
- 2023** 'Time is a Child', Galerist in collaboration with Perasma, Navy Base of Leros, Leros, Greece  
'Between Earthly Beings and the Unknown Cosmic World: The Continent', Julius Koller Society, Bratislava, Slovakia  
'Search Party', Tatjana Pieters Gallery, Gent, Belgium
- 2022** 'Conversations with Memory, Cedric Bardwil Gallery, London, UK  
'Dog in the Window', A+B Gallery, Brescia, Italy
- 2021** 'Off the Grid', Lamb Gallery, London, UK
- 2020** 'Meeting in the Forest', Pablos Birthday Gallery, Online Exhibition, New York, USA
- 2019** 'I remember', curated by Ballon Rouge Collective, Hannah Barry Gallery, London, UK  
'Fugue', curated by Nilüfer Şaşmazer, Museum Evliyagil, Ankara, Turkey
- 2018** Painting Clubb in collaboration with Chaos Magic and Jack Cooper, Georgia O'Riley++, Chaos Magic, Nottingham, UK  
'GHOST', curated by Mint Works, collaboration with Painting Clubb, London, UK  
Painting Clubb Exhibition, SET Studios, London, UK  
'Sunday Morning', curated by Nicole O'Rourke, Galerist, Istanbul, Türkiye  
'Ladies' Paradise', curated by Open Space Contemporary and Everything I Want, London, UK  
'Ritimanaliz', Rem Art Space, Istanbul, Türkiye
- 2017** 'Kopuntu', curated by Milen Nae, Milan, Italy  
'The Need to Doodle', 5th Base Gallery, London, UK  
'Caput', Crypt Gallery curated by Merve Iseri & Daniel MacCarthy, London, UK
- 2016** 'Not Knowing the Line', AND Association London, UK
- 2015** 'Maker Culture', Maslak 42, Istanbul, Türkiye