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GALERIE KREMERS is happy to invite you to the opening of the exhibition

### THE FREESTYLE COLLECTION

Opening 13-09-20, from 11 am in the Gothic Hall of Galerie Kremers



**Taylor A. White, Natascha Mann, Reiner Zitta, Ernst Weil, Robert Szot, Adébayo Bolaji, Taher Jaoui, Jonni Cheatwood, Fiona Ackerman, Gregor Hiltner**

“When I paint, I want to create paintings that I have never seen before, that surprise me. I find it boring to paint something that I am able to imagine beforehand.”

This is how the American painter Taylor A. White described it, and is how many of the artists who are part of the FREESTYLE COLLECTION would put it. What determines their artistic approach is not a decision to follow a certain style, but rather a wild mix of styles. Image formats are broken up, techniques mixed, collages are integrated into painting, or foreign materials mounted on the picture surface. In detail, of course, none of this is radically new, but what is actually new in this world? According to Francis Bacon, “all novelty is but oblivion.”

So, we can look forward to visual surprises, to sassy innovations that the artists have dreamt up for the viewer. In light of all this stylistic freedom, only the composition remains the immovable pole and the criterion of quality. Styles and artistic movements have already been repeated so oftentimes in retro trends, as neo-this or neo-that, that the question of a certain style has become obsolete and boring today. FREESTYLE is the answer and an appropriate title for this collection.

Exhibition dates: 13/9 - 10/30/20