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Prolepsis is the gallery's inaugural exhibition of Tim Doud's work. The show presents only three works with each selected from ongoing large-scale projects. In addition to stylistic traits, the three pieces are tied together by a preoccupation with fabric and the semiotic nature of fabric patterns. Hundreds of fabric patterns are referenced throughout the paintings exhibited. One might assume the fabric patterns have been chosen at random or simply for their graphic features. However, the artist's previous work was rooted in portraiture and each of his subjects dressed for the occasion. Through the intense demand of painting the details of these costumes, Doud became inspired by the symbolism of the clothing. Each garment and its fabric parts point to its ethnographic source and a trail of meanings. In each of the three pieces in the show fabric patterns are arranged in familiar visual systems, one in a taxonomic gridding of 100 small paintings, another riffing on cubist design strategies, and the third, a massive interlacing of multiple textiles. Doud's arranging and weaving together of fabric patterns as painting subject becomes representative of a population, a "we the people." The paintings are loud and boisterous, overflowing with the visual drama of conflicting abstract imagery. Relying on art's inherent ambition for and against balance, Doud demonstrates a collective struggle to reach harmony. Each painting professes the potential for a positive outcome. Each is the equivalent of a social vestment. No doubt you will recognize a fabric you have worn.



CDGJWAT (Yellow-Green) M
2022
acrylic and oil enamel on wood panel
34 x 28 x 2 inches





Proposal For a Future Flag (Template)
2022
acrylic and oil enamel on panel
126 x 210 inches
triptych, each panel 126 x 70 inches
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V (camo) 1-100 (series)

2022

acrylic and oil enamel on canvas

100 canvases

17 x 14 x 1 1/2 inches each

V (camo) 1
2022
acrylic and oil enamel on canvas
17 x 14 x 1 1/2 inches



V (camo) 36
2022
acrylic and oil enamel on canvas
17 x 14 x 1 1/2 inches



V (camo) 68
2022
acrylic and oil enamel on canvas
17 x 14 x 1 1/2 inches





V (camo) 2
2022



V (camo) 3
2022



V (camo) 4
2022



V (camo) 5
2022



V (camo) 6
2022



V (camo) 7
2022



V (camo) 8
2022



V (camo) 9
2022



V (camo) 10
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V (camo) 11
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V (camo) 12
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V (camo) 13
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V (camo) 14
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V (camo) 15
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