

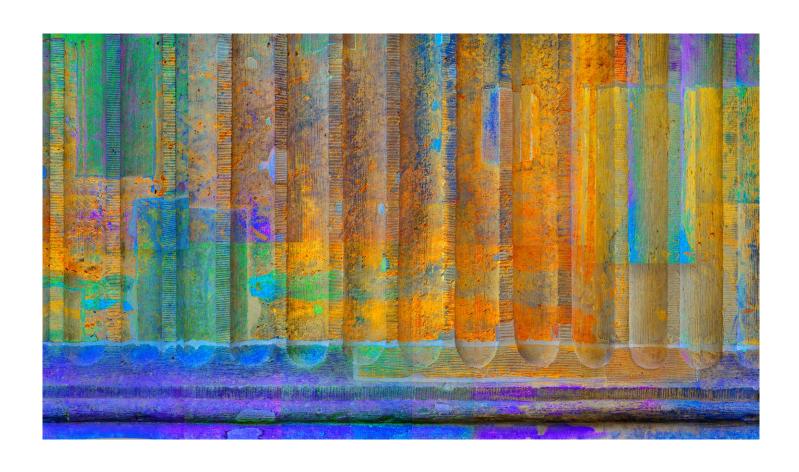


Santa Sabina I, Rome (Variation No. 2) 2023, printed 2024 pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel 42 $1/2 \times 55$ inches edition 1 of 15



Cefalù Variation No. 5 (Sanctuary) 2022, printed 2024 pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel 39×34 1/2 inches edition 4 of 15





Brandenburg Gate, Column VI Facing North (thermal reveal) 2020, printed 2024 pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel $43\ 1/2\ x\ 70\ 1/2$ inches edition 2 of 15



Shahrisabz (The Great Trek Series, 1 of 6) 2023, printed 2024 pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel 28×25 1/2 inches edition 1 of 15



Ebenezer (The Great Trek Series, 2 of 6) 2023, printed 2024 pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel 28 x 25 1/2 inches edition 1 of 15



Sarabulak (The Great Trek Series, 3 of 6) 2024, printed 2024 pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel 28 x 25 1/2 inches edition 1 of 15



Lausan (The Great Trek Series, 4 of 6)
2024, printed 2024
pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel
28 x 25 1/2 inches
edition 1 of 15



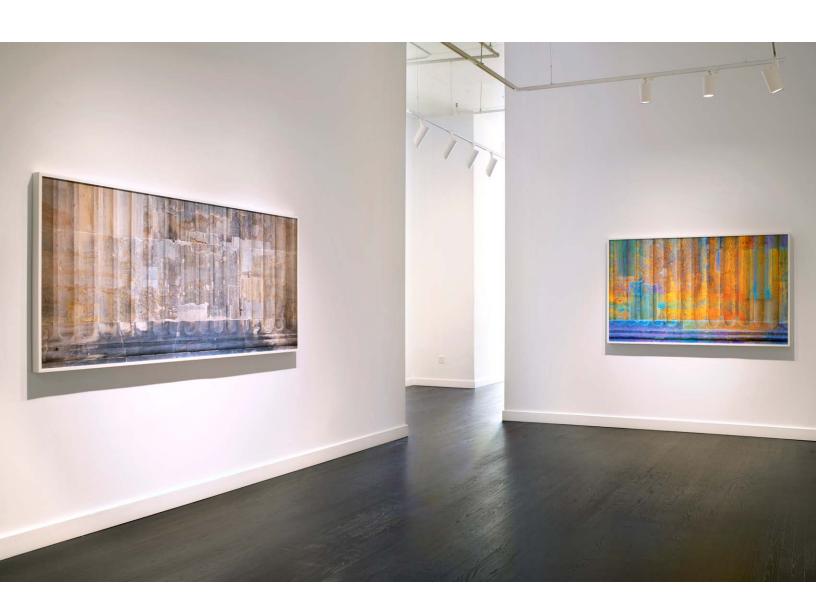
Beatrice (The Great Trek Series, 5 of 6)
2023
pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel
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Ak Metchet (The Great Trek Series, 6 of 6) 2024 pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel 28 x 25 1/2 inches edition 1 of 15

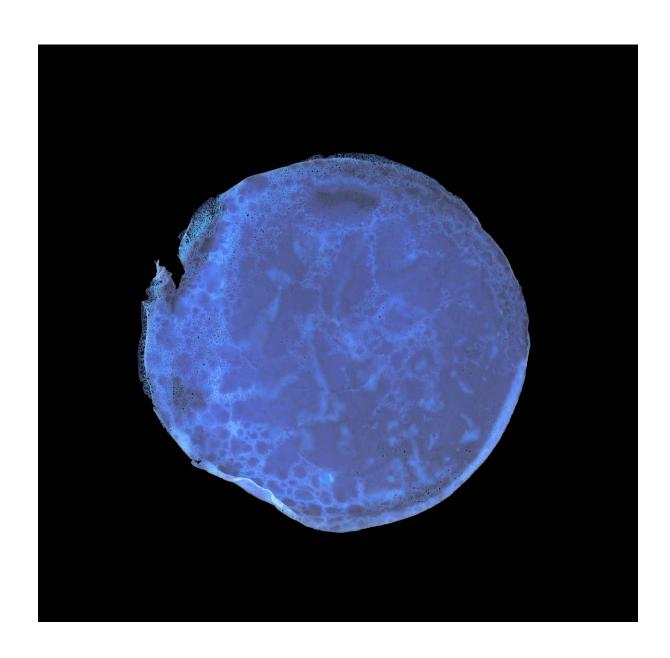


Brandenburg Gate, Column VII 2020, printed 2024 pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel 41×95 inches edition 1 of 15





Orpheus 2012, printed 2024 pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel 48 x 38 inches edition 2 of 15



Blue Crepe Moon 2015, printed 2024 pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel 35 x 35 inches open edition



The Ninth Room 2022, printed 2024 pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel 35×36 inches edition 2 of 15



Vessel, Pompeii 2023, printed 2024 pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel 34 1/2 x 36 inches edition 2 of 15



Cefalù Variation No. 6 (Sicilia) 2022, printed 2024 pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel 34 1/2 x 39 inches edition 1 of 15



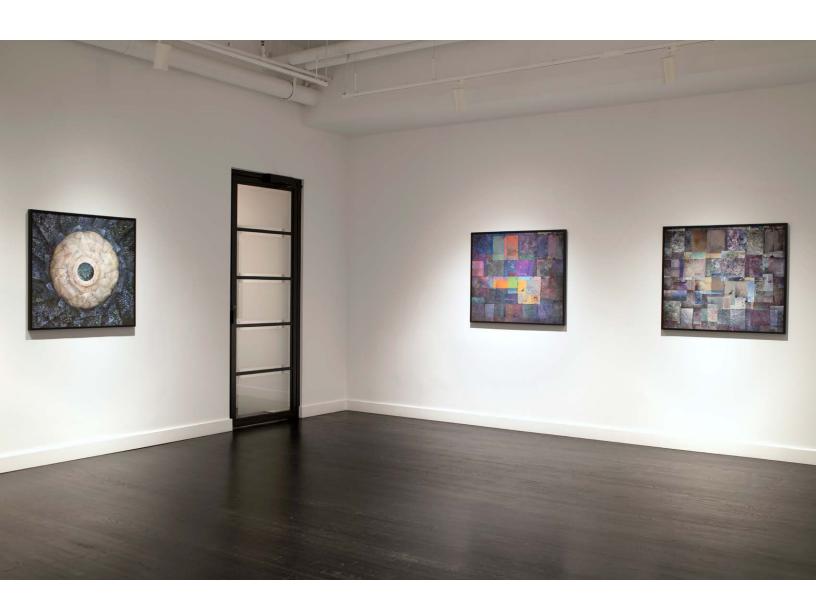
Cefalù Variation No. 2 2022, printed 2024 pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel 34 1/2 x 39 inches edition 2 of 15



Cefalù Variation No. 1 2022, printed 2024 pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel 34 1/2 x 39 inches edition 2 of 15



Cefalù Variation No. 4 (Uprising at Dawn) 2022, printed 2024 pigment ink on smooth cotton rag paper mounted on aluminum panel 34 1/2 x 39 inches edition 2 of 15



A professional archivist is tasked with assessing materials of value, preserving them to the best of their ability with the technology available, and maintaining these collections so that the information can have an enduring impact on the communities and institutions that enshrine them. Franz Jantzen understands the responsibility implicitly, both professionally and in his artistic practice.

The exhibition of digital photography in FRANZ JANTZEN employs a systematic documentation process of image making that the artist has honed over decades. Countless hours are spent layering individual images, stratifying visual information while the artist improvises and arranges, altering the compositions and their colors to reflect deeper meanings. In some cases, the connotations are deeply personal; Jantzen's newest body of work, The Great Trek Series, imagines a journey the artist's ancestors took through foreign lands as compositions of paving stones in the open forum at Pompeii are intricately rendered. The artist explains,

In 1880 a small group of pacifist Mennonites followed a doomsday prophet from Russia across the desert to what is now Uzbekistan, where God was to arrive in March 1889. My dad's family was on this pilgrimage, though they left before the group reached their final destination. Along the way they received the kindness of strangers, and also suffered greatly. My series is about six geographic locations on that journey, in the order in which they appeared on the journey.

Exploring further into the images, locations, and references that Franz Jantzen utilizes in his compositions, a greater appreciation for the sum of these elements is achieved. By showing works with slight variations, the artist seeks to inspire in his audience the same sense of wonderment and careful attention that Jantzen sees in the source material. Encouraging a similar reverence for past, present, and future learning, perhaps even, a greater understanding of the world around us.