## PRINCIPLE GALLERY

## About the Artist: Nicolas Martin

Nicolas Martin (b. 1980) is a realist painter from Paris, who now lives and works in Montreal, Canada. After completing his studies at the respected Auguste Renoir school in Paris, Nicolas decided to deepen his artistic knowledge and diversify his skills by completing the Graphic Design program at the University of Laval in Quebec, Canada.

In 2003 he won first place in the La Fondation de la Vocation scholarship in Paris. Throughout his career, Martin has worked as a designer for the famous Galeries Lafayette in Paris and as Art Director for various companies in Europe and North America.

Nicolas started his career as a professional painter in 2013 with a highly successful solo show at the L'Oeil du Prince Gallery in Paris, followed by an equally successful solo exhibition there in 2014. In 2015 he made his U.S. debut in "Urban Life" at Abend Gallery in Denver, CO, and was a finalist at the respected Art Renewal Center Salon. He was also named "Artist to Watch" by Southwest Art Magazine.

Another highlight of Nicolas' career was his solo exhibition, "Cinemascope" held at the L'Oeil du Prince Gallery in 2016; the exhibition was highly acclaimed. Nicolas is proud to be exhibiting amongst so many successful artists. His work is widely collected in both Europe and North America. Nicolas' primary goal as a painter is .... constant evolution.

## Exhibitions & Achievements:

2013

Solo Exhibition, L'Oeil du Prince Gallery – Paris, France 2014

Group Show, L'Oeil du Prince Gallery – Paris, France 2015

Solo Show, L'Oeil du Prince Gallery – Paris, France Art Renewal Center (ARC) International Salon – Finalist Art Copenhagen, Oxholm Gallery – Copenhagen, Denmark Urban Life, Abend Gallery – Denver, CO

## P R I N C I P L E G A L L E R Y

25<sup>th</sup> Annual Holiday Miniatures Show, Abend Gallery – Denver, CO 2016

Contemporary Figuration, Abend Gallery – Denver, CO

Landscape, Abend Gallery – Denver, CO

Realism Without Borders, Vanessa Rothe Fine Art Gallery – Laguna Beach, CA Jetset Collection Exhibtion, Vanessa Rothe Fine Art Gallery – Laguna Beach, CA Solo Show "Cinemascope," L'Oeil du Prince Gallery – Paris, France 2017

French Impressions, Vanessa Rothe Fine Art Gallery – Laguna Beach, CA Solo Show, Oxholm Gallery – Copenhagen, Denmark

Paris Seminar – Paris, France

Luminous, Abend Gallery – Denver, CO

Realism Without Borders, presented by Vanessa Rothe Fine Art Gallery at Salmagundi Club – New York, NY

2018

Americans in Paris, Arcadia Gallery – Pasadena, CA

Americans in Paris, L'Oeil du Prince Gallery – Paris, France

Solo Show, L'Oeil du Prince Gallery – Paris, France

Fine Art & Fashion Exhibition, presented by Vanessa Rothe Fine Art Gallery at Salmagundi Club, New York, NY

Miniatures Show, Abend Gallery – Denver, CO

Annual Christmas Show, Oxholm Gallery – Copenhagen, Denmark

Group Show, Pfundt Gallery – Berlin, Germany

Over Land & Sea, Vanessa Rothe Fine Art Gallery – Laguna Beach, CA 2019

Three Person Show, Abend Gallery – Denver, CO

Solo Show, Oxholm Gallery – Copenhagen, Denmark

Solo Show, Vanessa Rothe Fine Art Gallery - Laguna Beach, CA