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Metaphorically, poetically, and universally – **Iris Sageder** creates a magical universe with her sculptures, reliefs, and impasto oil paintings that bring human entanglements and evolutionary processes to the forefront of her artistic practice. Her work references ritual practices and employs mystical content to express the hybridization of human and animal. This is depicted through representations of a prehuman as a primate, the potential of humanity as an embryo, and the non-human as an alien. Iris Sageder has presented her work in a range of national and international exhibitions. Her works have been showcased at Albertina Modern Vienna, art:badgastein, spark Vienna, Galerie Kandlhofer, Novomatic Art Forum, LHM Moscow, and Stiftung Zukunft Berlin.



Lovro Artuković works are characterized by impressive technical skill and a deep engagement with social and cultural themes. His paintings often oscillate between realistic representation and subtle surrealistic elements, creating a unique visual language. Artuković began his career in the Croatian art scene. He later moved to Berlin, where he now works and lives. In his works, he explores themes such as identity, power structures, and the human psyche, often drawing on historical and mythological references. His paintings are known for their detailed execution and ability to evoke profound emotional responses from viewers. His works are part of several major international collections, including the MoCA Zagreb, the MoCA Belgrade, and the Natiopal Gallery in Berlin.

Iris Sageder

from the series WE ARE AVATARE, with CIRCUS HORIZON, 2024 Mixed media and oil paint on carrara acrystal each piece 30 x 20 x 35 cm



Šejla Kamerić works with film, photography, objects, drawings, and installations. She has received widespread acclaim for the poignant intimacy and social commentary that have become the main elements of her work. By addressing subjects from non-linear historical narratives and personal histories, Kamerić focuses on the politics of memory, modes of resistance in human life, and the consequent idiosyncrasies of women's struggle. She emphasizes empathy as the foundational communicative mechanism between herself, her subjects, and spectators, creating places of power and political arenas. Her works are part of international art collections, including TATE Modern in London, Musée d'Art Moderne de la Ville in Paris, or the MoCA in Seoul.



Šejla Kamerić MAZE, 2017 Series of silk scarves 100 × 100 cm each Lovro Artuković COCTEAU'S MIRROR AND PSYCHE, 2024 Charcoal on paper 89.5 x 110 cm

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