

# MAKE ROOM

## Yoab Vera

b. 1985, Mexico

Lives and works in Mexico City

### SOLO & TWO PERSON EXHIBITIONS

- 2024** *Scent of Time: Horizontes Temporales*, Saenger Galería, Casa Gilardi, Mexico City, Mexico
- 2023** *Circadian Memories: Amar Pacifico*, Make Room, Los Angeles, CA  
*Robert Janits + Yoab Vera: un diálogo*, Saenger Galería, Mexico City, Mexico
- 2022** *Somatic-Markers*, with Hea-Mi Kim, Lanier Gallery, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA  
*You Had Me At Goodbye*, with Shay Kun, LaMontague Gallery Boston, MA  
*Pasajes Urbanos*, curated by Ana Castella, Salón Acme with Arróniz Gallery, Mexico City
- 2021** *Haptic Contemplative Painting*, New Wight Gallery, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA

### GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2023** *Things Seen*, Make Room, Los Angeles, CA
- 2022** *Terms of Belonging*, GAVLAK, Los Angeles, CA  
*LA Dreams 3: Light Touch*, CFHill, Stockholm, Sweden  
*Those Lazy, Hazy, Crazy Days of Summer*, Make Room, Los Angeles, CA  
*Cortezas: Narrativas de la Piel*, Taller Transversal, Mexico City
- 2021** *Forest Temple*, SK Art and Johnny Utah Project, New York, NY  
*Blue in Green*, Arróniz Gallery, Mexico City
- 2020** *So What?*, Arróniz Gallery, Mexico City

### EDUCATION

- 2021** Master of Fine Art, Painting and Drawing, University of California Los Angeles, CA
- 2021** Mindfulness Awareness Research Center, Semel Institute for Neuroscience and Human Behavior, I.P.P., UCLA, Los Angeles, CA
- 2013** Bachelor of Art, Art and Art History concentration in Modern and Contemporary Latin American Art, Hunter College, New York, NY
- 2006-7** School of Architecture, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM), Mexico City

### AWARDS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND RESIDENCIES

- 2021** Painting and Poetry Oscar Williams and Gene Derwood Award, New York Community Trust.
- 2019** UMEX Scholar - Fundación Jumex Arte Contemporáneo.
- 2018** Moss Scholar - UCLA School of the Arts and Architecture.

### PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

The Artistic Museum of Contemporary Art (AMOCA), Wales  
X Museum, Beijing

### PUBLICATIONS

- "10 Must-See Shows from Mexico City Art Week 2024" - Whitewall, Natalie Stoclet, 2024
- "Discover Mexico City's Thriving Art Scene" - Galerie Magazine, Paul Laster, 2024
- "Material Art Fair Celebrates 10 Years in Mexico City" - Whitewall, Erica Silverman, 2024
- "Ten More to Remember-And Not Just Because..." - Artillery Magazine, Ezrha Jean Black, 2023
- "Art Week Mexico: Memory, Stories, and Walls" - Whitehot Magazine, Karen Moe, 2023
- "Terms of Belonging at Gavlak" - Art Viewer, 2022
- "Gavlak Opens an Intergenerational Exhibition of Latin American Artist" - Artdaily, Efrain Lopez, 2022