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5 Artists Whose Work You Should Look Out for This Month

We are looking at shows on view in Berlin, Los Angeles, Vienna, and even online.

Katie White, March 10, 2020



Installation view of "Johannes Wohnseifer Fractured Memories," 2020. Courtesy of Meliksetian I Briggs.

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Time, it's often said, seems to speed up as you age. That inevitable phenomenon is the inspiration behind "Fractured Memories," Johannes Wohnseifer's lively and brash second exhibition with the gallery. In nine new paintings, the artist reflects on his youth in the 1970s and '80s through depictions of corporate logos and products from the era, including Cherry Coke (released in the US in 1985) and the Rolex "Daytona" watch. In other canvases, he incorporates snippets of the press release from his first solo show 25 years ago in broken phrases that reflect the imperfection and incompleteness of memory.

Johannes Wohnseifer's "Fractured Memories" is on view through March 21, 2020, at Meliksetian | Briggs, 313 North Fairfax Avenue, Los Angeles