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## COUNTER CLOCKWISE

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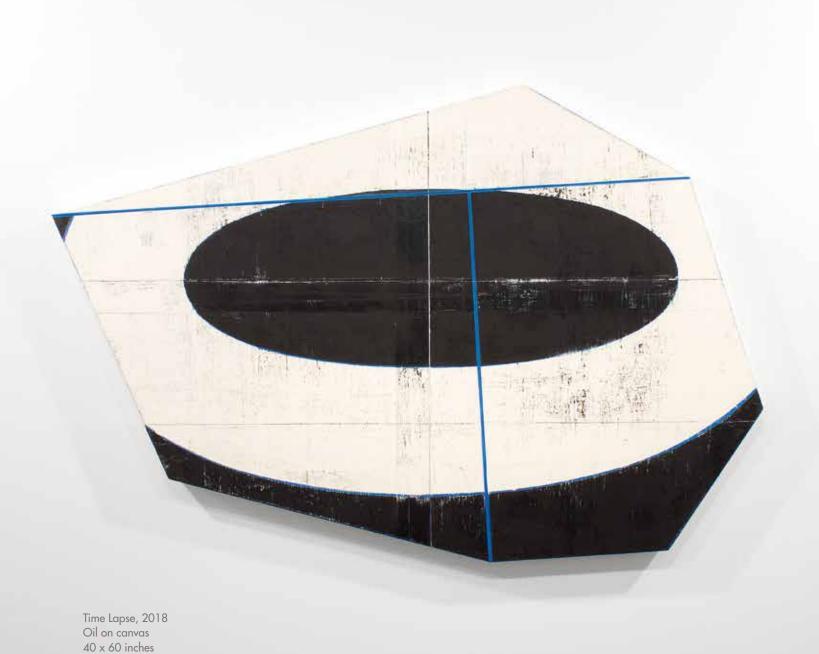
Several aspects inherent in the phrase "Counter Clockwise" appeal to me. First, because we accept time as a linear one directional process. The idea is essentially counter intuitive, backwards, wrong. Secondly, it brings time, a concept that does not exist in static, two-dimensional imagery into the equation. Giving the paintings a sense of movement (time) has been part of my work from the beginning. However, this group of work mirrors, turns, and flips not just the image but also the objects upon which they are painted, suggesting movement between individual paintings – something that cannot be done with symmetrical rectilinear objects.

The relationship between image and its support, and the kind of tension that results, is another long-standing interest. I am fascinated by the fact that though the image has less actual dimension and "weight" it can still become the dominant "read". Should we give the image total priority over the object? Together they form a unity, both mysterious and irresistible.

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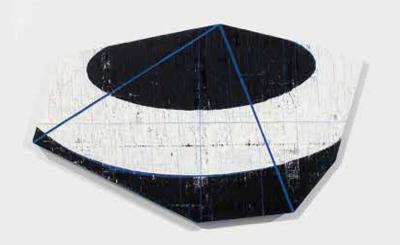




Macro, 2018 Oil on panel 15 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> x 25 inches

Axis 2, 2018 Oil on Panel 16 x 23 inches









Reflex 2, 2018 Oil on Panel 16 x 23 inches



Warp, 2018 Oil on Panel 15 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> x 26 inches



Installation view of 9 individual works Untitled, 2018
Oil on paper  $15 \, ^3/_4 \times 18$  inches





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