## **OPEN MIND ART SPACE**

## **BEGIN/AGAIN**

FEATURING VARIOUS ARTISTS

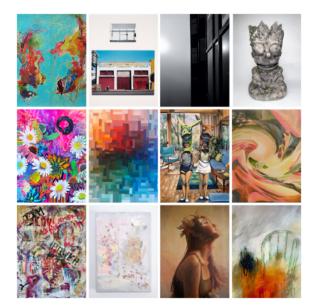
JUNE 2-25, 2022

CLOSING RECEPTION: SATURDAY, JUNE 25, 5-8 PM

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11631 SANTA MONICA BLVD. LOS ANGELES, CA 90025

GALLERY HOURS: THUR - SAT, 11AM - 5PM OR BY APPOINTMENT



From left to right, by row: Artworks by Nurit Avesar, Michael Chesler, Richard S. Chow, Audrey Higa, CJ Hungerman, Justin N. Kim, Adrienne Kinsella, Vida Liu, Monica R. Marks, Garen Novruzyan, Ryanne Phillips, Shilla Shakoori

(LOS ANGELES, CA) - Open Mind Art Space is pleased to present *Begin/Again*, an exhibition celebrating possibility. This group exhibition features art by California State University Northridge (CSUN) Arts Alumni, and is juried by Open Mind founder and director, Alison Limtavemongkol. The selected works will be on view at Open Mind Art Space from June 2 - 25, 2022. Gallery hours are Thursdays - Saturdays, 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM, or by appointment. A closing reception will be held for the artists on the final day of the exhibition, Saturday, June 25, 2022 from 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM. *Please note, there will be no opening reception for this exhibition*.

Coming out of a global pandemic, we have all become keenly aware of time. We consider notions of the past and present and wonder about the future. The vernacular has changed to include terms like "normally" or "before times" to reference the past, and "during the pandemic" or "while in quarantine" to reference how we have changed or transitioned over the past two years. The future is yet to be determined. The emotional toll of this shared experience has left many with feelings of uncertainty. **Begin/Again** is an art exhibition that seeks to uplift viewers through work that explores joy and positivity, and hope for the future as we move slowly towards our "new normal".

**CSUN Arts Alumni Chapter** supports the artists from California State University Northridge (CSUN) through community, resources, and exhibition opportunities for members.