

## Iris Hauser & Cate Francis: *Narratives*

April 13 – May 23, 2018  
Curated by Jesse Campbell



Iris Hauser, *Minding Manners*, 2014, oil on canvas, 90 x 120 cm

Cate Francis, *Transplants*, 2018, screen print and chine colle, 21 x 34"

Visual art is inextricably linked to storytelling and narratives. In this exhibition, Iris Hauser and Cate Francis document their different experiences with and approaches to narrative. Hauser regularly references familiar symbols and draws from Biblical, mythological, and common stories and applies them to modern day experiences. Francis focuses on less of a didactic role of narrative. Rather, in her screen prints, she hones in on printmaking's role within the dissemination of anatomical diagrams. Both artists explore how the human figure is linked to narrative, but in relation to the histories of their respective media.