ERIC ERISTON WINARTO
September 27-December 17, 2024

Laleh June Galerie I Basel
Picassoplatz 4 4052

Opening reception in presence of the artist:
Friday, September 27, 2024 / 5-9pm

Laleh June is pleased to present “We the People,” a solo exhibition of new and recent work by Eric Eriston Winarto, at its Basel gallery.

On view from September 27 to December 17, this will be Eriston Winarto’s first-ever show in Basel, presenting a view of his practice through two bodies of works.

The first, Eriston Winarto's work across painting, takes up questions of nature and light, with a significant focus on Geneva and Lake of Geneva. This period, in the exhibition, opens with a celebration of the Lake Geneva landscape with the artist's "Genfersee" 2024 series, where they are shown together on the wall. Hour after hour, the artist captures the light variations in ten paintings.
The exhibition will continue with a second series of oil paintings on display, featuring a vivid animation of the trees and the sky, as well as a new series of the artist’s self-portraits, and illuminated works with blue neon tubes.
Eric Eriston Winarto's painting draws on art historical references from Greek mythology to the present day.

The artist was born in 1980 in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, and lives and works in Geneva, Switzerland. After completing graduate and postgraduate programs at HEAD - Genève (Geneva University of Art and Design) in 2005, his work is part of several major private collections and has been exhibited extensively in Switzerland and Europe.