Six images

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While my work reconsiders what is traditionally required to make paintings, my agenda is still to produce them: the materiality of paint connects my practice's disparate styles. By manipulating ways of handling paint, the crocheted acrylic 'paint-paintings' presented here challenge how a painting can be made. These paintings explore relationships between painting and craft, intentionally using abstraction to transcend a multitude of themes within the discourse of painting. Crocheting with paint injects my paintings into feminist discussions; the work takes formal incentive from Hard-Edged Abstraction, Minimalism and Colourfield painting, but the process and materiality of the paint in this sculptural form wobbles such intentions. These works reveal the labour of their making and the importance of process, while trying to achieve a place between the disciplines of painting and sculpture from a female perspective.



Warm Violets, Cool Forest, 2017 crocheted acrylic paint on aluminum panel, 35 × 48 inches

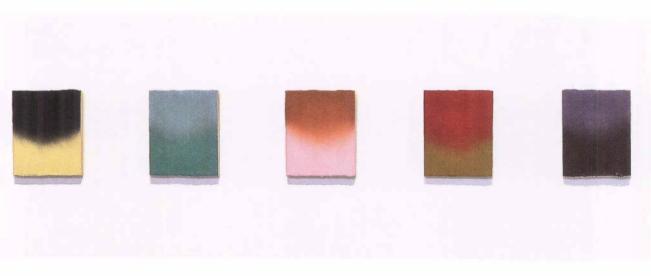


Half Light, 2017 crocheted acrylic paint on aluminum panel, 10×15 inches





Wish Fulfillment, 2017 crocheted acrylic paint on aluminum panel, 14×14 inches



Running Through the Moss on High Heels, 2017 flocking and oil on canvas, ten canvases at 8 × 10 inches

