

# Ali Cockrean

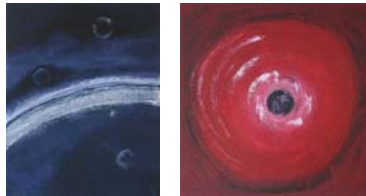


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## **Ali has hanging space in mind for her new exhibition**



Abstract artist Ali Cockrean will be revealing her latest collection of work when her solo show opens with a private viewing on September 25<sup>th</sup> at the Untitled Gallery in Adam Street, off The Strand in London's West End.

The exhibition, **Space in Mind**, explores the intangible nature of the human mind and the vastness of the universe. They are deep and absorbing themes developed out of Ali's view that so much of the world is defined by labels and measurements whilst, at the same time, there are fundamental elements of our lives which remain a complete mystery.

*"I think I have been looking to express my reactions to the true power of nature" Ali says. "Given the mess we are making of living on our planet, that natural power is something I wanted to reflect as a theme."*

This is Ali Cockrean's second solo exhibition of the year and follows the success of her spring show **Beyond the Verbal** which attracted considerable attention and introduced some of the approaches seen in the current collection. These include what has become her hallmark use of vibrant colours and heavy textures with extensive use of the translucent qualities of the paint as it is applied to her canvasses.

*"I have always been fascinated by the infinite nature of our minds and of space. What intrigues me is our total inability to quantify them in any meaningful way. Think about this seriously and it becomes overwhelming and yet we all accept our restricted understanding relatively comfortably."*

Space in Mind is open at the gallery for two weeks, closing on October 6<sup>th</sup>. The Untitled Gallery is in the private club, but viewing can be easily arranged any time by calling 020 7209 8110.

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**Notes to Editors:**

Ali Cockrean's regularly exhibits throughout the country. Her work already appears in collections across Europe, the US and Canada. She is considered to be 'one to watch' on the contemporary art scene.  
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