

Joe Biel is a visual artist working primarily in two dimensional media. He received an MFA in Painting from the University of Michigan and is currently on the faculty at California State University Fullerton. His work has been exhibited in galleries nationally and internationally at *LA Louver Gallery*, *Roberts and Tilton Gallery*, *Acuna-Hansen Gallery* and *Angles Gallery* in Los Angeles, *Goff + Rosenthal Gallery* in New York, *Greg Kucera Gallery* in Seattle, and *Galerie Kuckei/Kuckei* in Berlin. He has been included in group exhibitions at the Otis College of Art and Design and the Torrance Museum of Art in Los Angeles, the De Young Museum in San Francisco, the Laguna Art Museum in Laguna, CA , the Aldrich Contemporary Art Museum in Ridgefield, CT and Diverseworks in Houston, TX. He has been awarded residencies at the Bemis Center for Contemporary Art in Omaha, NE , at the 18th St Arts Center in Santa Monica and at the Ballinglen Foundation in Ballycastle, Ireland. He was the recipient of a Pollock-Krasner Foundation award in 2003 and in 2008. He lives and works in Los Angeles.