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"DREAM ON DREAMER" by RIANA RAOUNA Gallery An exhibition by 12 Contemporary Artists from the international art scene

RIANA RAOUNA GALLERY presents the exhibition **DREAM ON DREAMER** with paintings by 12 emerging contemporary artists from the international art scene. The exhibition takes place between 14 and 31 October, at "Aphrodite Amathusia" Cultural Centre, Amathus Avenue, 4532 Agios Tychonas, in Limassol.

The participating artists, most of whom come from the younger generation, are: **Besher Koushaji (Syria), Botond Gagyi (Romania), Ebuka P. Agudiegwu (Nigeria), Edward Hongyi Jia (UK/China), Eugenia Cuellar (Spain), Henry Glover (UK), Jione Choi (UK/S. Korea), K Blick (UK/S. Korea), Lara Rottinghaus (Germany), Matete Martini (Italy), Marina Olympios (Cyprus), and Taedong Lee (S. Korea).**

Through 25 paintings, **DREAM ON DREAMER** aims to provide an aesthetic experience to the viewer and present the absolute "now" in contemporary painting. The exhibition consists of poetic landscapes with dominant reference to the sea, portraits and abstract works which reflect the power of art in stimulating imagination, reflexion, and pleasure. According to the gallery's founder and exhibition curator Riana Raouna, "Each work individually but also the combination of works in the gallery space, allow the viewer to let go of the everyday and gain a new understanding of reality, where everything is possible."

DREAM ON DREAMER is the gallery's second exhibition that takes place in a physical location in Cyprus. Riana Raouna explains, "We are proud to be showing the work of such exciting artists for the second time in Cyprus because we wish to allow art lovers and collectors experience what is happening in painting today, without having to travel abroad. The exhibited artists are amongst the elite of emerging international talents and based on their career trajectory, some of them are expected to become the big names of tomorrow."

Opening: Friday, 14 October, 7-10 pm Duration: 14-31 October 2022, Monday-Sunday, 10 am - 8 pm Address: "Aphrodite Amathusia" Cultural Centre, Amathus Avenue, 4532 Agios Tychonas, Limassol (next to La Isla Beach Bar) For more information, please call at +357 22 462 888, email <u>info@rianaraouna.com</u> or visit <u>www.rianaraouna.com</u>.

About the Gallery: RIANA RAOUNA was founded by Riana Raouna, who is a Contemporary Art Specialist and a Distinction holder of an MA in Contemporary Art from Sotheby's Institute of Art, London. The gallery features paintings by emerging contemporary artists, who represent some of the most promising talents in the international art scene. The gallery operates online at <u>www.rianaraouna.com</u> and presents physical exhibitions on a regular basis, aiming to provide access to highly desirable artworks without any geographical barriers.