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Kaori Maeyama

Far Side of the Morning

&

Sean Clark

Along the Way

June 3-July 15, 2023

Reception with the artists: **Saturday, June 3, 6-8 PM**

LeMieux Galleries is pleased to present exhibitions for New Orleans artists **Kaori Maeyama & Sean Clark**. Both shows will open with a reception on Saturday, June 3rd from 6-8 PM during First Saturday Artwalk in the Arts District. The shows will remain on view until July 15, 2023. LeMieux Galleries' is open Monday-Saturday from 10:30-5:00.

Far Side of the Morning is **Kaori Maeyama's** second show at LeMieux Galleries. A series of urban nocturnes in ***Far Side of the Morning*** acts as reminders of the past and anticipates what the future might hold, for what is here today could vanish at any time. Applied with brayers and squeegeed away in part, thin layers of oil paint

create the illusion of harsh neon signs and dimly lit streetcorners. As the darkness swallows up familiar structures, a new perspective emerges among haze and blur.

Sean Clark was the winner of LeMieux Galleries' juried group show "And Now for Something New" in 2021. **Sean Clark** is a native of Chattanooga, Tennessee who has lived and worked in New Orleans for the past ten years. Before coming to New Orleans, Clark graduated from Morehouse College with a Bachelors of Science in Biology with a concentration in Public Health and African-American Studies. His most recent works ***Along the Way*** were completed while in his first year of the MFA program at Tulane University.

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