

For immediate release:

NAOMI SCHLINKE,  
JAMES TURNER

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2020

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**James Turner** and **Naomi Schlinke** paint collages and collage paintings. Making becomes a product of movement, simultaneously improvisational and planned, repetitive and unique.

Schlinke's recent pieces are self-contained meditations, calm but evocative like a wild ritual or a sacred freedom. Visual and kinesthetic, her practice draws upon her early years as a dancer in 1970s San Francisco. Turner is grounded, humble. He calls his works "drah-rins". They feel like long walks with old friends.

**Steps on Steppes** unites the two artists giving them the run of the space.

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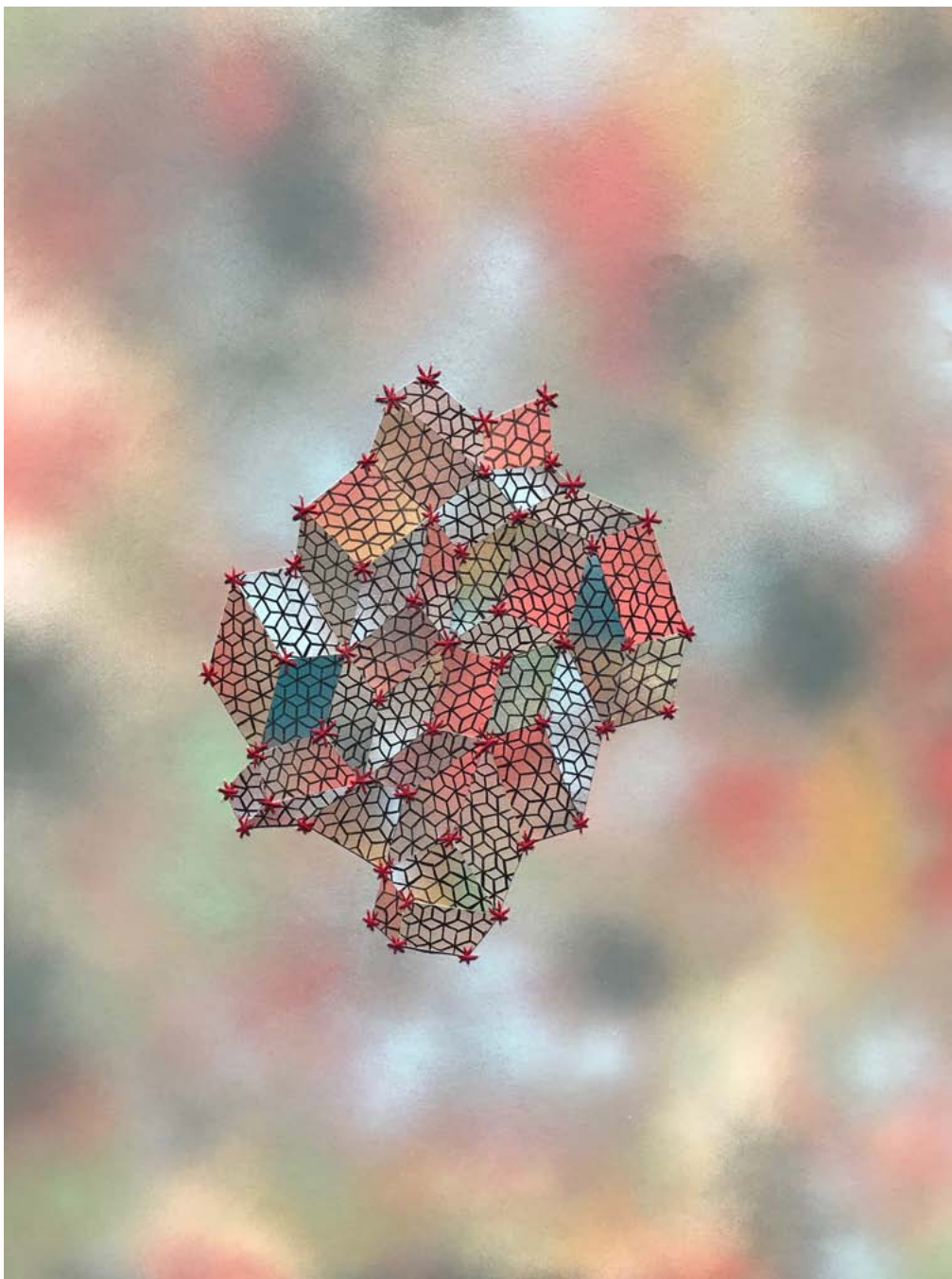
<b>Show Run —</b>	Jan 11– Feb 15, 2020
<b>Opening Reception —</b>	Saturday Jan 11, 2020 6–9 pm
<b>Visiting Hours —</b>	Saturdays Jan 18, Jan 25, Feb 1, Feb 8, Feb 15 3–6:30pm and by appointment email: <a href="mailto:hello@northern-southern.com">hello@northern-southern.com</a>
<b>Where —</b>	Northern–Southern 1900-B East 12th Street, Austin, Texas 78702
<b>Admission —</b>	Free
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**James Turner,**  
*untitled*, 2019, spray paint, india ink, and hand-stitching, 22 x 28 in

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**Naomi Schlinke,**

*Femme Fatale*, 2019, ink on mulberry paper collaged to painted panel, 50 x 38 x 1 in

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