

# WHITE CUBE

## Press Release

Danh Vo

11 October – 16 November 2024

White Cube Mason's Yard

### **Press Preview (drop in):**

Tuesday 8 October, 11am – 1pm

Wednesday 9 October, 11am – 1pm

Thursday 10 October, 11am – 1pm

### **Frieze Champagne Reception**

Thursday 10 October, 5 – 8pm

### **RSVP essential: [press@whitecube.com](mailto:press@whitecube.com)**

White Cube is pleased to present an exhibition by Danh Vo at Mason's Yard, coinciding with Frieze London 2024.

Vo will unveil a new site-specific installation developed at Güldenhof, his home and studio in rural Germany, alongside a series of late 19th- and early 20th-century floral still life paintings.

The installation explores the intertwined legacies of colonialism, capitalism and theocratic hegemony, incorporating an assemblage of found objects, artefacts and ephemera – including marble sculptures, Gandharan schist reliefs, classical carved altarpieces, as well as luxury Rimowa suitcases.

Originally made by women artists in Northern Europe, Vo's floral canvases engage with themes of appropriation, colonialism and the monopolisation of beauty. Inscribed with the Latin names for the flowers by the artist's father and regular collaborator, Phung Vo, the calligraphy was later gilded in gold by artisans in Thailand.

In other work, Vo plays with visual irony to reveal the blurred separation between church and state, draping a 16th-century painting of Madonna and Child with an antiquated 13-star American flag.

The exhibition runs at White Cube Mason's Yard, London, from 11 October – 16 November

# W H I T E C U B E

2024. The Press Preview will take place on 8, 9 and 10 October, with drop in slots between 11am – 1pm.

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Notes to Editors:

- White Cube’s exhibition programme extends across locations in London, Hong Kong, Paris, New York, Seoul and online. Since its inception in 1993, the gallery has exhibited the work of many of the world’s most highly acclaimed contemporary artists. [whitecube.com](http://whitecube.com)
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