

## MISTS An exhibition by Loïc Raguénès May 25, 2017 - July 23, 2017

Working out of his studio in Brittany, Loïc Raguénès revels in the romanticism of his backyard--an ancient province on the sea. The young artist's thoughts tend to play themselves out in series. His latest body of work, *Mists*, exists in this contemplative mode. Much like his paintings of the weather and atmosphere, the rhythmic patterns found in *Mists* draw loosely upon nature but his wavy lines are as figurative as they are abstract. His allusion to the ocean provide a clue into his practice. The ocean is an element in constant motion, both in reality and our collective memory. Water functions not as vessel for meaning but as a source of illumination and reflection.

**Loïc Raguénès** (b. 1968, Besancon, FR) lives and works in Douarnenez, FR. Solo exhibitions of his work have been held at Musée des Beaux Arts, Dole, FR; Musée François Pompon, Saulieu, FR; Circuit, Lausanne, CH; Galeria Zero, Milan, IT; C L E A R I N G, New York/Brussels. His work has been included in group exhibitions at KunstzeugHaus, Rapperswil-Jona, Switzerland, CH; Le Consortium, Dijon, FR; Fondation d'Entreprise Ricard, Paris, FR.