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Stephen Palmer b. 1959

In each of the paintings in 'En Plein Air', Stephen Palmer captures the freshness, luminosity and complexity of his personal experience of a place, mostly France. All of the 41 works in the exhibition were painted outdoors with his distinct energy and instinct, often using a limited palette of a handful of colours.

The unpredictability of working with paint out-of-doors lends a vibrancy to his work and means that chance plays an important role in determining each image. Palmer never revisits a painting in the studio as he wishes the activity and environment to be evident in the final work. Occasionally he will begin again, taking a painting back to a place to completely re-work it, ensuring that each has a clear lucidity.

Stephen Palmer's work has regularly been shown at the Royal Academy Summer Exhibition and the Discerning Eye, as well as being exhibited at the National Portrait Gallery, Royal Festival Hall and the Royal College of Art. He lives in London with his wife, Janine, and has been represented by Jenna Burlingham Fine Art since 2010.



1. *Sainte-Marie-de-Ré*, 2019
oil on board
40.5 x 40.5cm



2. *Two Trees I*, 2019
oil on board
30 x 30cm



3. *Two Trees II*, 2019
oil on board
30 x 30cm



4. *Trees and Building*, 2019
oil on board
33 x 30cm



5. *Route to La Couarde*, 2019
oil on board
30 x 30cm



6. *Le Clos Martin*, 2019
oil on board
30 x 37,5cm



7. *La Rochelle*, 2019
oil on board
21.5 x 20cm



8. *Copse*, 2019
oil on board
21.5 x 20cm



9. *Boat*, 2019
oil on board
20 x 20cm



10. *Park and Building*, 2019
oil on board
15 x 37cm



11. *La Vierge*, 2019
oil on board
20 x 21.5cm



12. *Marsilly*, 2019
oil on board
20 x 21.5cm



13. *Lighthouse and Boats*, 2019
oil on board
26.5 x 20cm



14. *Waterfront*, 2019
oil on board
21.5 x 20cm



15. *Harbour, La Flotte*, 2019
oil on board
30 x 37.5cm



16. *Cliff Path I*, 2019
oil on board
15 x 20cm



17. *Seafront*, 2019
oil on board
20 x 20cm



18. *Tower*, 2019
oil on board
20 x 21,5cm



19. *Wood*, 2019
oil on board
21,5 x 20cm



20. *Memorial*, 2019
oil on board
20 x 25cm
