## ALEXANDER MORRIS ART

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## FOUR ESTEEMED RHODE ISLAND ARTISTS COLLABORATE FOR A UNIQUE ART EXHIBIT

[EAST PROVIDENCE, RI; April 19, 2024] – Four prominent Rhode Island artists are collaborating on a unique show titled 'Riverside Under Five.' The group show is produced, curated, and exhibited by all four artists: Alexander Morris (modern abstract art), Casey Dana (film and photography), Jenny Brown (collage), and S. W. Dinge (modern abstract art). This innovative show aims to highlight Rhode Island artists by exhibiting works that are at or under \$500.00 on display at a Riverside photography studio. A secondary bonus of 'Riverside Under Five' is that it makes fine art a bit more accessible to the community because of the price point and the location at a triangular commercial junction where many businesses intersect. Making this an annual showing of other selected Rhode Island artists is a distinct possibility.



Announcement for 'Riverside Under Five.'

The 'Riverside Under Five' artists have equally contributed to all aspects of the show - producing, marketing, curating, etc. - using social media and traditional forms of advertising to their advantage. Of the show, collaborators Jenny Brown said 'this is going to be a really fun event,' and S. W. Dinge said he's 'super excited to be a part of Riverside Under Five.' None of the exhibitors have participated in an exhibition quite like this with these artists.

Alexander Morris's work involves symbiotic relationships that have haunted him his whole life. The textual component of his work is integral to link the tangible and intangible and is featured heavily in his paintings.

The majority of Casey Dana's work is derived from traditional and alternative film photography processes. Her work reflects the interconnectedness of everyone and everything on our shared planet. She prints on hand applied 24K gold leaf to represent the value of every interaction and experience she has.

Jenny Brown has spent two decades making art which questions our long held understandings of time, space, energy, and matter using layered antique collage, alongside elements of painting and drawing; this provides the building blocks for studying and illustrating the complexities of what was, what is, and what could be.

S. W. Dinge's paintings create a balance between color, composition, and line that is simultaneously simple and energetic. He strips things down to basic, non-figurative shapes, impulsive lines and spills of color to create images that can sometimes be playful, sometimes fleeting, or at times aggressive and confrontational, or even all of these things at once.

To learn more about the artists or follow them on Instagram, please see their online presences:

Alexander Morris <u>www.alexandermorrisart.com</u>

Instagram: @alexandermorrisart

Jenny Brown <u>www.jennybrownart.com</u>

Instagram: @jennybrownart

Casey Dana <a href="https://caseydanafilm.com/">https://caseydanafilm.com/</a>

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S. W. Dinge <u>www.swdinge.com</u>

Instagram: <a>@swdinge</a>

'Riverside Under Five' will be held at Luminist Photography studio, 9 Forbes Street in Riverside on April 27th and 28th from 4-7pm.

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## About

Alexander Morris is an award-winning abstract artist who has a robust exhibition history at various galleries and exhibition spaces, including AS220's main gallery (RI), a featured artist of Attleboro Arts Museum's prestigious 8 Visions exhibition (MA). In addition, he has exhibited nationally in various exhibition spaces.

To view Mr. Morris's artworks and sign up for his private mailing list, please visit www.alexandermorrisart.com.