

# JEEHYE SONG

(b. 1991, KOREAN)

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Lives and works in Düsseldorf, Germany



Courtesy of CHOI&CHOI Gallery and the artist

## ABOUT THE ARTIST

Song gets inspired by the absurdity of our domestic life and daily activities, which she transforms into unusual situations and scenarios in order to create new perspectives. She aims to eliminate the barriers and distance between the viewer and the artwork through humor and a playful approach. Her awkwardly constructed bulky characters reference the mundanity and ugliness of regular things and moments. On the other hand, her images are rendered in aesthetically pleasing soft pastel colours, thus adding a pinch of dreamy atmosphere. This creates a contradictory nature where absurdity, ridicule and dream-like state coexist. It is a reflection of one's mental image.

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**Ruhezeit (rest time)**

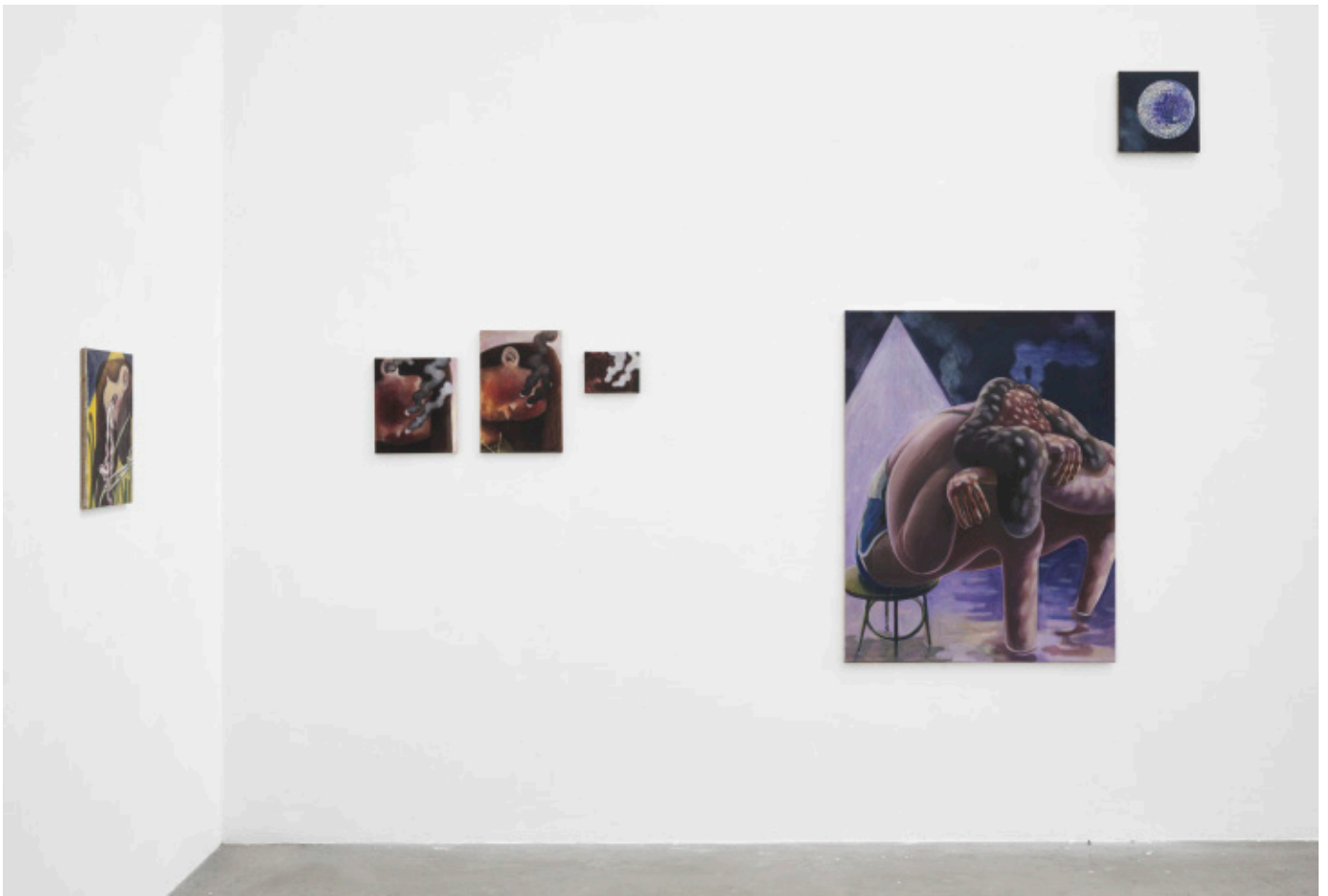
2023

Acrylic and oil on linen

130 x 100 cm, 30 x 30 cm

# Exhibition View

'I'm Burning', Cologne, 2024



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**I'm waiting**

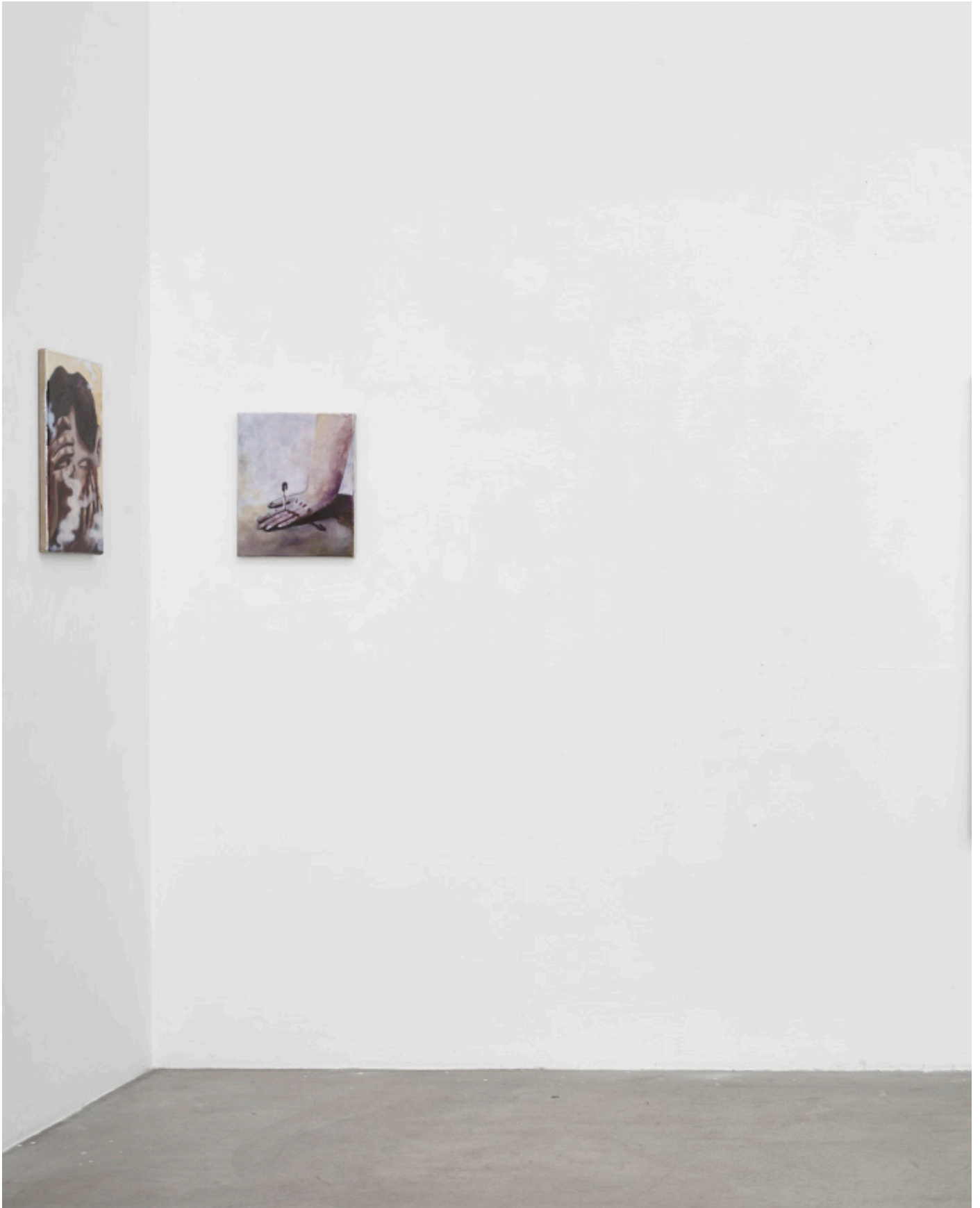
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acrylic on cotton

40 x 30 cm

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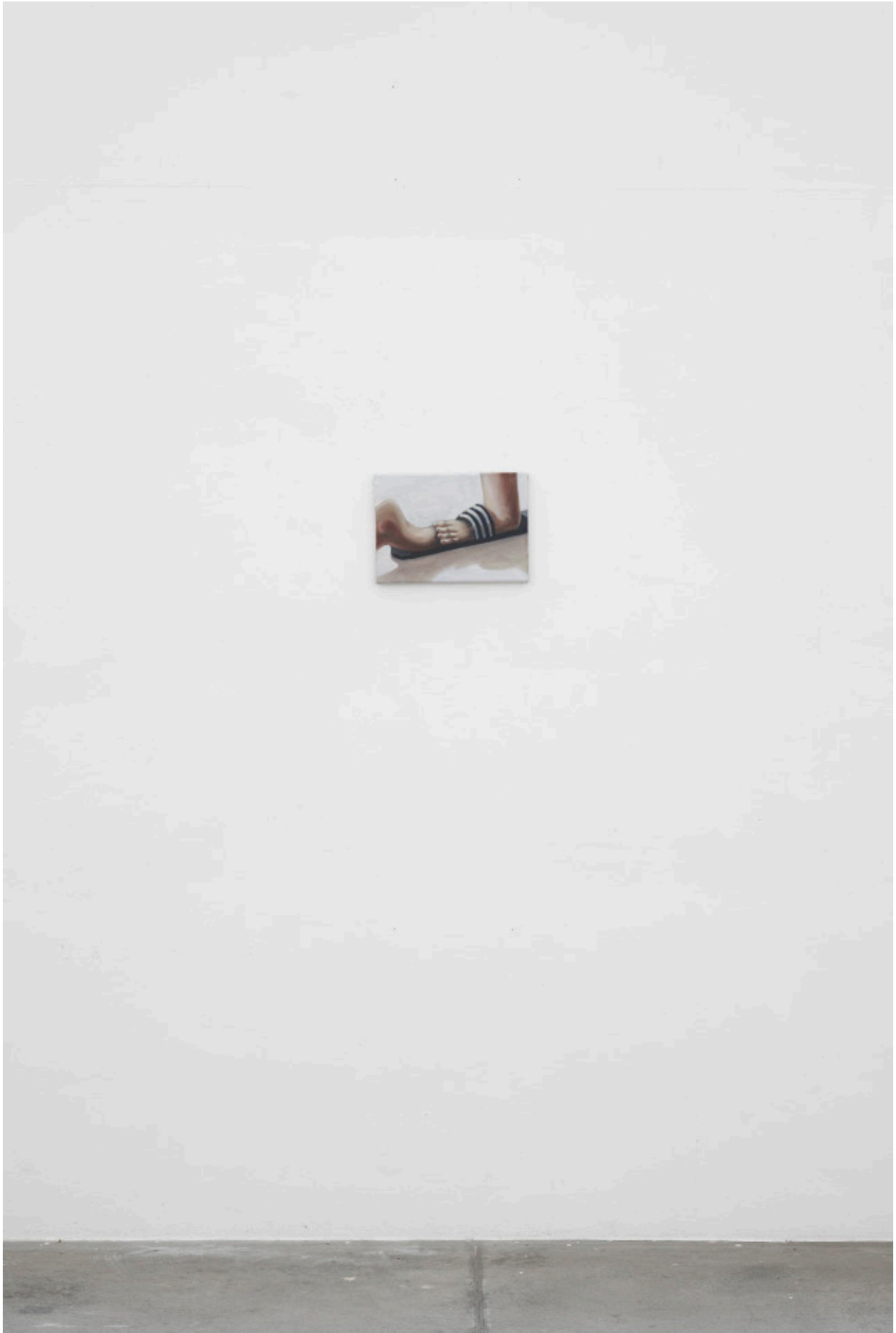
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Oil on linen

25 x 35 cm

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## EDUCATION

- 2009 Studied Printmaking at Chugye University for the Arts, Seoul, South Korea
- 2012 Studied Metal art and Design at Seoul National University of Science & Technology
- 2015 Master Class under Prof. Andreas Schulze and Stefan Kürten at Kunstakademie, Düsseldorf
- 2021 Graduated as Master Scholar (Meisterschüler) of Prof. Andreas Schulze

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 I'm Burning, CHOI&CHOI Gallery, Cologne  
0010#4, curated by Noelia Gaité Gallardo, Berlin  
PULLPUSHPULL, IAH Gallery, Seoul
- 2023 Home Alone, Artistellar Gallery, London  
Tschüss - Mur Brut 26, Kunsthalle, Düsseldorf
- 2022 My Nitting Days, IAH Gallery, Seoul  
Hallo! - Friedrich-Vordemberge-scholarship, Artothek Köln, Cologne  
Enjoy the Silence, Annarumma Gallery, Napoli  
2 O'clock at Night, Pop:68 (Ruttkowski;68), Cologne

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 New heavy shit, NBB, Düsseldorf  
Reflection, IAH Gallery, Seoul
- 2023 HUMAN, CHOI&CHOI Gallery, Seoul  
FRAG DEN ABENDWIND, Akademie Galerie, Düsseldorf  
Figure ground, Seojung Art, Busan  
From Berlin to Seoul: Crossing Horizons, CHOI&CHOI Gallery, HORI Artspace, AIF Lounge, Seoul and  
Bermel von Luxburg Gallery, Berlin  
Dear Dream Dear Dread, HAGD contemporary, Aalborg  
Unexpected, Q18, Cologne
- 2022 Die Grosse 2022, Kunstpalast & NRW Forum, Düsseldorf  
Ida Gerhardi Förderpreis 2022, Municipal Gallery of Lüdenscheid  
Kunst Aktuell, Kunstverein Rosenheim, Rosenheim  
Under the Same Sky, Riana Raouna gallery, Cyprus
- 2021 Ausgenfällig / Fresch Positions, BBK Düsseldorf  
Young Dreams, Août gallery, Beirut
- 2019 Kunstpreis Junger Westen 2019 Malerei, Art hall der Stadt Recklinghausen

## AWARDS

- 2022 Friedrich-Vordemberge-scholarship  
Graduates Scholarship von Rundstedt  
Nominated for "Ida Gerhardi Award 2022"
- 2019 Nominated for "Kunstpreis Junger Westen 2019 Malerei"