

**ANDRE NAUDE**

**SOLO EXHIBITION**

**ORNAMENT**

**25 OCTOBER 2015**



**St. Lorient**  
est. 1999

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# Press Release

Exhibition by Andre Naude at St. Lorient Fashion & Art Gallery

Opening: **25th October 2015**@ 3:00 pm

## **Exhibition title: *Ornament***

An exhibition of new works, by **Andre Naude**, opens 25th October at St. Lorient Fashion and Art Gallery in Brooklyn, Pretoria. This will be his second show at this venue.

For this Solo Exhibition, the artist investigates traditional and contemporary variations, relevance and signifiers of ornament. He focuses on extrapolating the essence of adornment, by using mixed media paints on various surfaces and embellishes these. The unpacking of the content relates to fashion models in shop windows of haute couture establishments.

This is a recurring theme in the oeuvre of the artist. He cross-references textiles, beadwork and impasto paint. These indulgent works amplify the synergy between painting, installation, shop front display and Fashion. Detail such as buttons, are reproduced on larger scale thus blurring Function and ornament.

Andre Naude subverts ornament with elegant sabotage. By means of deconstruction, predictable aesthetic is altered. Visual dialogue between various genres, result in Deco - Camouflage. Paloma Picasso, Karl Lagerfeld, Alexander Mc Queen converse with Paladino, Jackson Pollock, and Damien Hirst respectively, and in doing this, the artists are signifiers of the contemporary creative process.

The exhibition concludes 13 December 2015

# ARTWORKS/ PAINTING



**ANDRE NAUDE**

*"Veiled"*

**Oil canvas**

**30 x 30 cm**



**ANDRE NAUDE**  
***"Outlaw"***  
**Acrylic on board**  
**30 x 30 cm**



**ANDRE NAUDE**  
*"Brooch"*  
**Oil on canvas**  
**30 x 30 cm**



**ANDRE NAUDE**  
***"Incognito"***  
**Oil On canvas**  
**40x 40 cm**



**ANDRE NAUDE**  
***"Maquette"***  
**Acrylic on canvas**  
**50 x 50 cm**



**ANDRE NAUDE**  
***"Template"***  
**Acrylic on canvas**  
**50 x 50 cm**





**ANDRE NAUDE**  
***“Mistress of the Hunt”***  
**Acrylic on canvas**  
**51 x 51 cm**



**ANDRE NAUDE**  
*"Ekcessive"*  
**Acrylic on canvas**  
**51 x 51 cm**



**ANDRE NAUDE**  
***"Meeting interesting people"***  
**Oil on canvas**  
**84 x 60 cm**



**ANDRE NAUDE**  
**Ramp model I**  
**Acrylic on canvas**  
**102 x 76 cm**



**ANDRE NAUDE**  
**Ramp model II**  
**Acrylic on canvas**  
**102 x 76 cm**