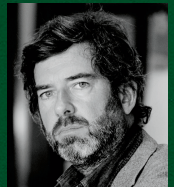


# Stroke of Genius

FOUR DESIGNERS SHARE THE ARTISTIC TALENTS THEY'RE COLLECTING FOR PROJECTS AND PERSONAL USE ALIKE.

PRODUCED BY KATHRYN GIVEN

“I was immediately drawn to **Paul Kremer’s bold color juxtapositions**, vivid paint application and sensuous use of lines. **I discovered his work last year** through a group exhibition that featured artists engaging with geometric abstraction. **I quickly FaceTimed a client who bought a piece** right then and there.”



—DAVID NETTO, [davidnettodesign.com](http://davidnettodesign.com)

*Window 07* by Paul Kremer, [paulkremer.info](http://paulkremer.info),  
[alexanderberggruen.com](http://alexanderberggruen.com)

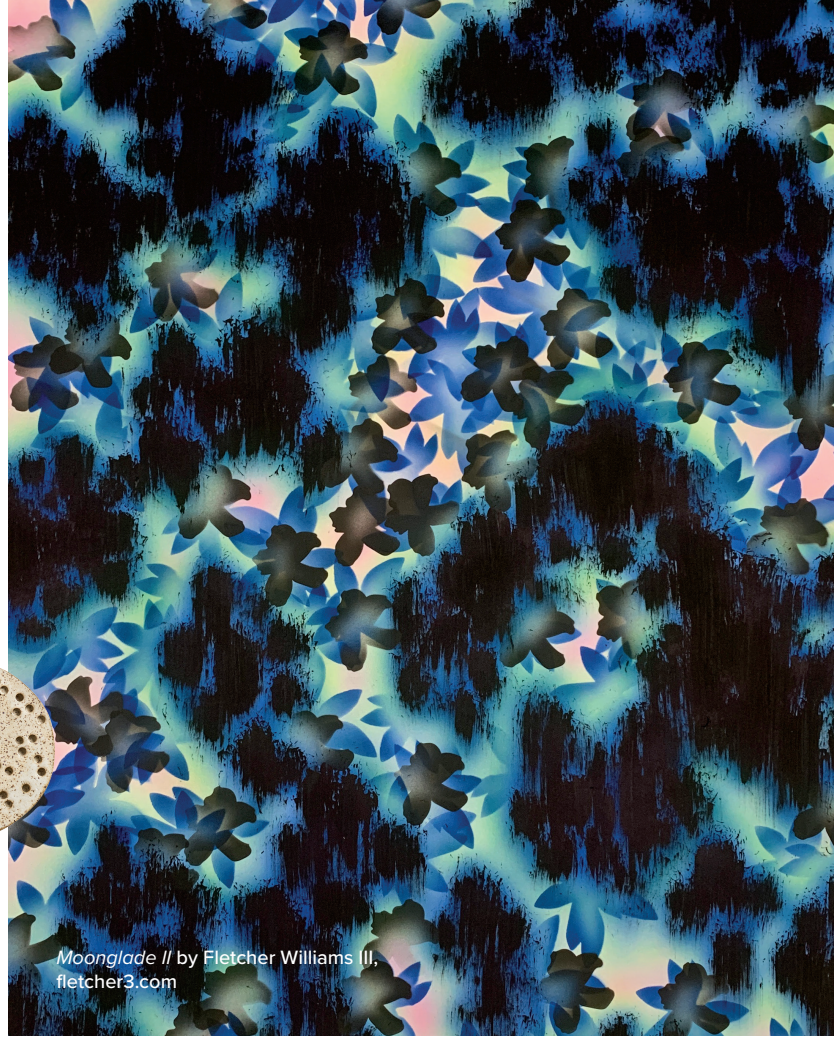
“I was **introduced to Fletcher Williams III on a trip to Charleston**, where I saw his art at the historic Dock Street Theatre.



I love his works on paper and **thoughtful exploration of the American dream’s complexities and symbolism.**

I could see these colorful pieces in my Hudson Valley, New York, home.”

—SHEILA BRIDGES, sheilabridges.com



Moonglade II by Fletcher Williams III, fletcher3.com



Untiled Mural by Carlos Otero, carlos-otero.com, hostlerburrows.com



“Abstract forms in a monochrome finish look good everywhere, and **Carlos Otero’s clay work is dynamite in both contemporary interiors and more traditional settings.** I’m drawn to the idea of this ancient material represented in a modern language.”

—DAVID KAIHOI, reddkaihoi.com



Ocean by David Austen, claydaustenstudio.com, davidtotah.com



“On the surface, **David Austen’s work appears simple**, but when you spend time with it—and with David—you **begin to uncover the world he inhabits.** Each piece is a microcosm that appears as the tip of the iceberg, a snippet of a story that you want to keep listening to and watching.”

—WILL COOPER, ashiscoming.com

SHEILA BRIDGES HEADSHOT: ALARIC CAMPBELL, FLETCHER WILLIAMS III PHOTO: COURTESY ARTIST, WILL COOPER HEADSHOT: COURTESY DESIGNER, DAVID AUSTEN PHOTO: COURTESY ARTIST AND TOTAH; DAVID KAIHOI HEADSHOT: JAKA VINSEK, CARLOS OTERO PHOTO: JOE KRAMM, COURTESY ARTIST AND HOSTLER BURROWS.