

# HASHIMOTO CONTEMPORARY

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## *Winter Camp*

a group exhibition with The Jaunt  
December 7th - 21st, 2024

SAN FRANCISCO— Earlier this year, The Jaunt and Hashimoto Contemporary sent Seonna Hong, Genevieve Cohn and Bianca Nemelc to the Pacific North West for a week long residency to soak up the lush forests and cold mountainous terrain together. Removed from their daily routines, each artists' directive was to find inspiration from their new surroundings and each other. The exhibition will feature new paintings and works on paper inspired by their trip.

West from the city of Seattle, you'll find the Olympic National Park, and just below the National Park you will find the small city of Shelton. The land was previously called 'Cota' and was inhabited and managed by the Squaxin Island Tribe, later called Sheltonville when it was officially incorporated in 1890, and nowadays just Shleton, WA. With a long tradition in logging and lumber milling, and the abundance of fire and pine trees growing in the area, it explains why the city is also referred to as Christmastown, USA.

The first *Winter Camp* with The Jaunt included hikes through the Olympic National Park among towering trees, fresh snowfall and crisp air, as well as cozy evenings cooking together and discussing life. Sharing common threads and divergent paths amongst each other's experiences as artists and women navigating the world, the week long residency allowed artists from different locales, backgrounds and generations to create community. Each of the artists' new works reflect the lush natural environment found in the Pacific Northwest and one another.

Join us on December 7th from 5-7 pm for the opening of *Winter Camp*. For more information on the exhibition or exclusive content and images, contact [SF@hashimotocontemporary.com](mailto:SF@hashimotocontemporary.com).



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## **WHAT**

*Winter Camp*

a group exhibition with The Jaunt

featuring Genevieve Cohn, Seonna Hong and Bianca Nemelc

## **WHERE:**

Hashimoto Contemporary

1275 Minnesota Street, San Francisco, CA

## **WHEN:**

Opening night reception: Saturday, December 7th from 5 - 7 pm

On view: December 7th - 21st, 2024

## **RELEVANT LINKS:**

Hashimoto Contemporary: [hashimotocontemporary.com](https://hashimotocontemporary.com)

The Jaunt: [thejaunt.net](https://thejaunt.net)

## **ABOUT THE JAUNT**

The Jaunt creates unique opportunities and possibilities for artists. The project allows artists to travel the world and find inspiration – a lasting inspiration that potentially permeates their creative process. The Jaunt’s mission is to catalyze progress and feed fresh insight into the artistic practice of our artists. The first step in this process is taking the artist out of their comfort zone and allowing them experience completely new surroundings.

## **ABOUT THE GALLERY**

Hashimoto Contemporary is a contemporary art gallery originally founded in 2013 by Ken Harman Hashimoto. In 2023 the gallery announced two new partners, Dasha Matsuura and Jennifer Rizzo. Our roster consists of an eclectic blend of emerging and mid-career contemporary artists working primarily within our respective local communities. Hashimoto Contemporary provides a platform for artists whose identities and subjects have been historically relegated to the margins, as well as artists whose practices fit neatly into the canon of art history. You can find us at the Minnesota Street Project (San Francisco), the Lower East Side (New York City) and Culver City (Los Angeles) where our three spaces organize new exhibitions monthly.