





JULIANA, 2019, oil, 80 x 63 cm

## **Bettina Newbery**

stablishing an immediate connection with the viewer, British artist Bettina Newbery paints fine oil portraits inspired by fashion and popular culture. The main protagonists are beautiful and thoughtful women in the modern world, surrounded by elements of fashion and bright passages of colour; the nuances and shades may be very subtle, yet they give us the sense of texture and depth that bring the gift of magic to her paintings.

As such, they appeal to the viewer's moods and emotions; they grab you, they look at you and they draw you in. As pieces of visual fiction they amuse, charm, delight and intrigue the viewer.

The past year has seen the creation of works rich in geometric evolutions which portray modern women; her way of storytelling developing a new perspective and enhancing the underlying narrative.

Bettina has been painting since the 1980s, in oil and on silk. Exhibition dates for 2021 will be confirmed later this year - following international exhibitions in Paris, Bologna and London in 2019.

In the meantime, visit her website to purchase unconventionally fresh portrait work.

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ALEX, 2020, oil, 76 x 59 cm