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**ZHANG QI** *LONE LIGHT*

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**Tube BOOTH** is pleased to present the first solo exhibition of Zhang Qi, a Chinese artist who lives and works in Venice.

Light, color, and emotion intertwine like threads of a dream in this exhibition, where Qi Zhang’s artistic journey unfolds as a spiritual exploration of abstract illusion.

With an instinct for the unexpected, the artist weaves together seemingly unrelated elements, placing them in carefully crafted contexts that radiate a surreal, almost cinematic atmosphere. His vibrant colors and whisper-light brushstrokes form harmonious dialogues on the canvas—moments of delicate intensity.

Driven by a desire to capture poetic beauty, Qi Zhang builds each work through a nuanced choreography of tones and textures, layering meaning as one might layer memory or feeling.

His paintings breathe in quiet contemplation, only to be stirred by sudden pulses—bursts of rhythm that jolt the calm, like a heartbeat in stillness. These contrasts are not disruptions, but revelations.

At the heart of his vision lies a dance between order and dissonance, a visual symphony that doesn’t just invite the eye—it sings to it. Emotion becomes color, silence becomes light, and the canvas becomes a space where the invisible finds form.

**Zhang Qi** (1999, China)

He graduated from the High School of Lanzhou and earned his degree from the Academy of Fine Arts in Florence. He is currently attending the Academy of Fine Arts in Venice.

Selected exhibitions:

*Feast and Banquet, Shots in the Forest*, 107th Collective Exhibition of Young Artists, Galleria San Marco, Bevilaqualamasa (2025), Venice*; Atelier.it* , *A viaticum in pictorial practices*, a reconnaissance of Italian painting with ten artists selected by Andrea Bruciati and Lorenza Boisi, Antiquarium of the Sanctuary of Hercules Victor, Tivoli (2025); Extra Ordinario, workshop and group exhibition curated by Daniele Capra, Nico Covre, Carlo Di Raco and Martino Scavezzon, Antares Pavilion, VEGA, Venice (2024); Combat Prize, Giovanni Fattori Civic Museum, Livorno, (2024).

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