

Art

Matthew Heller: You Are Everything

In the wake of a super-successful show at LA's Jaxon House, Matthew Heller's new Glü gallery exhibition comes with understandably high expectations attached. The buzz around the LA-based artist's line drawings and paintings couldn't be better: even the international community is atwitter with tales of his talent. Using swashes of color over strong, solid strokes, Heller creates complex narratives that at once embody and attack essential aspects of the human experience. His muddy, shapeless (though clearly human) characters are both abstract and accessible, creating a bold dynamic that both embraces and erases emotion ~ all with a hint of color, of course. (MSS)