

THE BLOG

Top 10 Painting Shows You'll Be Talking About This Month

September is now upon us, as art collectors return to their city homes, bronzed and relaxed from the summer sun. As a first taste of fall, we've rounded up a selection of exhibitions featuring painting that we are looking forward to, from Tokyo to Los Angeles and everywhere in between.

[Yuh-Shioh Wong](#), [Alex Chaves](#)

[Night Gallery, Los Angeles](#),

12 September - 10 October

Yuh-Shioh Wong's new work has a breezy lightness to it, perhaps due to a change in location. Now based in Los Angeles (formerly in New York, and after a stint in San Francisco), the artist's paintings, in acrylic and aqua oil, while still drawing from nature, have become steadily more abstract and lyrical as well, with a light, aqueous and sun-drenched palette. In the project room at Night Gallery, one will find works by painter and poet Alex Chaves, along with a hand-painted rug that runs the entire length of the room. A book of poetry by Chaves, titled [Abigail Adams](#), published by Penny-Ante, will be launched during the run of the exhibition.

--Natalie Hegert