



**StART ART KOREA**

# **Ohnim Solo Exhibition**

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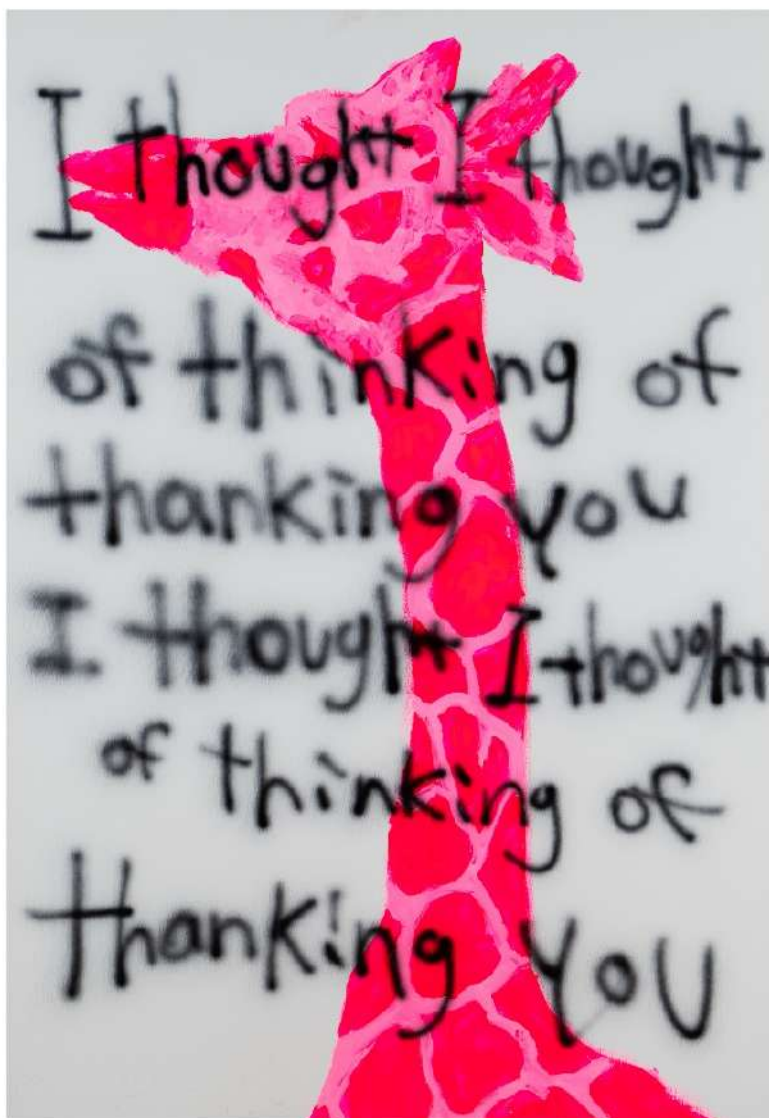
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StART+ START PLUS  
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**On 15 December 2022 StART Art Korea will open a StART+ Exhibition at its new Songdong-gu gallery. The exhibition titled ‘Thanking you’ will be the artist Ohnim’s first solo show.**

Minho SONG, who began his career as a member of the Korean boy band “WINNER” in 2014, is not only a stand out singer and music producer but has also recently revealed his artistic side in the art market through an art management contract with K-PLUS, a comprehensive media entertainment company. Through this inaugural solo exhibition, Ohnim will present more than 20 artworks, including many that have not been exhibited previously.

Ohnim participated in the 9<sup>th</sup> edition of StART Art Fair London (12-16 October 2022), Saatchi Gallery, London where his works were well received by collectors and art-lovers alike. The artist’s deep personality allows him to disentangle and express emotion through his practice. Using his signature use of intense, vivid colours and distinct shapes, in this solo exhibition, he has captured every moment of his personal experiences on canvas. Through his artworks, (which will be exhibited together with accompanying descriptions), visitors will discover the works contain introspection on life, expectations, excitement and anxiety about the future.

A series of new works, that take inspiration from Ohnim’s own unique experiences, will also be presented. In the ‘Giraffe’ series, symbols different from in previous works are hidden everywhere. Visitors will be able to imagine how Ohnim’s emotional story connects with the new iconography. The exhibition is divided into three themes. The first is growth through emotion, the second is awareness through experience, and the last is harmony and hope.

Ohnim explains “I reproduced myself into the work expressing my own emotions. This is the first solo exhibition that reveals my life as an artist, which I thought to be a distant dream, it is an exhibition that announces a new beginning and my moving on to the next chapter”.

StART Art Korea, comments “Visitors will discover his surprising ability and solid skills as a visual artist. The show is so exceptional that we plan to tour it around the world and provide the broadest audience an opportunity to appreciate Ohnim’s art practice physically.”



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Acrylic on canvas

162.2 x 130.3 cm

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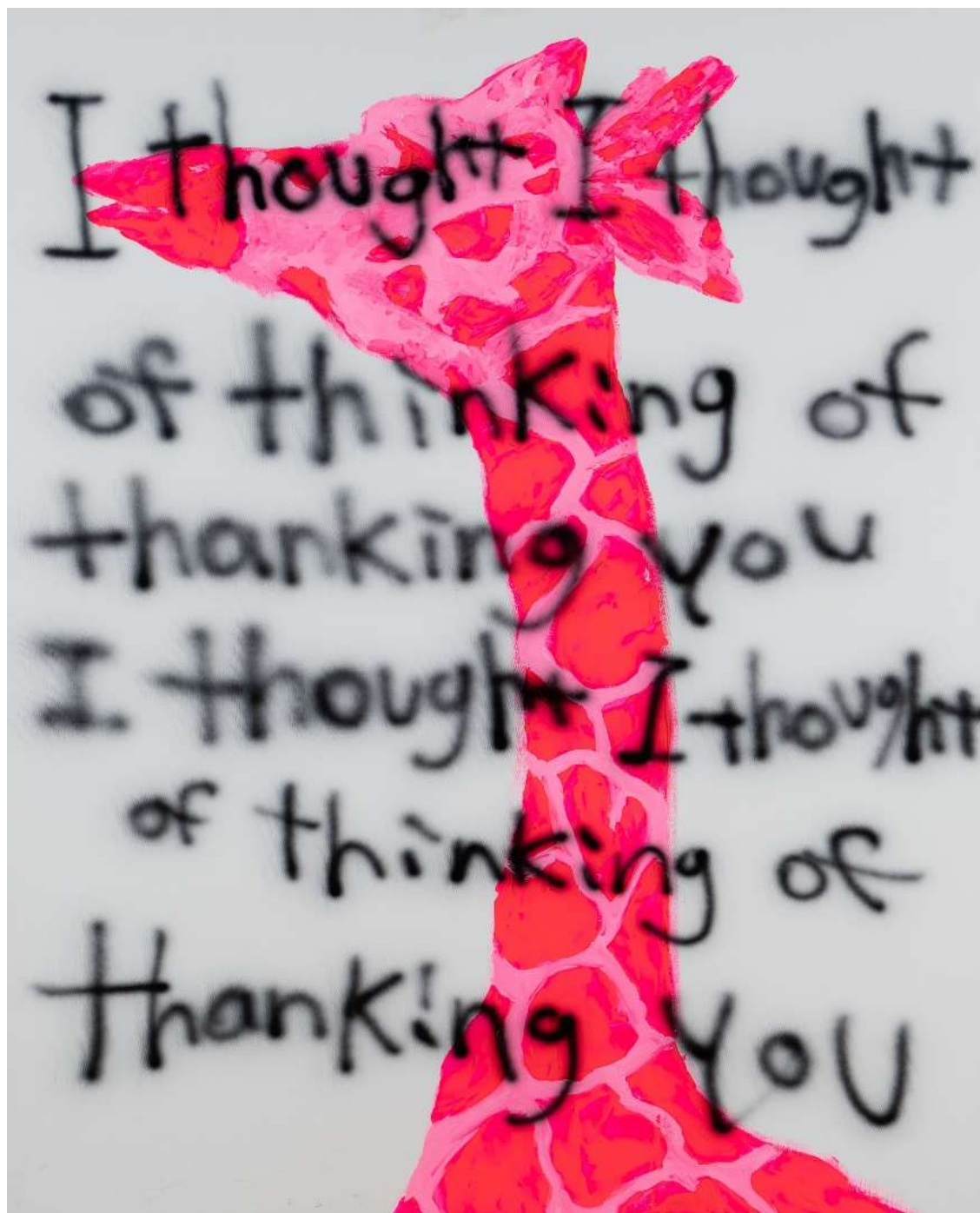
*Giraffe In My Eyes 1*

Acrylic on canvas

145.5 x 112.1 cm

2022





*I Thought*

Acrylic on canvas

116.5 x 80.5 cm

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