



### **Ivan Saucedo**

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Born 1995 in Pomona, CA, Ivan Saucedo has been a part of the artistic community at Tierra del Sol Studios since 2020. Saucedo began making art as a child and primarily works with markers as his preferred medium. Saucedo's creative process begins with the recollection of a vivid image from his memory, which he then sketches before recreating the same composition in color on a larger sheet of paper. Working with a more saturated, deeply toned color palette, Saucedo's works are recognizable by the short, repetitive strokes of marker he uses to create a richly textured surface. Saucedo portrays landscapes of iconic locations in major metropolitan areas. His interest in architecture is a prominent aspect of his expansive body of work. The artist finds inspiration in the skyline and the designs that emerge from the buildings he draws—such as windows on a skyscraper or tree-lined streets—using those patterns and motifs to inform his abstract practice. Saucedo utilizes the same methodology as he comfortably oscillates between subjective and abstract work. While his cityscapes are meticulous and incorporate numerous details, his abstract art is characterized by repeating patterns and a more spontaneous approach. For Saucedo, the completion of a work is signaled by the initiation of a new piece, reflecting his continuous and evolving artistic journey.