

Black artists are the storytellers of our past, present, and future. Your work captures our history, fuels our activism, and inspires generations. Your art serves as a powerful conduit for connection, education, and cultural preservation.

At **Pigment International**®, we have been privileged to build relationships with artists across the country and around the world. Our mission is to spotlight the people, issues, trends, and events shaping Black contemporary art—and as an artist, you are at the center of that story.

This October, join us for a groundbreaking celebration during Black Fine Art Month—*Pigmented: Black Fine Art Faire* in Chicago. *Pigmented* is not just an art fair. This historic event was created to unite leading galleries, visionary artists, and influential arts organizations from across the Midwest, connecting them with collectors, curators and others in the Black art ecosystem.

In a city renowned for its vibrant art scene, Pigmented stands apart as Chicago's inaugural Black-run art fair—a rare and vital platform in a landscape where few exist nationwide. This is your exclusive opportunity to experience transformative exhibitions, engage in dynamic conversations, and celebrate the richness and diversity of Black artistic expression.

Since our first Miami art show in 2018, Pigment International has hosted exhibitions and events in Chicago and traveled the world—from Chicago to Morocco, Baltimore to Berlin, and New Orleans to New York—ensuring that Black art is chronicled, valued, and celebrated on a global scale.

Our goals for **Pigmented** are aligned with the world's top art fairs:

- Connecting artists with serious collectors
- Providing opportunities for networking and collaboration
- Offering market validation and exposure
- Expanding your global reach
- Helping you stay ahead of emerging trends
- Driving economic impact within our communities

But **Pigmented** is more than just an art fair. It is a movement—one that champions self-reliance, recirculates Black dollars, and ensures that we write our own history and shape our future.

This is a **must-attend event** for any artist looking to expand their presence, increase visibility, and be part of a growing, thriving Black art ecosystem. Be part of a cultural renaissance that redefines the art world. Together, we'll elevate Black excellence and shape the future of fine art in Chicago.