

GALLERIA ALESSANDRA BONOMO

Drugu Choegyal Rinpoche

OBSERVING THE MIND THROUGH ART

September 27,

6.00 p.m.

Alessandra Bonomo Gallery is delighted to announce the forthcoming exhibition of Drugu Choegyal Rinpoche.

Drugu Choegyal Rinpoche is a Tibetan artist and one of the most important spiritual masters of tantric Buddhism. He lives and works in Himachal Pradesh.

The latest cycle of works, *Observing the Mind through Art*, is inspired by the nature of the mind and the manifestations of its wisdom and compassion.

The abstract paintings and calligraphy in the show represent diverse states of meditation and contemplation and the visions that arise from them, from this the title *Observing the Mind through Art*.

His knowledge of Occidental painters such as the Impressionists and in particular Monet, has influenced the evolution of his art.

In the last years, the work of Drugu Choegyal Rinpoche has developed from classical Tibetan figurative iconography towards a free and spontaneous style where every gesture is born out of intuition.

Drugu Choegyal Rinpoche promotes the preservation of Tibetan culture and painting, helping young Tibetan artists of the diaspora in India and Nepal.

The entirety of the proceeds of the exhibition will benefit his remarkable projects that unite art and spirituality.