

Bryn K. McConnell

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Artist Statement

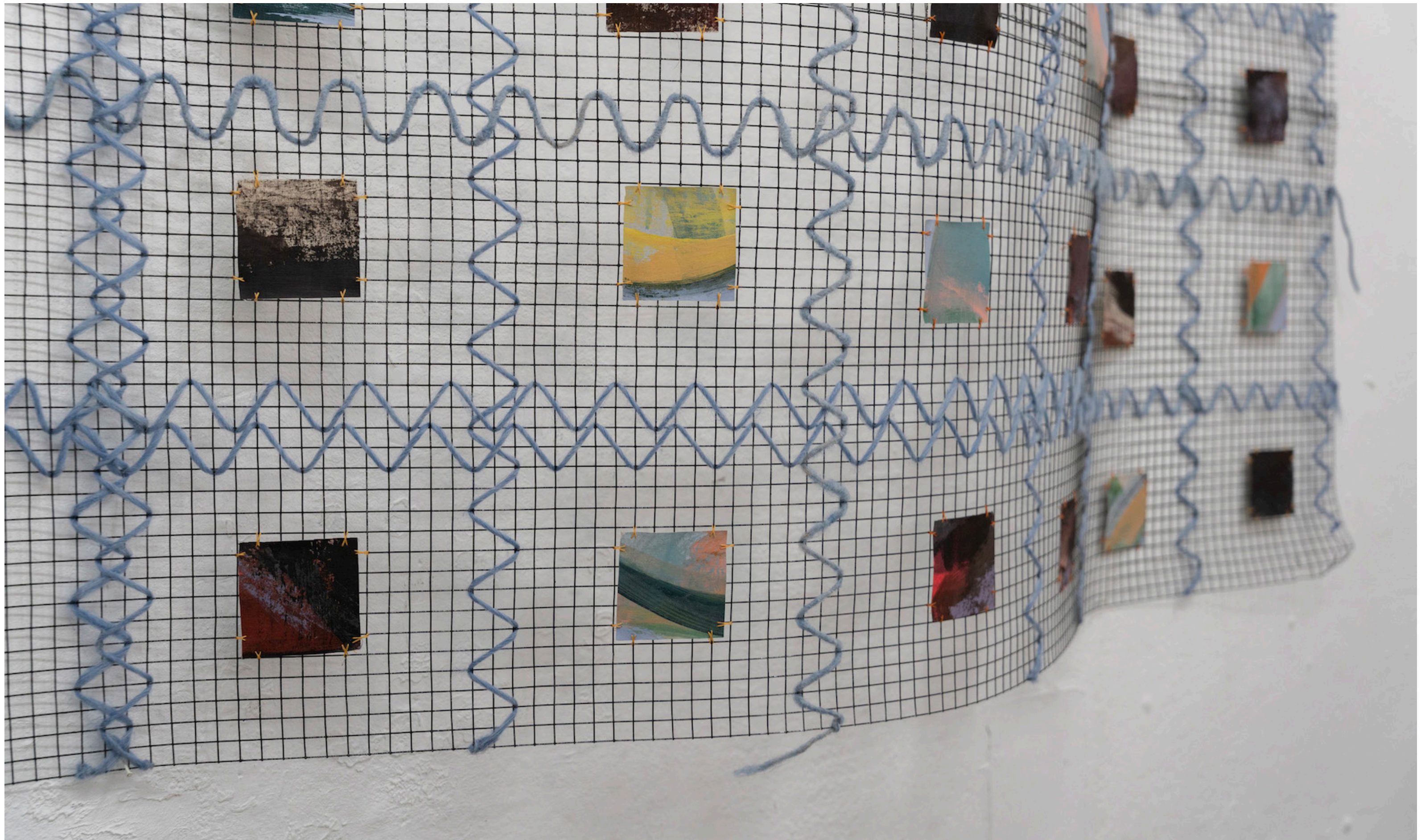


Bryn McConnell is a textile artist whose practice involves weaving and sewing contemporary materials into abstract collages. Her work explores patterning and storytelling with repetitive and meticulous construction methods. Bryn holds a degree in architecture from Tulane University, which informs her approach to creating art.

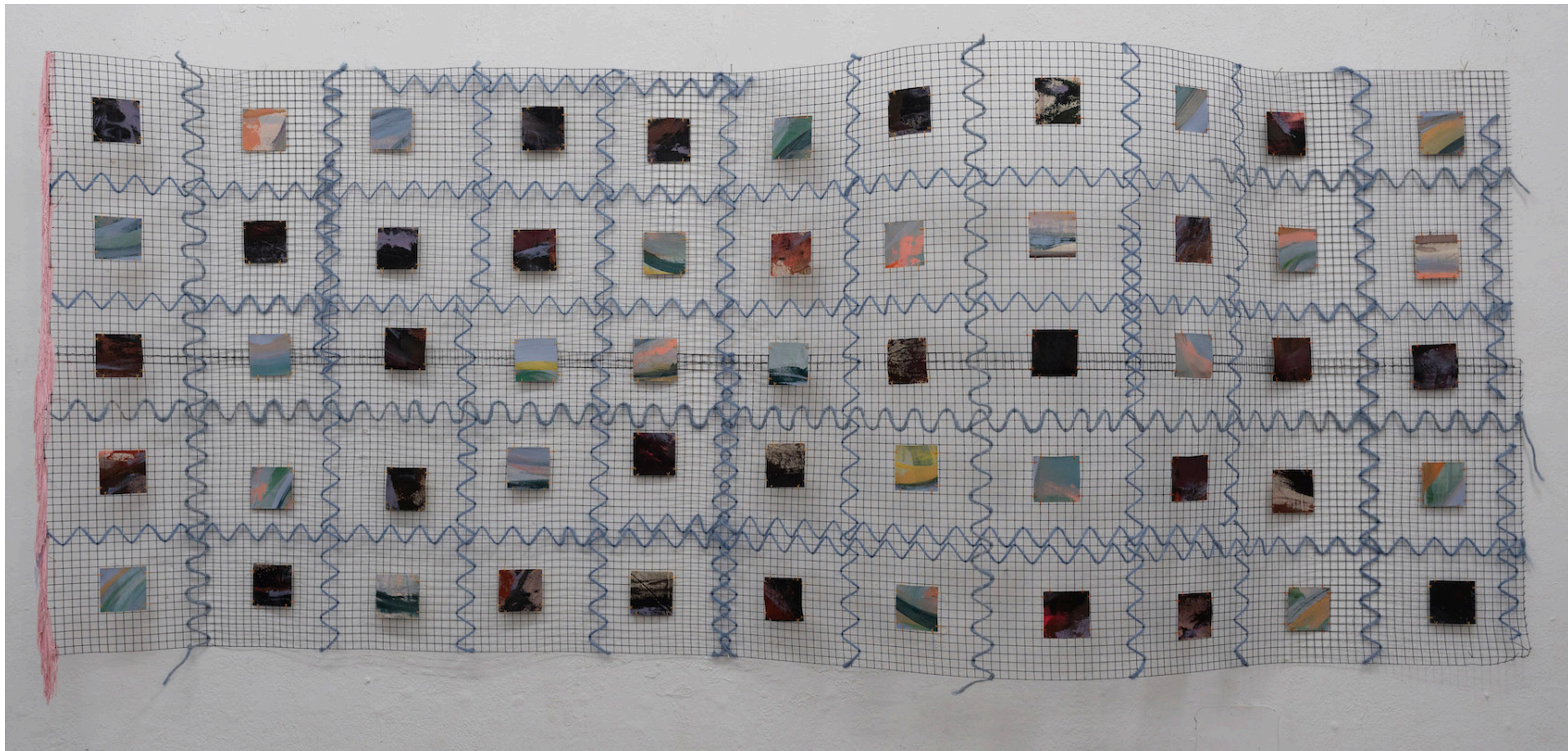
Bryn's weavings are built on a metal grid structure. She describes the grid both as a constraint and as a framework that allows creativity to flow. With fabric, wire, or a needle and thread, she delicately sews rhythmic and textured landscapes. Her use of unexpected and disparate materials mesh into a harmonious fabric reflecting the interconnection of all things.

Bryn's previous body of work analyzes her journey of moving from New Orleans, USA to Berlin, Germany. She weaves together narratives of home with insights gained from her new environment. Guided by lessons Bryn learned while living in New Orleans, her work ultimately examines a search for finding belonging within a foreign city.

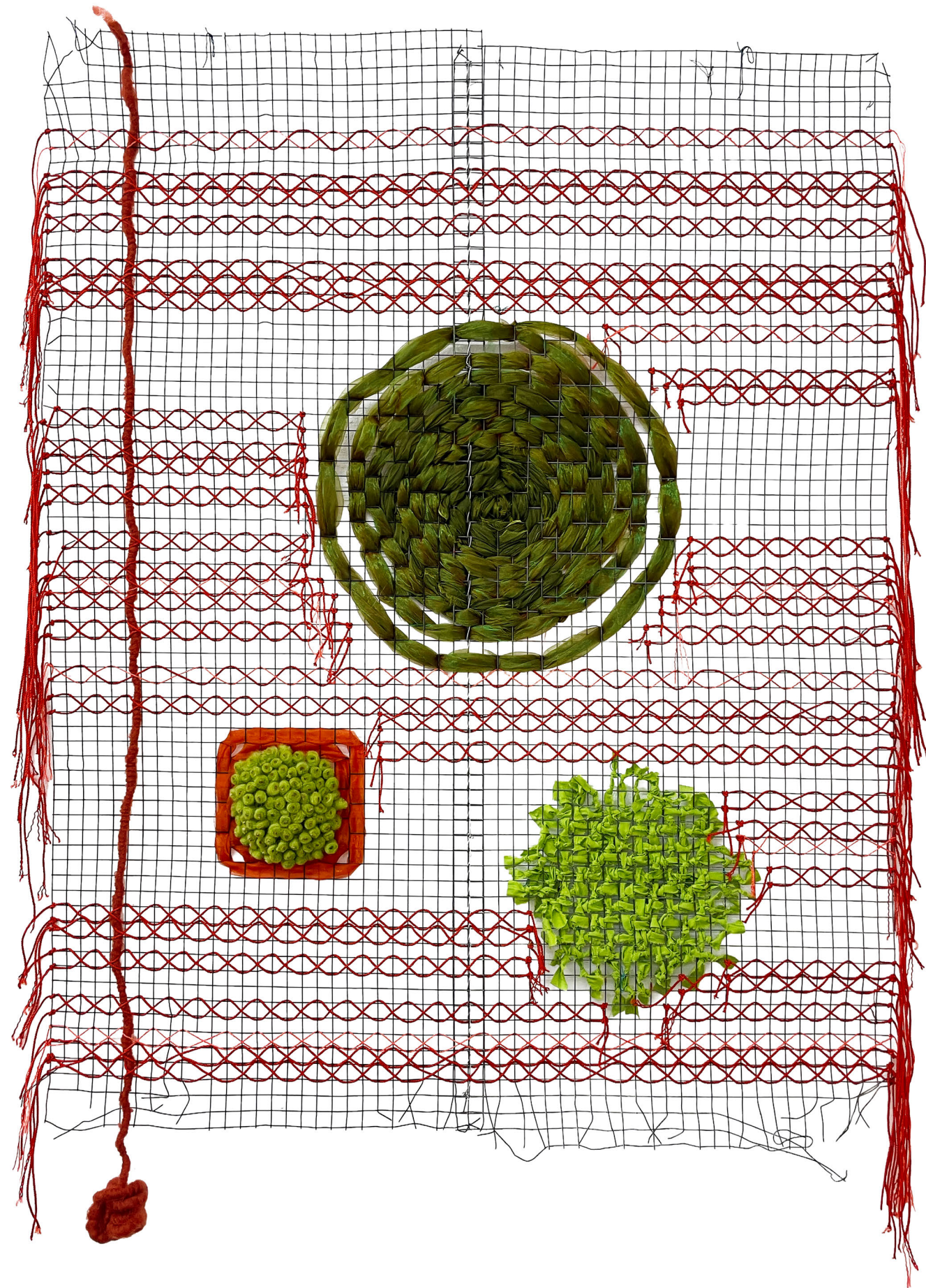
Bryn is now continuing to explore the possibilities for her unique material technique to be applied for design and architectural purposes. Inspired by traditional practices of quilting and weaving, Bryn honors historically feminized crafts with a refreshing and contemporary perspective.



Looking Up, 2025. 100 x 250 cm - Detail View
Mixed Media: Steel mesh, wool, canvas, acrylic, thread
100 x 250 cm - Detail View

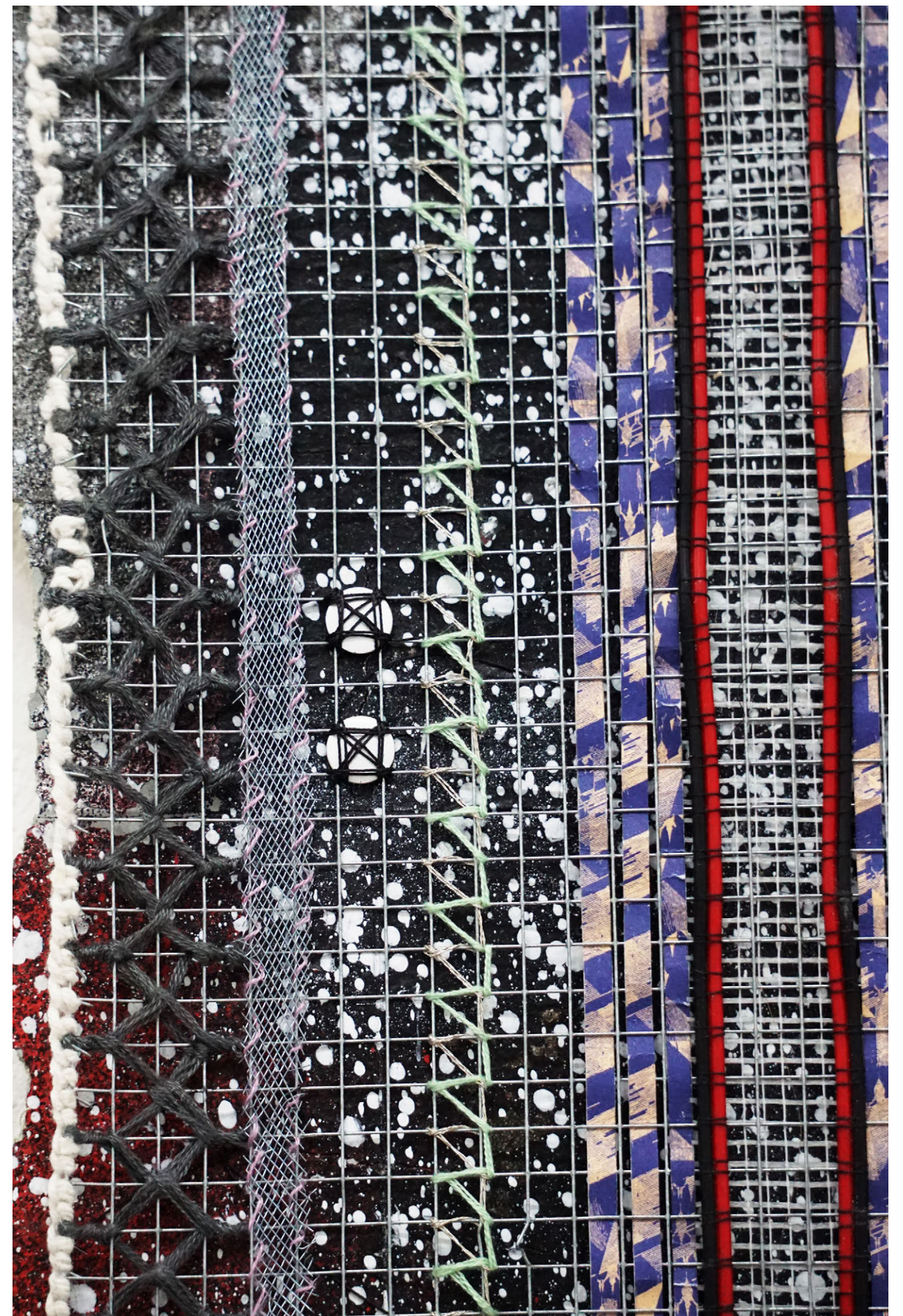
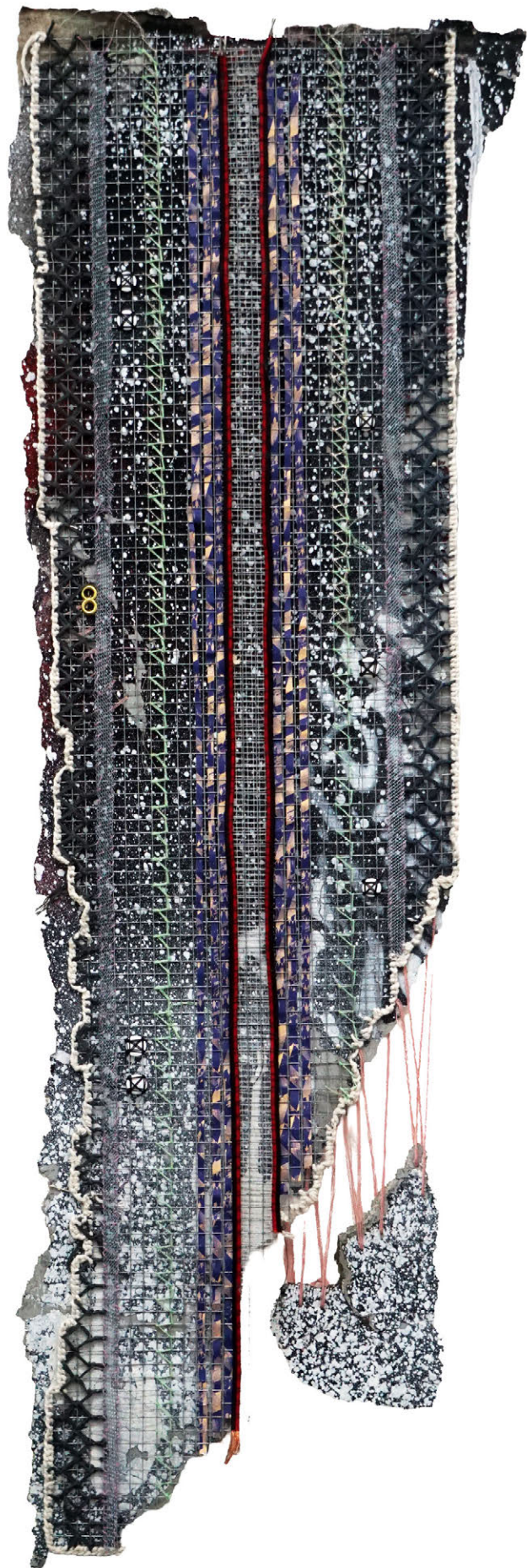


Looking Up, 2025.
Mixed Media: Steel mesh, wool, canvas, acrylic, thread
100 x 250 cm



***Breaking Bad Habits*, 2025.**
Mixed Media: Steel mesh, cord, wool, fabric, thread
155 x 112 cm



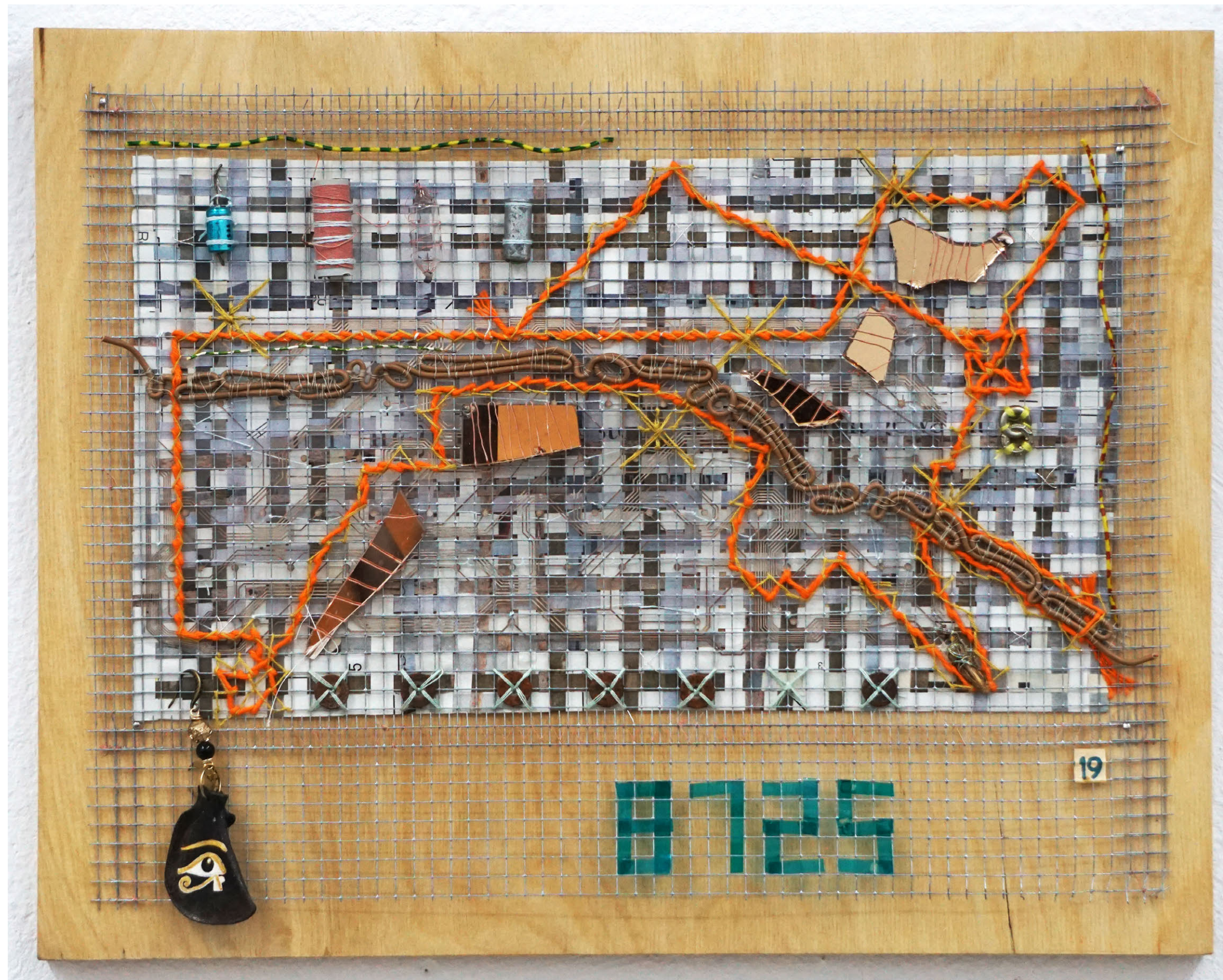


Kottbusser Damm, 2025.
Mixed Media: Metal mesh, thread, wire, paper, found object
75 x 21 cm

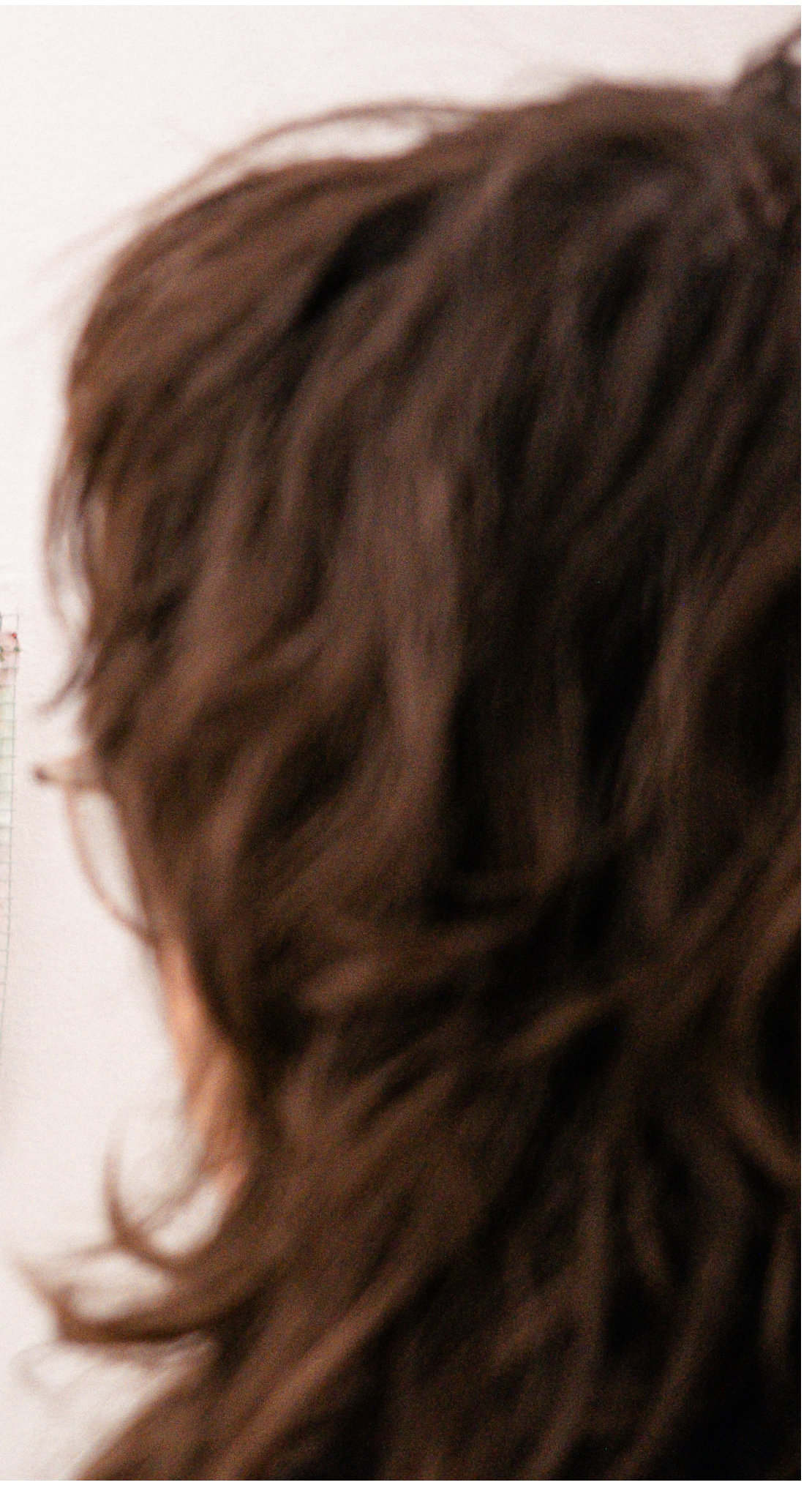
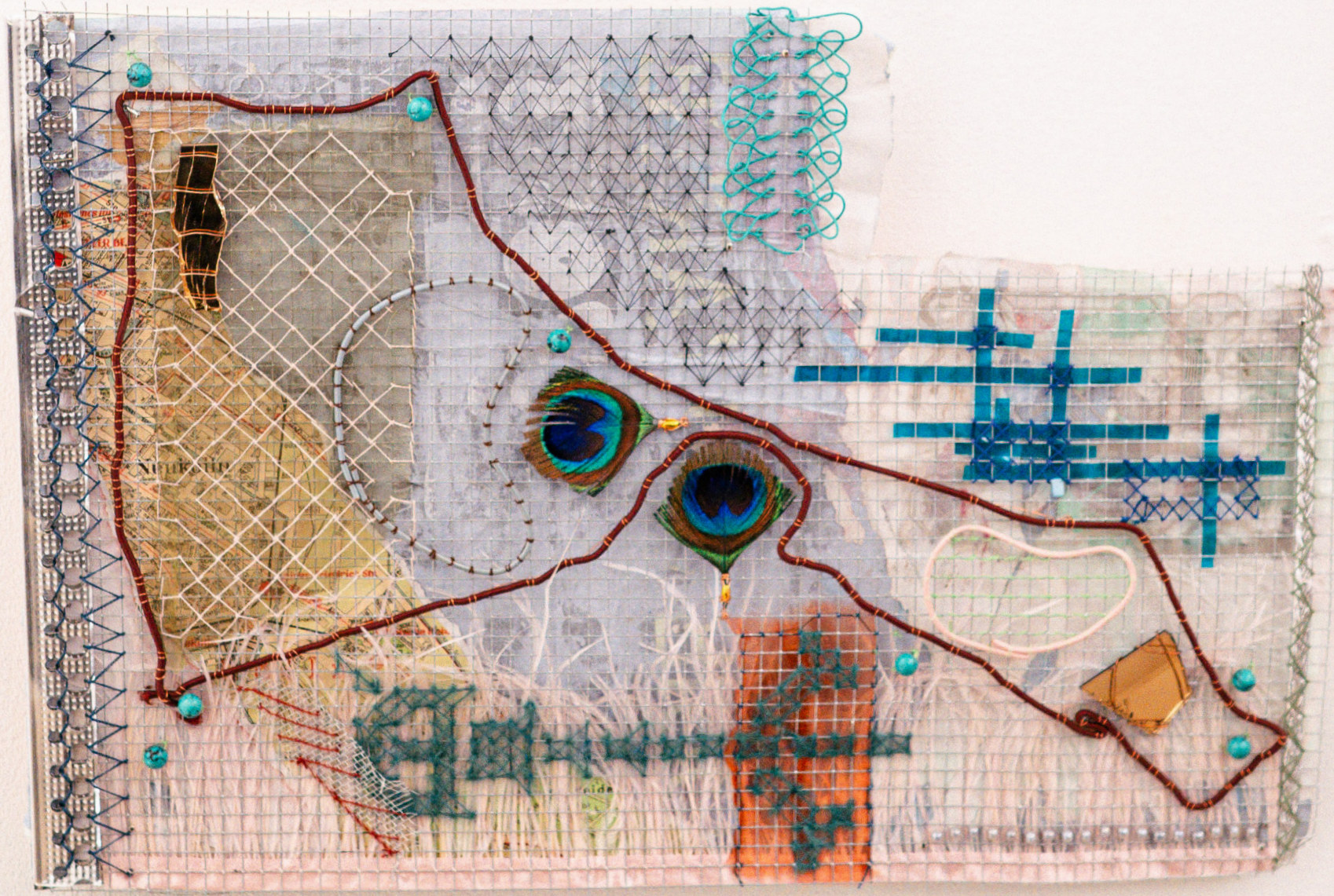
Detail View

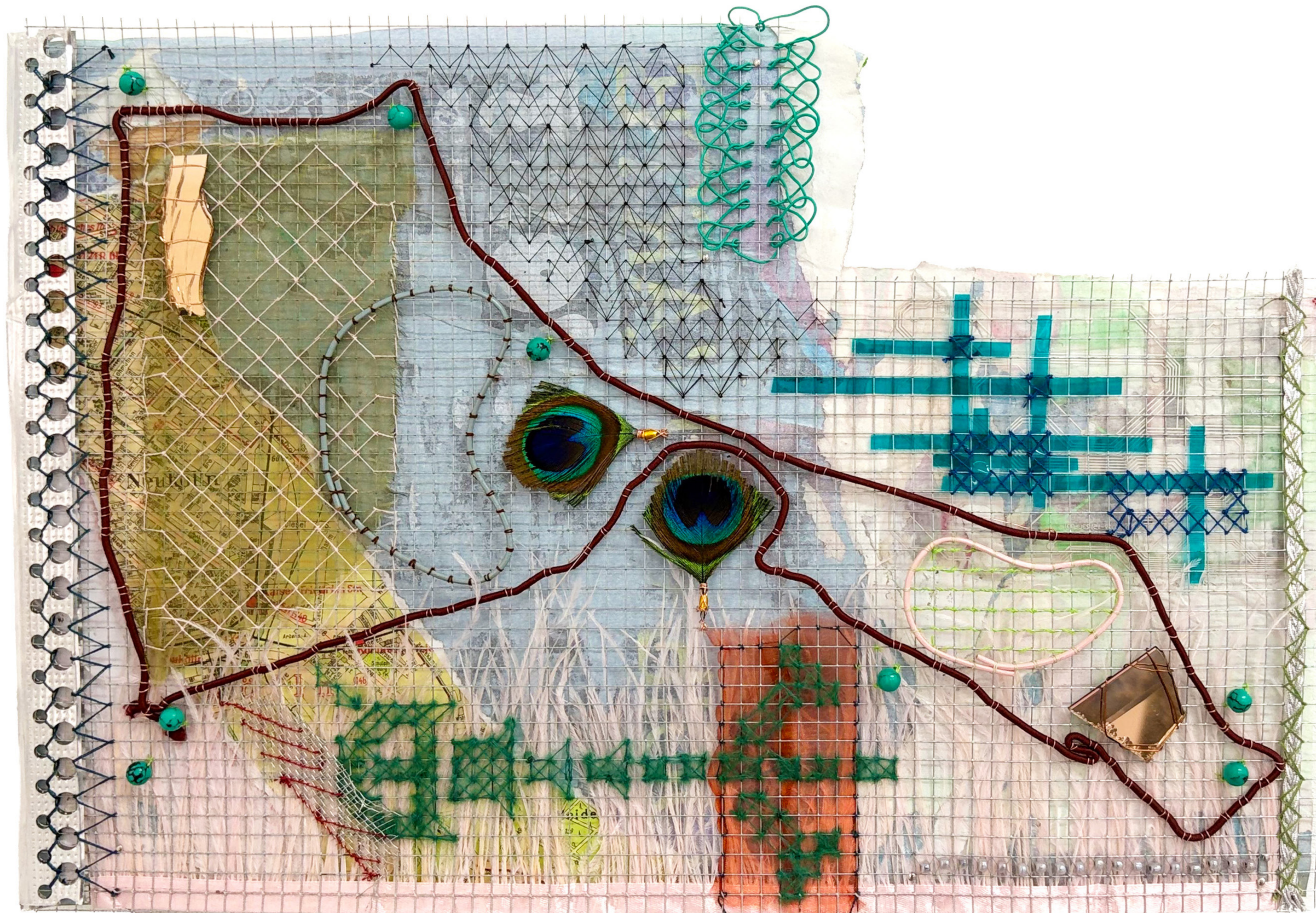


South Star, 2026.
Mixed Media: Metal mesh, fabric, thread, wool, feathers, found object
31 x 18 x 18 cm



Spaziergang durch Kreuzberg, 2025.
Mixed Media: Metal mesh, paper, mirror, wire, thread, found object
32 x 40.5 cm

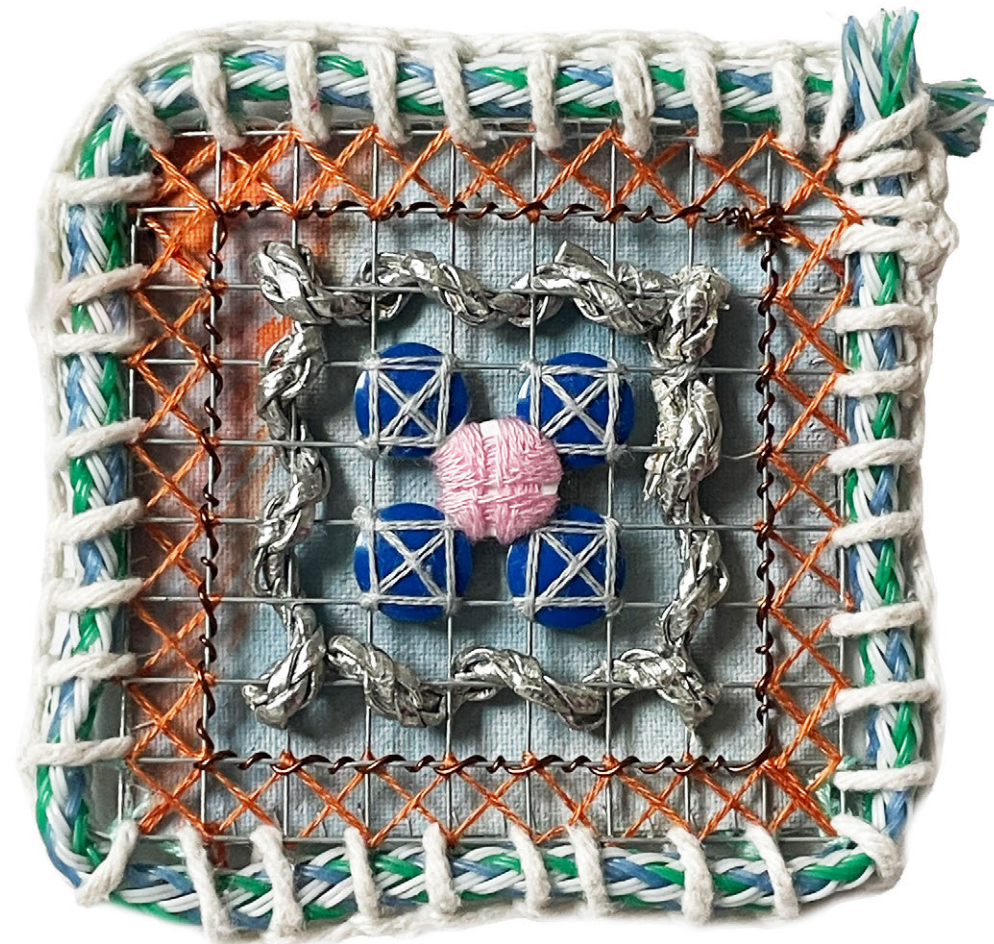




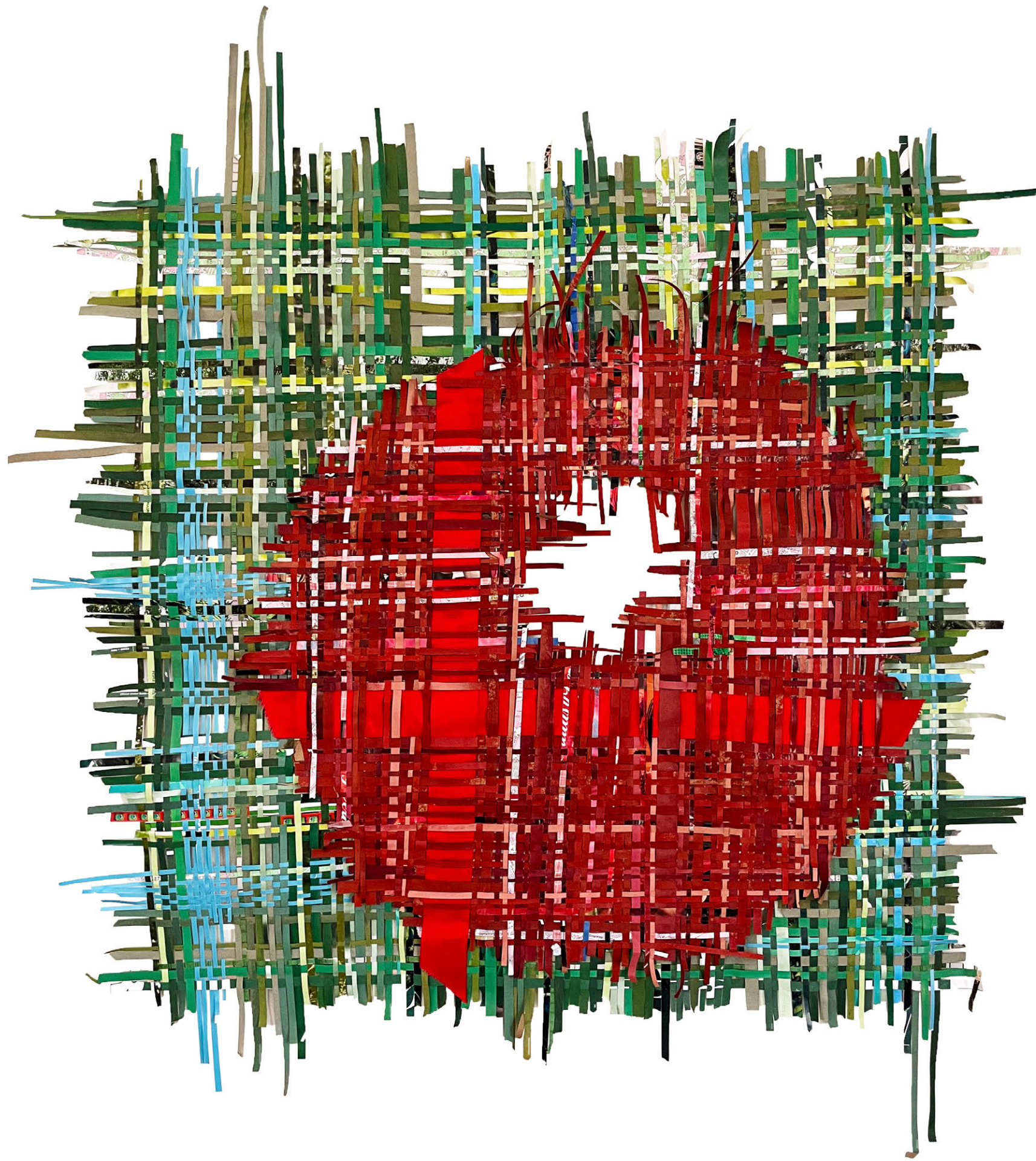
Commute, 2026.
Mixed Media: Metal mesh, thread, feathers, fabric, mirror, wire, found object
30 x 43 cm



22.07.25, 2025
Mixed Media: Metal mesh, yarn, paper, thread, beads, mirror, found object
7 x 9 cm



31.09.2025, 2025
Mixed Media: Metal mesh, yarn, thread, copper wire, leather, found object
7 x 7 cm



How I Remember It, 2025 71 x 71 cm
Mixed Media: Paper, Ribbon



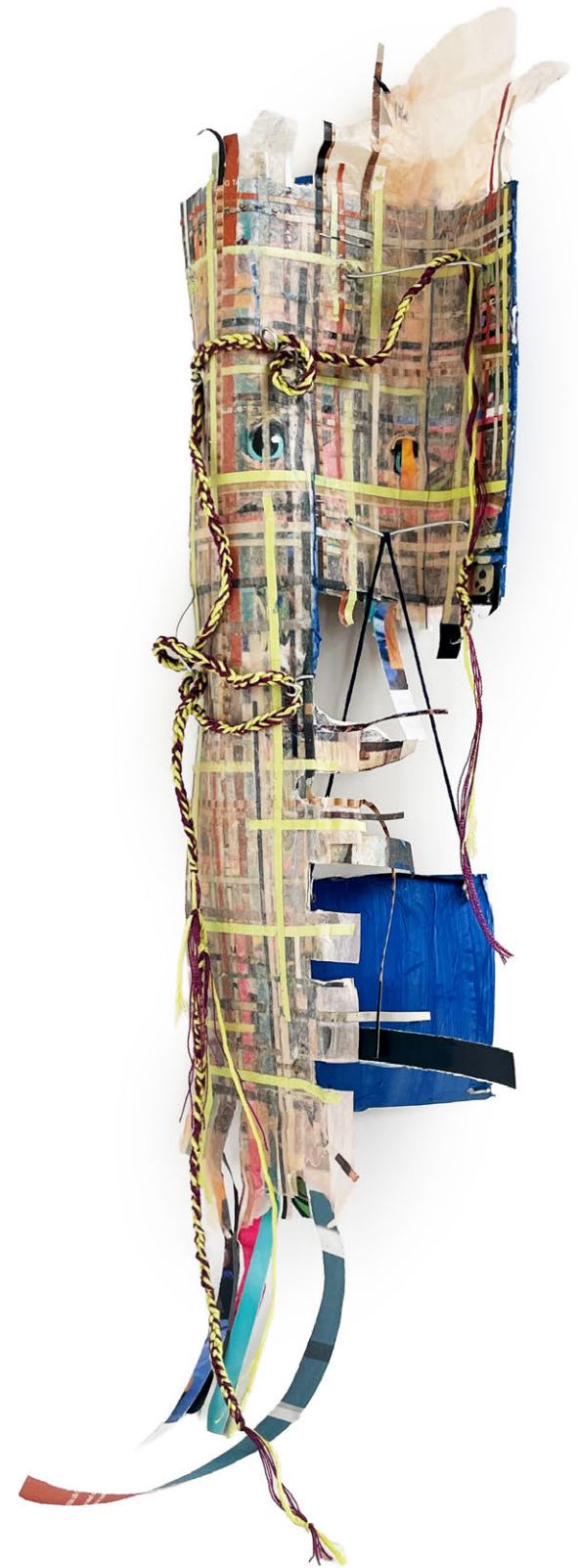
Recollection, 2025 46 x 66 x 10 cm
Mixed Media: Paper, acrylic



Summer Lover, 2025.
Mixed Media: Paper, thread
15.5 x 5 x 4 cm



Reminisce, 2025.
Mixed Media: Paper, balsa wood, acrylic
20 x 13 x 13 cm



Guts, 2025.
Mixed Media: Paper, tissue, thread, wire, acrylic
46 x 15.5 x 4 cm

Curriculum Vitae



Education

2019 - 2024 Bachelor of Science in Architecture at Tulane University

Solo Exhibitions

2026 Lost and Found in Berlin, Pandora Gallery - Berlin, BE, DEU

2025 Not So Distant Memories, Suis Generis - New Orleans, LA, USA

2024 Pneuma, Suis Generis - New Orleans, LA, USA

Selected Group Exhibitions

2026 Kinetic Canopy, Chemical 14 - New Orleans, LA, USA

2025 In Limbo, Retramp Gallery - Berlin, BE, DEU

2024 Miniature Show, NOLA 'Nacular Gallery - New Orleans, LA, USA

2024 Apocalypse Ball, Fred Hampton Free Store - New Orleans, LA, USA

2023 Undergraduate Jury Exhibition, Carol Gallery - New Orleans, LA, USA

2022 Undergraduate Jury Exhibition, Carol Gallery - New Orleans, LA, USA

Selected Publications + Awards

2026 D.H. "Von inner größer, als es scheint Ein Blick in die Pandora Art Gallery," Kiex und Kneipe, März 2026. 10.

2025 Awarded, GlogauAIR Catalog Cover Contect, Q4 2025 - Berlin, BE, DEU

2025 "Bryn McConnell" Suboart MAgazine No. 41 (Lisbon, Portufal): 80-81

2021 First-place prize, Tulane Summer Design Competition - New Orleans, LA, USA

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