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## "NOCTURNE" BY PATRICK FITZGERALD

**\$1,380**

2020 • United States • Wood, Oil on Canvas • Collection #CPF036

W: 16.25" D: 1.25" H: 20.5"

Entitled "Nocturne," this work by Chicago artist Patrick Fitzgerald is one of a series of "track paintings" that materialize the imagined tracks navigated by his miniature soap-box car sculptures. Inspired by slot-car racetracks, each painting depicts a meandering, yet cyclical path that twists and turns upon itself in an endless loop. Isolated from time and place, the painting achieves a sense of timelessness and draws a through line linking the past, the present, and the future.

"Nocturne" is part of a body of work Fitzgerald calls his "Neighborhood of Infinity," a borrowed term used literally to refer to the bounty of materials and creative inspiration he found in the industrial landscapes of his childhood in Grand Rapids, MI. Continued...



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Building from found materials collected over the years, he creates futuristic forms layered with personal memories and keepsakes from the past.

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