

## This Week's Major Events: Must-See Modern Art Exhibitions, The Spring Decorative Antiques & Textiles Fair In London & Much More

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Barbara Takenaga, Black Triptych (blaze), 2016. Acrylic on linen 72 x 108 inches. ©Barbara Takenaga. Courtesy of DC Moore Gallery, New York.

## Barbara Takenaga: Waiting in the Sky, DC Moore Gallery, New York, NY On view through April 30, 2016

If you're in New York, be sure to catch DC Moore Gallery's fourth solo exhibition dedicated to the abstract artist Barbara Takenaga. Known for her captivating paintings that conjure images of cosmic realms and other natural phenomena, Takenaga employs a decidedly meticulous and labor-intensive technique to create her kaleidoscopic works. Blending organic, layered forms with hard-edge, geometric patterns, Takenaga creates a duality that echoes the tenuous relationship between the familiar and the unknown, the present and the future. Barbara Takenaga: Waiting in the Sky presents a series of large-scale paintings, on linen and panel, and a wall-piece related to the artist's current installation at MASS MoCA. The exhibition is accompanied by a fully illustrated catalog with an essay written by the American poet and critic, John Yau.