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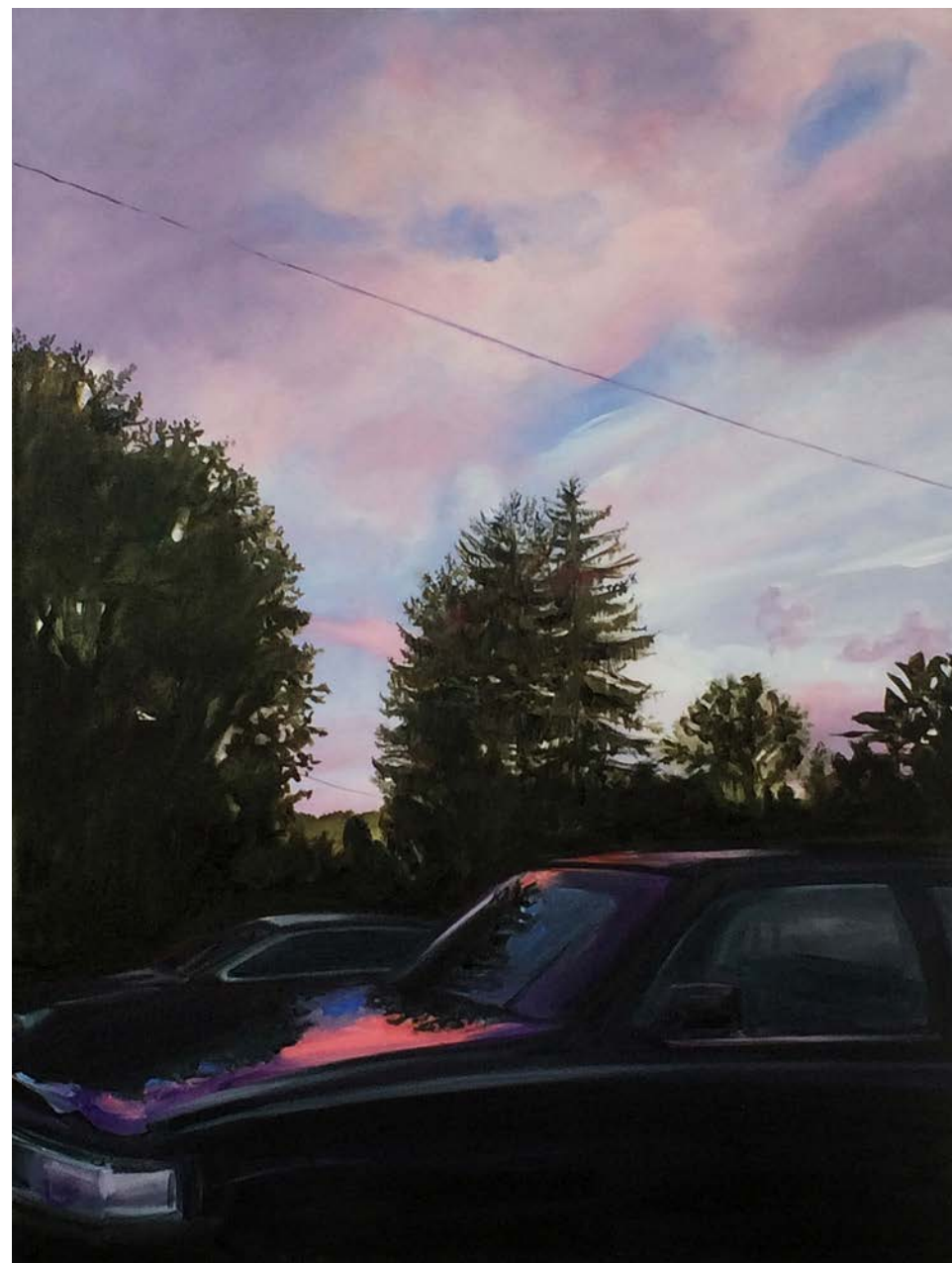
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The Painting Center is pleased to present “Still Air”, paintings by Claire McConaughy. McConaughy describes her paintings as “translations of scenes that have been shifted, the way a poet recalls an event and reconstructs it into words, metaphors and impressions. The paintings originate from actual places, but the images, colors, brush strokes and compositions are adjusted until they are new moments.” Coming from a small town surrounded by wooded areas that she has been painting since childhood, McConaughy brings those places to her current home in Brooklyn to paint from. The source images become part of the present while filled with memories.

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Just Before Dark
2015
oil on canvas
48"x36"



Woods by the Pool
2015
oil on canvas
40"x32"



Neon Lawn
2015
oil on canvas
48"x36"



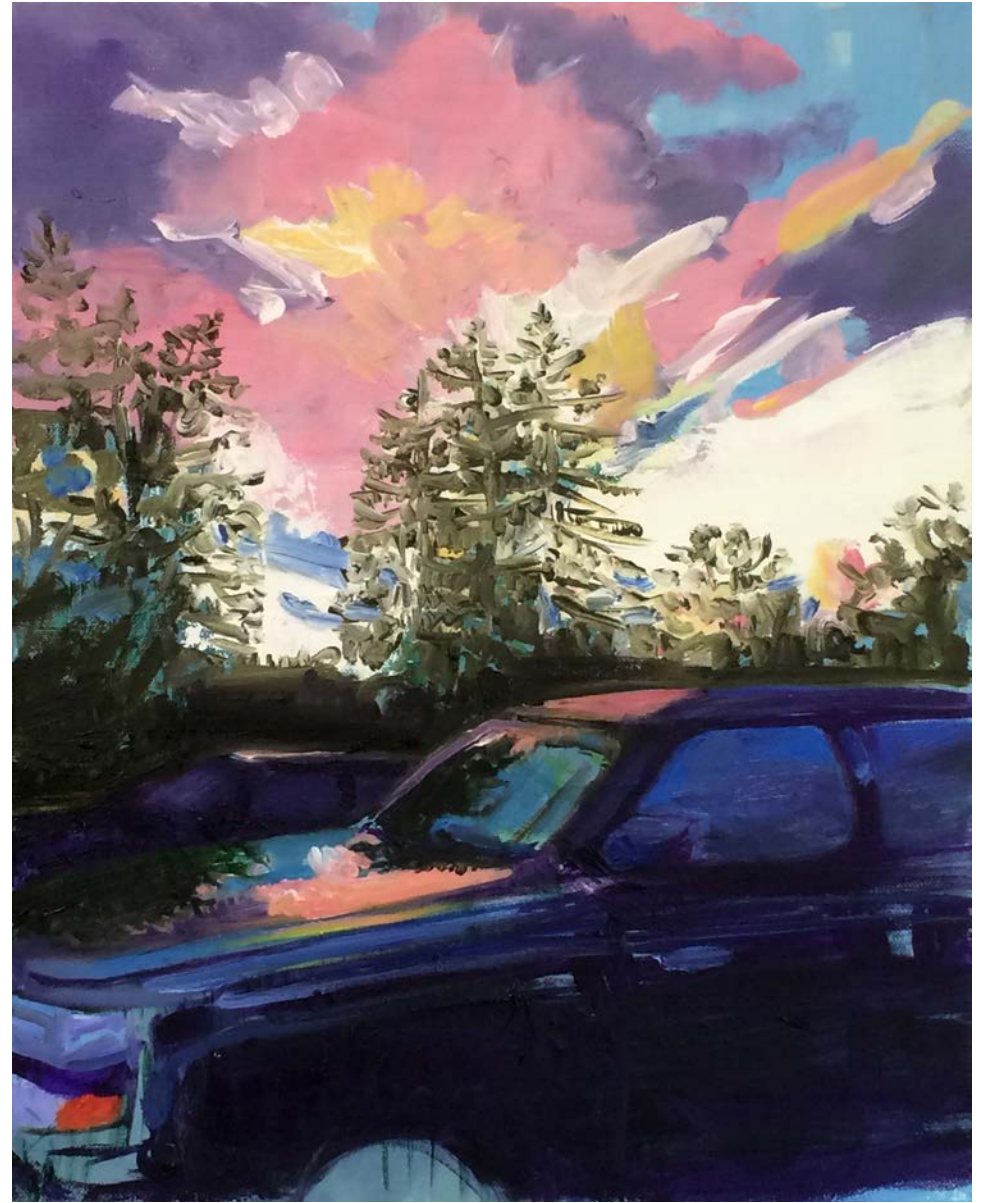
High Horizon
2016
oil on canvas
48"x36"



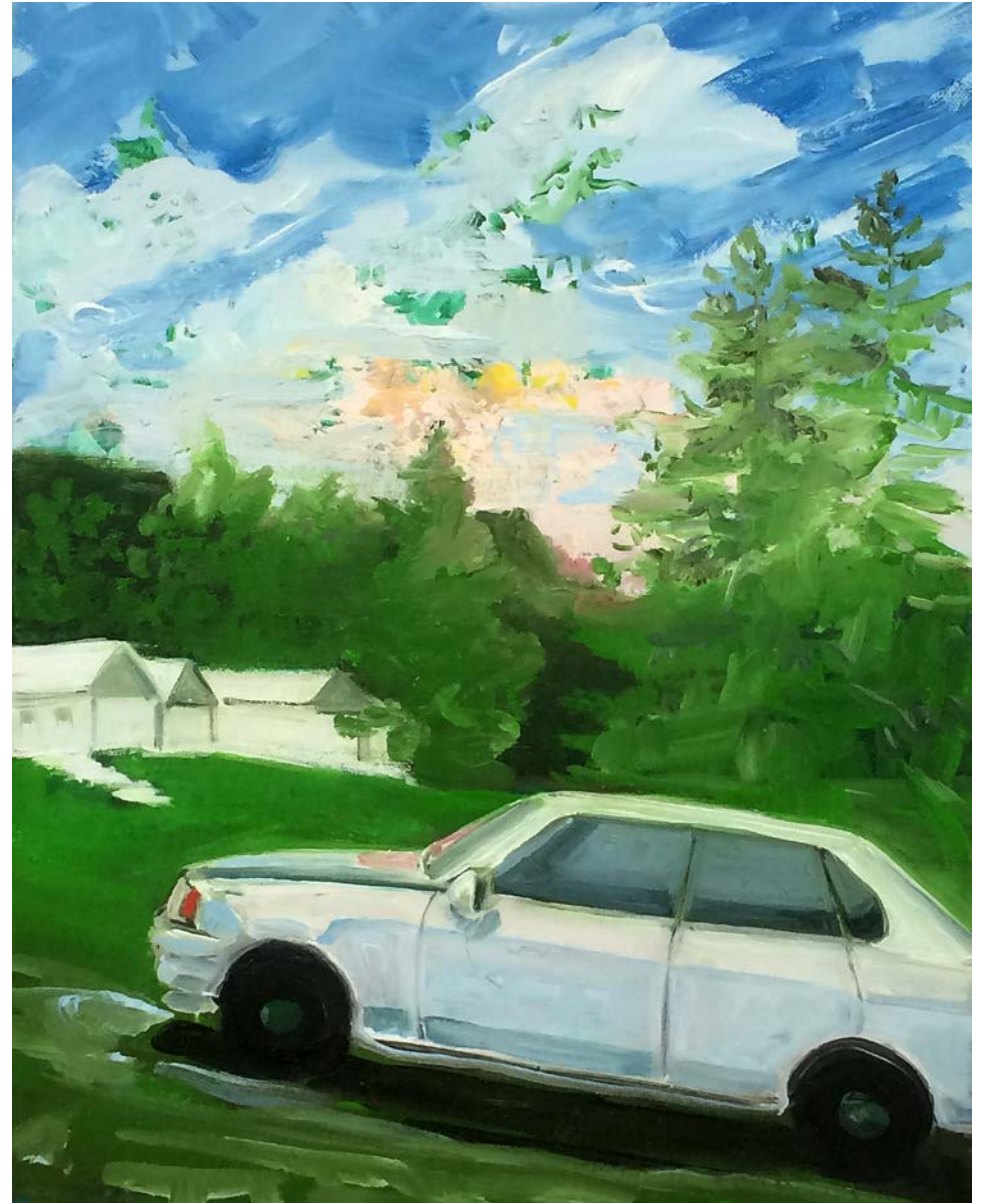
Rearview
2017
oil on canvas
40"x40"



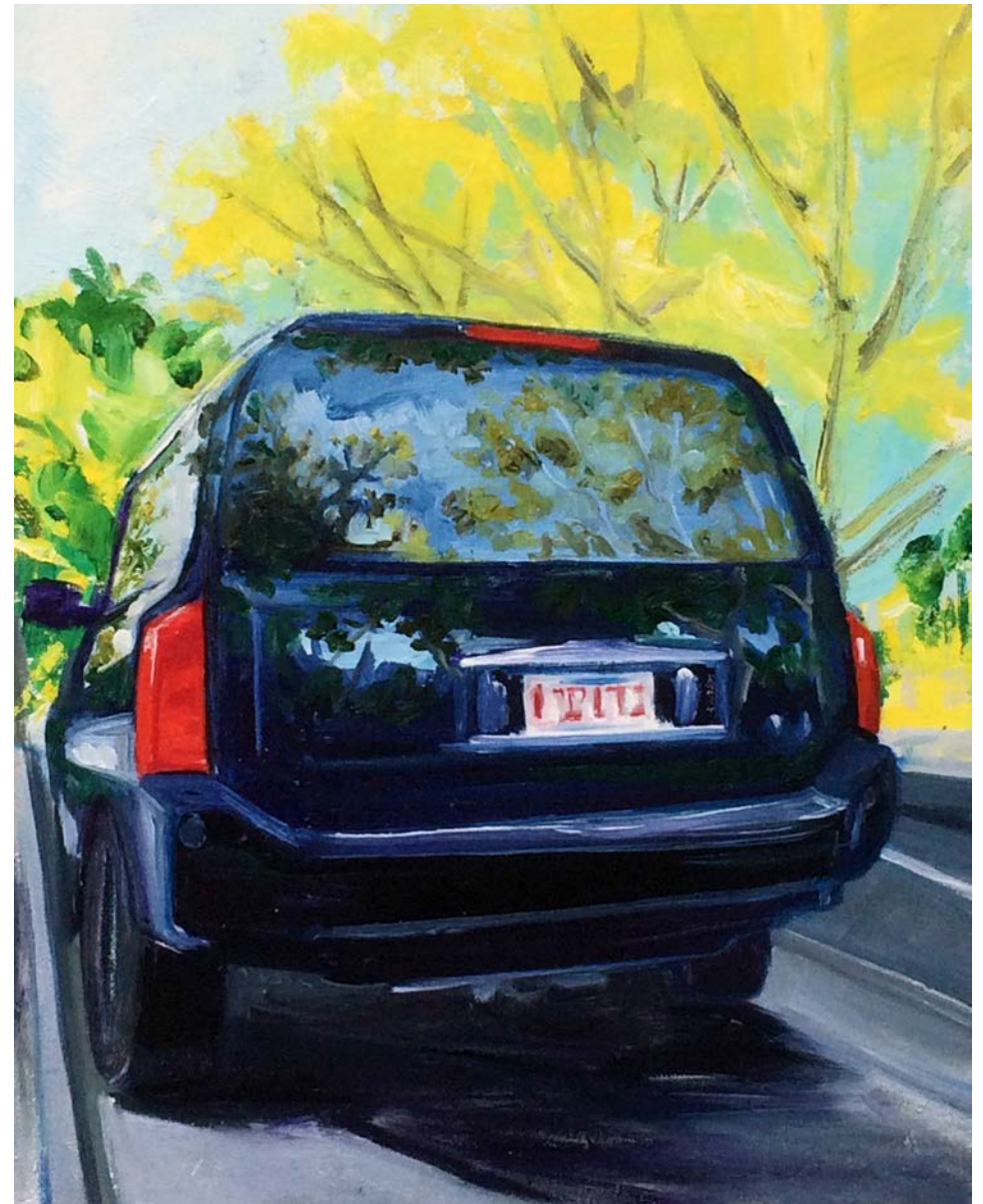
Twilight SUV
2016
oil on canvas
18"x14"



Parking on the Grass
2016
oil on canvas
18"x14"



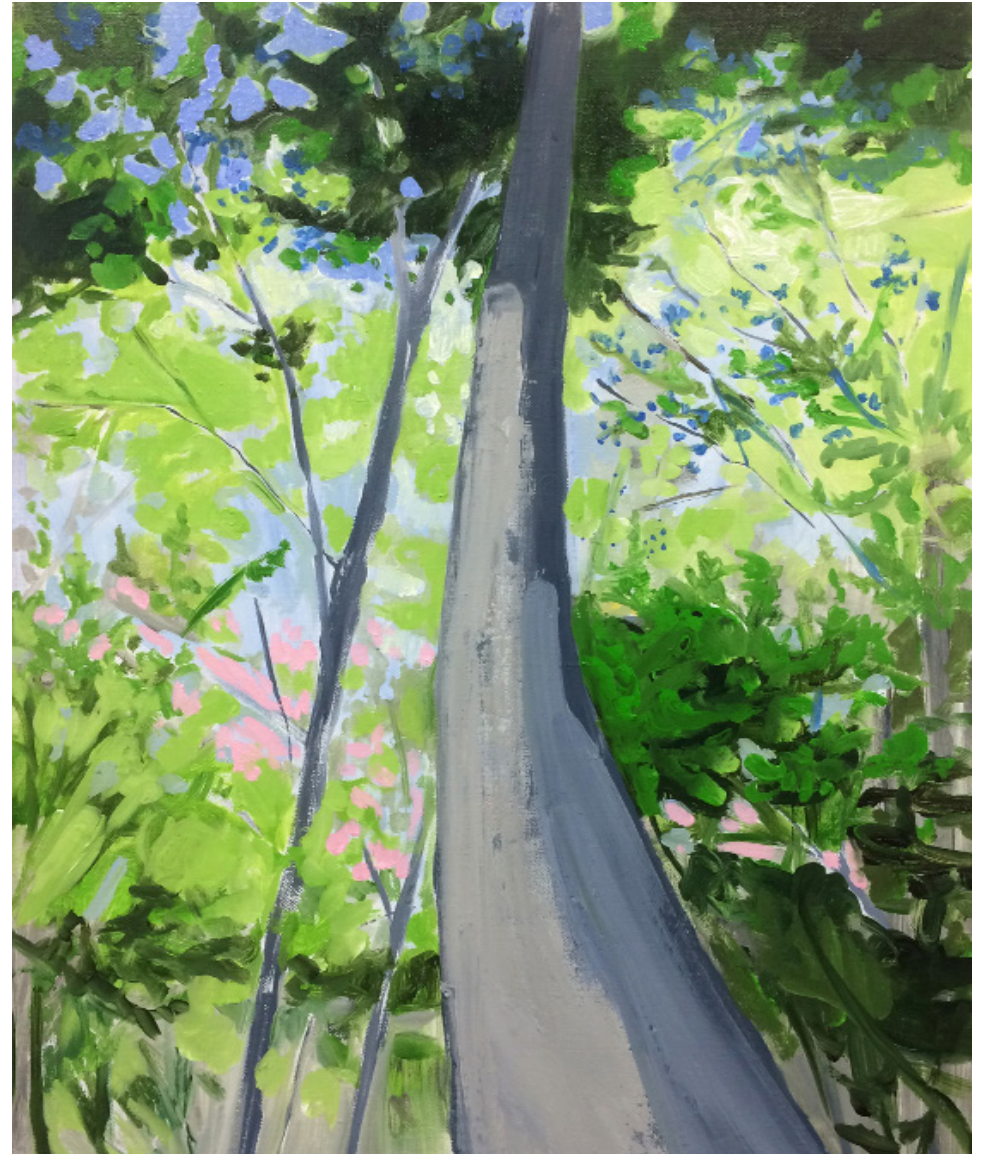
Rearview
2016
oil on canvas
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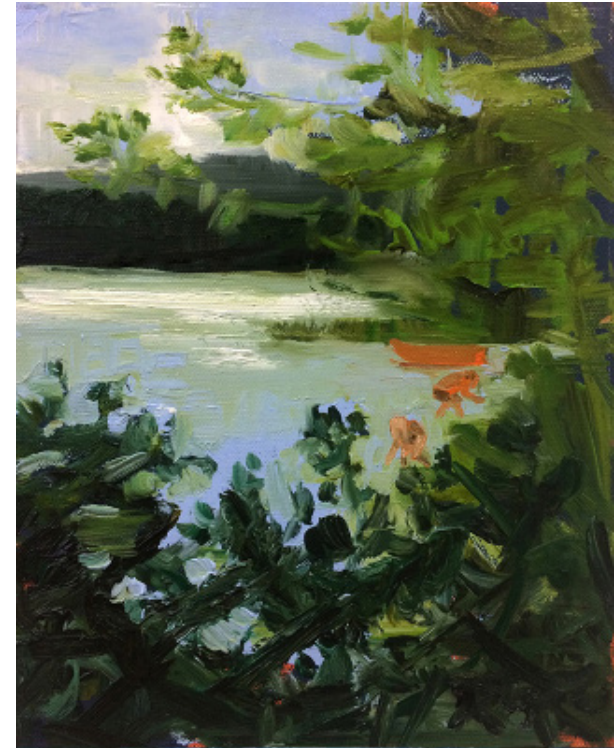
Contrails
2017
oil on canvas
40"x32"



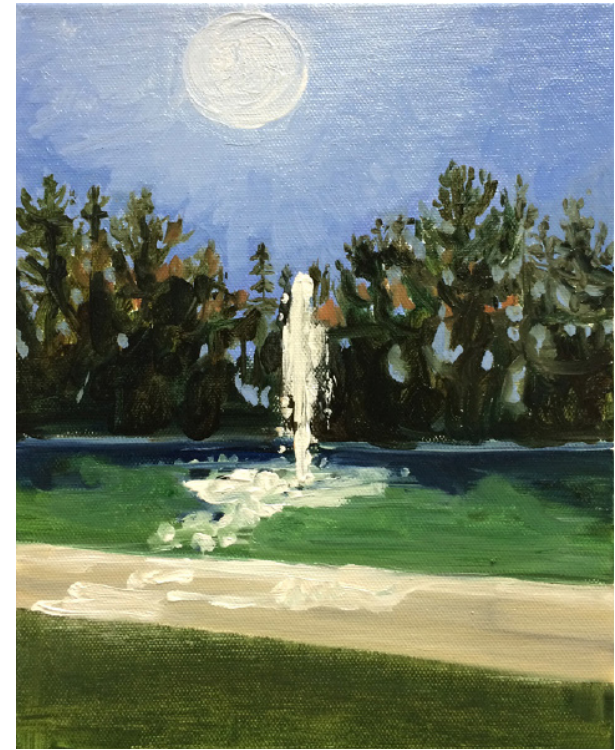
Sky Tree
2017
oil on canvas
20"x16"



River
2016
oil on canvas
10"x8"



The Water Ghost
2015
oil on canvas
10"x8"



Claire McConaughy lives and works in New York. She earned her MFA in painting from Columbia University and her BFA from Carnegie Mellon University. She has exhibited in numerous galleries including “Selections 45” at The Drawing Center, “Variations in Paint” at The Painting Center, “Persona” at the Therese A. Maloney Art Gallery, College of St. Elizabeth, “Reductive”, at Jeffrey Leder Gallery, and others. She received a Ucross Foundation Residency and Santa Fe Art Institute Artist’s Residency. For over a decade McConaughy was on the staff of *New Observations*, a non-profit art journal.

