

JOHN PENCE Presents EDWARD MINOFF

San Francisco.....On Friday, November 8th, the **John Pence Gallery**, located on 750 Post Street in San Francisco near Union Square, will open an exhibition of recent oil paintings by **Edward Minoff**. The gallery will host a reception for the artist on November 8th from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. The exhibition will remain on view to the public until November 30th.

Edward Minoff (b. 1972) is a talented artists who resides in New York City. Minoff Graduated from the *Tisch School of the Arts* in New York and, after starting his on animation company, joined the Water Street Atelier. He later journeyed to Italy to attend the *Florence Academy of Art*. Minoff has shown with the *John Pence Gallery* in numerous group theme shows, and currently marks his 5th solo exhibition with the gallery. The San Francisco shows have earned rave reviews from fellow artists and gallery clients. Previously, he has shown with galleries in Connecticut, Virginia, Houston, TX, and Sag Harbor, NY.

For his fifth one man exhibition in San Francisco with John Pence, Minoff has concentrated on the subjects he is most drawn to. In his exhaustive study of the sea and its movement- he has established himself as one of the pre-eminent artists working in this field. Articles have been written about the nature of his approach to painting the sea, and the authors have agreed that his is a unique and masterful methodology that produces



awesome results. His compositions are powerful and his surfaces produce the churning of foamy waves at the shores edge with an uncanny reality The undulating movement of his roiling sea water is impressive and uniquely his own. His tranquil Hudson Valley lakes and Adirondack streams convey a sense of being there.

Head studies and still lifes round out the work of this show. He brings a well honed observational skill to each of these subjects. The manner in which he handles light sets a standard for young mid career artists and is one of the reasons he has proven to be one of the most effective teachers who shares his talents with artists who pursue excellence in the academic realist arena.

Gallery hours are Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. On Saturday, the gallery is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.