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The Union Square favorite opens a new show this month from Spain-born, geological sciences PhD-wielding painter Juan Escauriaza, whose acrylic on linen depicts landscapes bold and subtle. While the paintings may look like portraits, there's no mistaking the iconic San Francisco signs Escauriaza paints—and no mistaking the talent it takes to bring out the glossy sheen in everyday subjects like fire hydrants, utility poles and the occasional palm tree. 357 Geary St., ckcontemporary.com

