



# PAINTING OUT THERE



Kona Frame Shop is hosting a show of oil paintings by Richard Rochkovsky, a plein air artist who paints 'out there' on location. The work in the show consists of landscapes and scenes of the Kona area, full of vibrant, saturated color and exuberant expression.

Richard says "For me, painting furiously and intensely alla prima (in one go) trying to capture the ever changing moods and character of a scene, is the culmination of everything that I've done and know - the challenge, of course, is to forget all of that and just paint.."

Richard is originally from New Jersey, graduating with a Bachelors of Architecture degree from the University of Virginia, and has worked as a licensed Architect in Virginia, Washington, and most recently in Hawaii.

He has been the coordinator of the West Hawaii Plein Air Painters for 3 years, as well as a painting instructor for the group Painting Out There, and a member of the Kailua Village Artists group.

'Painting Out There' will be on display at the Kona Frame Shop through November 2011.