

REBECCA BREWER

b. 1983, Tokyo, Japan

Lives and works in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada

EDUCATION

- 2012 Master of Fine Arts, Milton Avery Graduate School of the Arts, Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY
2007 Bachelor of Fine Arts, Emily Carr Institute of Art and Design, Vancouver, BC
2005 Langara College, Vancouver, BC

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2016 *The Holding Sky*, Catriona Jeffries, Vancouver, BC
2014 *The Written Face*, Catriona Jeffries, Vancouver, BC
2012 *Nine Paintings of Ayn Rand*, Exercise, Vancouver, BC
2009 *Path to the Oracle*, Galerie Werner Whitman, Montreal, QC
2007 *Over and Over the Hills*, Back Gallery, Helen Pitt Gallery Artist Run Centre, Vancouver, BC

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2018 *Nature*, Catriona Jeffries, Vancouver, BC
2017 *Entangled: Two Views on Contemporary Canadian Painting*, Vancouver Art Gallery, Vancouver, BC
2016 *Vancouver Special: Ambivalent Pleasures*, Vancouver Art Gallery, Vancouver, BC
An Agreeable State of Uncertainty, Vancouver Art Gallery, Vancouver, BC
The Fraud that Goes Under the Name of Love, Audain Gallery, Simon Fraser University, Vancouver, BC
2014 *L'intruse*, Marcelle Alix, Paris, France
2013 *Skirt the parlour, and shun the zoo*, Walter Phillips Gallery, Banff Centre, Banff, AB
Crystal Tongue, Exercise, Vancouver, BC
2012 *6 Positions*, W WTWO, Montreal, QC
through a glass darkly, Vancouver Art Gallery, Vancouver, BC
2011 *13th Annual RBC Painting Competition*, The Power Plant Contemporary Art Gallery, Toronto, ON; Art Gallery of Alberta, Edmonton, AB; Art Gallery of Hamilton, Hamilton, ON
2010 *Reoccurrence: Serial Motifs*, Helen Pitt Gallery at 221a Artist-Run Centre, Vancouver, BC
2009 *Take Your Time*, Simon Fraser University Gallery, Burnaby, BC
The Unreal, Gallery Atsui, Vancouver, BC
2008 *Works of Art with a Minimum of Steel*, Galería de Arte Mexicano, Mexico City, Mexico
Larry's Presents: Creative Energy, Program, Berlin, Germany
2007 *Talk to the Hands*, Helen Pitt Gallery Artist Run Centre, Vancouver, BC
Out of the Mine, LES Gallery, Vancouver, BC

TALKS AND PERFORMANCES

- 2013 *The Chive and the Female Soul*, conversation with Amy Kazymierchuk, *Crystal Tongue*, Exercise, Vancouver, BC

BOOKS AND EXHIBITION CATALOGUES

- 2017 Bruce Grenville and David MacWilliam, eds., *Entangled: Two Views on Contemporary Canadian Painting*, Vancouver Art Gallery, Vancouver, BC, and Black Dog Publishing, London, UK
2016 Daina Augaitis, Jesse McKee, eds., *Vancouver Special: Ambivalent Pleasures*, Vancouver Art Gallery, Vancouver, BC
cheyanne turions, Amy Kazymierchuk, and Anne Boyer, *The Holding Sky*, Catriona Jeffries, Vancouver, BC, exhibition essays

- 2014 Eli Bornowsky, *Rebecca Brewer: The Written Face*, Catriona Jeffries, Vancouver, BC, exhibition essay
- 2013 Reid Shier, 'Rebecca Brewer', *Art Cities of the Future: 21st Century Avant-Gardes*, Phaidon, London, UK
- 2012 Robin T. Anthony and Cassandra Cook, eds., *The RBC Collection: Selected Works*, RBC Collection, Toronto, ON
- 2010 Emmy Lee and Stephanie Rebick, *Reoccurrence: Serial Motifs*, Helen Pitt Gallery, Vancouver, BC
- Bill Jeffries and Vanessa Sorenson, *Take Your Time*, Simon Fraser University Gallery, Burnaby, BC
- 2009 Paul Saunders, *Path to the Oracle*, Galerie Werner Whitman, Montreal, QC, exhibition essay

MAGAZINES AND PERIODICALS

- 2017 Andrew Witt, 'Eccentric, Polymorphous, Abstract: Vancouver Art and Other Mythologies of the Near-Future', *The Mainlander*, 14 January
- 2015 Tatiana Mellema, 'Figures: Rebecca Brewer reactivates a tradition', *Canadian Art*, Winter
- 2014 Richard Rhodes, 'Rebecca Brewer: Painters and Saints', *Canadian Art*, Winter
- 2013 Michael Turner, 'Crystal Tongue Defies Analysis in Vancouver', *Canadian Art* online, 6 June
- 2012 'Vancouver Art Gallery adds work of seven young artists', *Vancouver Sun*, 9 November
- 2011 Marsha Lederman, 'Vancouver's Rebecca Brewer Wins RBC Painting Prize', *Globe and Mail*, 28 September
- 'Vancouver Artist Wins RBC Painting Competition', *National Post*, 28 September
- Jessica Werb, 'Vancouver Continues to Dominate RBC Painting Competition with Win by Rebecca Brewer', *Georgia Straight*, 3 October
- 2007 Kayla Guthrie, 'A Bad Trip in the Forest', *Only Magazine*, 2 February

PUBLISHED WRITING BY THE ARTIST

- 2014 Rebecca Brewer, 'Seers of the Cosmos, do not mourn over the scheme of things', *The Capilano Review*, Spring
- Rebecca Brewer and Tiziana La Melia, 'Capilano Style Column, Not-poetry in Vancouver', *The Capilano Review*, Winter

AWARDS

- 2011 National Winner, RBC Canadian Painting Competition