Adam Gunn

# **EDUCATION**

- 2021 BEd (Faculty of Education) University of New Brunswick, Fredericton, NB
- 2017 MFA (Painting and Drawing), Concordia University, Montreal, Quebec
- 2010 BFA (Interdisciplinary), NSCAD University, Halifax, NS
- 1999 Digital Animation Diploma, NSCC, Truro, NS

#### AWARDS, RESIDENCIES AND GRANTS

- 2021 Canada Council Grant (Explore and Create) \$24,800
- 2021 Tom Acheson Prize in Art Education (UNB)
- 2020/21 Tanya V. M. Barret Memorial Scholarship (UNB)
- 2020/21 Verna MacDonald Scholarship (UNB)
- 2019 White Rabbit Arts Residency, Upper Economy Nova Scotia, (Aug 9th- 17th)
- 2018 Nancy Petry Award \$10,000 to create and live in Europe
- 2016 Tom Hopkins Graduate Award in Painting
- 2014 Faculty of Fine Arts Fellowship, Concordia University
- 2013 NS Creation Grant \$7,500 to make a series of paintings
- 2013 15th RBC Painting Competition: Finalist
- 2011 13th RBC Painting Competition: Finalist
- 2010 BMO 1st Art! Competition winner for Nova Scotia

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 FOFA (Concordia), (Sept 2022), Montreal, Quebec
- 2019 Art Mur (Berlin), Island of the Dead, (April 25th June 15th), Berlin, Germany
- 2018 Art Mur, *Anything, Anytime, Anyplace, For No Reason at All* (Jan 13<sup>th</sup> Feb 24<sup>th</sup>), Montreal, QC, Canada
- 2017 Warren G Flowers Art Gallery, *Anything, Anytime, Anyplace, For No Reason at All* (Concordia MFA thesis show), Montreal, QC, Canada
- 2015 PDA Projects Gallery, Science Factions, Ottawa ON, Canada

# **GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

- 2019 Art Mur, Landscapes in Peril, duo show with Holly King, Montreal QC, Canada
- 2018 Musée des beaux-arts de Montreal, *Vendu-Sold* (benefit auction for Les Éditions Esse) Art Mur, *Grâce au Dessin*, Curated by Jason McKechnie, Montreal QC, Canada Art Toronto: Art Mur Booth, Toronto ON, Canada
- 2017 FOFA Gallery, *Faculty of Fine Arts Annual Graduating Students Exhibition*, Montreal QC, Canada
- 2016 PDA Projects, Opening Night Chapter 2 New Location, Ottawa, ON, Canada Art Mur, Peinture Fraîche, Montreal QC, Quebec
   L'École Des Beaux-Arts, Maureen (MFA Concordia group show), Montreal QC, Quebec Art Gallery of Nova Scotia, Capture 2014: Nova Scotian Realism, Yarmouth NS, Canada
- 2015 Acadia University Art Gallery, Capture 2014: Nova Scotian Realism, Wolfville NS, Canada
- 2014 Dalhousie Art Gallery, *Capture 2014: Nova Scotian Realism*, Halifax NS, Canada StFX Art Gallery, *Capture 2014: Nova Scotian Realism*, Antigonish NS, Canada Studio 21, *Small is Beautiful*, Halifax NS, Canada, Art Toronto: Booth 207, Studio 21, Toronto ON, Canada
- 2013 National Gallery of Canada, 15th RBC Canadian Painting Competition, Ottawa ON, Canada
   Port Loggia Gallery, NSCAD, Roar (fundraising auction), Halifax NS
   Halifax Independent Filmmakers Festival, Experimental Showcase, Halifax NS, Canada
- 2011 Art Gallery of Alberta, *RBC Painting Competition*, Edmonton AB, Canada Art Gallery of Hamilton, *RBC Painting Competition*, Hamilton ON, Canada The Power Plant, *RBC Painting Competition*, Toronto ON, Canada *Radiophonic Creation Day*, Simultaneous global radio broadcast.
- 2010 Museum of Contemporary Canadian Art, *BMO 1st Art! Exhibition*, Toronto ON, Canada Port Loggia Gallery, *NSCAD Graduation Exhibition*, Halifax NS, Canada

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- 2022 Instructor, PNTG 2000-1 Introductory Painting, NSCAD University, Halifax, NS
- 2021 Teaching Practicum (UNB), Nackawic Senior High School (8 weeks, March May), New Brunswick
- 2020 Teaching Practicum (UNB), Nackawic Senior High School (8 weeks, October December), NB
   Artist Presentation and Lesson, Fina 2101 *Drawing 1*, Mount Allison University, Sackville, NB
- 2019 Gallery Attendant, Art Mur Berlin (Feb June 15th), Berlin, Germany
- 2018 Instructor, PNTG 2000-1 Introductory Painting, NSCAD University, Halifax, NS
- 2017 Tutorial Instructor, FFAR 250 Keywords: Reading the Arts Across the Disciplines, Concordia University, Montreal, QC
- Portfolio Reviewer, *Summer Portfolio Workshop*, Concordia University, Montreal, QC
  2016 Instructor, *PNTNG 200*, Concordia University, Montreal, QC
  - Tutorial Instructor, FFAR 250 Keywords: Reading the Arts Across the Disciplines,

Concordia University, Montreal, QC

Teaching Assistant, PNTNG 200 (Susan Scott), Concordia University, Montreal, QC

- 2015 Teaching Assistant, PNTNG 400 (David Elliot), Concordia University, Montreal, QC
- 2014 Teaching Assistant, Drawing 400-450 (Holy King), Concordia University, Montreal, QC Instructor, Life Drawing 2110, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS Instructor, Life Drawing 300, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS Instructor, Fashion Illustration, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS Instructor, Life Drawing LDW, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS Instructor, Vector Animation Production, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS
- 2013 Instructor, *Life Drawing 2110*, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS Instructor, *Foundation of Art and Design*, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS Instructor, *Life Drawing LDW*, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS Instructor, *Vector Animation Production 2110*, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax
- 2012 Instructor, Life Drawing 100, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS Instructor, Life Drawing 300, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS Instructor, Foundation of Art and Design, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS Instructor, Vector Graphics Animation, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS Instructor, Fashion Illustration, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS Lab Instructor, Introduction to Classical Animation, CAT, Halifax, NS Instructor, HRM Kids Sketch & Draw, LeBrun Centre, Bedford, NS
- 2011 Dartmouth Experimental Music Group (DEMG)Performance, Dalhousie Art Gallery, Halifax NS Instructor, *Foundation of Art and Design*, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS Instructor, *Vector Graphics Animation*, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS

Instructor, *Fashion Illustration*, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS Lab Instructor, *Introduction to Classical Animation*, CAT, Halifax, NS Instructor, HRM Kids *Sketch & Draw*, LeBrun Centre, Bedford, NS

2010 DEMG (Nocturne Performance) Alderney Landing Theatre, Dartmouth, NS Instructor, *Foundation of Art and Design*, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS Instructor, *Foundation of Art and Design*, Centre for Arts and Technology, Halifax, NS Instructor, HRM Kids *Sketch & Draw*, LeBrun Centre, Bedford, NS Instructor, HRM Adult *Sketch & Draw*, LeBrun Centre, Bedford, NS

# BIBLIOGRAPHY

2020 *Watch Your Head*, Jan 31<sup>st</sup> 2020, Jennifer Dorner, An anthology of creative works devoted to the climate crisis,

https://www.watchyourhead.ca/watch-your-head/category/adam-gunn

- 2018 Vertiges, Francine Paul, Revue Le Sabbord, no 112
   Adam Gunn at Art Mur, Tammer El-Sheikh, Akimbo Akimblog
   Art Mur Invitation Catalogue, vol 13, numero3, texte de Suzanne Viot p.8,
   Messages in a Bottle, text by Cameron Skene p.10
- 2016 Peinture Fraiche et Nouvelle Construction invitation catalogue, Art Mur Open Doors 2016: Concordia Studio Arts MFA Program, Department of Studio Arts
- 2015 Open Doors 2015: Concordia Studio Arts MFA Program, Department of Studio Arts

- 2014 Capture 2014: Nova Scotian Realism, Doug Pope, Canadian Art Magazine, Summer Capture 2014: Nova Scotian Realism Exhibition Catalogue, Dalhousie Art Gallery 2014 Art Toronto Catalogue Realism Up for Grabs, Elissa Barnard, Chronicle Herald
- 2013 2013 RBC Canadian Painting Competition Catalogue, RBC
- 2011 *Gunning for First,* Stephanie Johns, Art Attack, The Coast, Jul 21 2011 RBC Canadian Painting Competition Catalogue, RBC
- 2010 NSCAD Grad Turns Playthings into Paintings, Heather Gillis, Unews, Dec 3
   BMO 1st Art! Competition Catalogue, Bank of Montreal
   A Darker Toy Story Wins Artist Award, Jon Tattrie, Metro News, Halifax, Tuesday
   September 7