

M. Benjamin Herndon

Born 1985, Northern California

Lives and Works in Providence, RI

Education

2014-16 MFA, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI

2010-12 BFA with Honors, School of Visual Arts, NYC

2004-10 Studied mathematics, philosophy, and art at Reed College and Portland State University, Portland, Oregon;

University of Nevada, Reno; Feather River College, Quincy, California

Exhibitions

2017

"Everlasting", Tang Contemporary Art, Beijing, China

Awagami Print Expression, Bumpodo Gallery, Tokyo, Japan

2016

Stand Out Prints, Highpoint Center for Printmaking, Minneapolis, MN

11th Annual Juried Exhibition, curated by Gregory Volk, Axis Gallery, Sacramento, CA

New Contemporaries, Gelman Gallery, RISD Museum, Providence, RI

The Glare, curated by Leah Wolff, NARS Foundation, Brooklyn, NY

RISD Graduate Thesis Exhibition, Rhode Island Convention Center, Providence, RI

Vanishing Point, Former Jersey City Museum, Jersey City, NJ

Sprung, Rabbithole Projects, Brooklyn, NY

New Prints: Winter, International Print Center of New York, NYC

Lasting Impressions, 505 Fletcher, Providence, RI

2015

Sanctus, Curious Matter Gallery, Jersey City, NJ

Language vs. Language, curated by Maya Krinsky, Sol Koffler Gallery, Providence RI

Making Meaning, Drift Contemporary Art Gallery, Portsmouth NH

Open15 Online Exhibition, Front Art Space, NYC

Spring, Sol Koffler Gallery, Providence RI

2014

Printmaking Department Triennial, Woods-Gerry Gallery, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence RI

2012

Urban Legends, curated by Mollie Thonneson, Seton Hall University School of Law, Newark NJ

Natural, curated by Richard Brooks, SVA Chelsea Gallery, NYC

Material Magic / Print Settings, BFA Fine Arts Department show, SVA Chelsea Gallery, NYC

Itsa Small Small World, curated by Hennessy Youngman, Family Business Gallery, NYC

Affordable Art Fair, School of Visual Arts' booth, curated by Dan Halm, NYC

BFA Fine Arts Open Studios, School of Visual Arts, NYC

2011

Topophilia, curated by Eric Lendl, SVA Gallery, NYC

BFA Fine Arts Open Studios, School of Visual Arts, NYC

2010

Main Street Artists Gallery, Quincy CA

2009

The Studio Gallery, Quincy CA

Awards and Grants

2017

Josef & Anni Albers Foundation Residency

2016

Vermont Studio Center Residency & Grant

RISD Graduate Studies Grant

2014-16

RISD Graduate Division Fellowship

2012

School of Visual Arts Alumni Grant

School of Visual Arts Undergraduate Fine Arts Thesis Award

2010-12

Silas H. Rhodes Scholarship

Dean's List, School of Visual Arts

Publications

2017

Studio Visit Magazine, Summer 2017

Awagami Print Expression (exhibition catalog), Bumpodo Gallery, Tokyo, Japan

2016

11th Annual Juried Exhibition (catalog), essay by Gregory Volk, Axis Gallery, Sacramento, CA

Vanishing Point (exhibition catalog), Art House Productions Press, Jersey City, NJ
2015

RISD XYZ, Rhode Island School of Design

Sanctus (exhibition catalog), Curious Matter Gallery, Jersey City, NJ

Open15 Publication, Front Art Space, NYC

Whirlwind Magazine, Issue #3 (quarterly), February 2015

2013

Humans of New York, photoblog feature

20 Twenty, curated by, and essay by Phong Bui, School of Visual Arts Press