

## **TOMMY FITZPATRICK**

1969 Born in Dallas, TX  
Currently lives and works in San Antonio, TX

### **EDUCATION**

1993 M.F.A., Yale University School of Art, New Haven, CT  
1991 B.A., Fine Arts, The University of Texas, Austin, TX  
1989 Summer Painting Program, R.I.S.D., Providence, RI

### **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

- 2023 *Dwellings*, Peter Mendenhall Gallery, Pasadena, CA
- 2022 *Landmark*, David Richard Gallery, NYC, NY
- 2022 *Reconstructing Utopia*, Miro Gallery, San Jose, CA
- 2021 *Simulated Structures*, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
- 2021 *Site*, Qualia Contemporary Art, Palo Alto, CA
- 2019 *Superflux*, Holly Johnson Gallery, Dallas, TX
- 2019 *Working Model*, Wright Gallery, Langford Architecture Center, Texas A&M, College Station, TX
- 2018 *Factual Facts and Actual Facts*, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
- 2017 *Crystal Cities: New Paintings & Sculptures*, Holly Johnson Gallery, Dallas, TX
- 2017 *Recognition of Sight*, Texas Art House, Johnson City, TX
- 2015 *Cat's Cradle*, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
- 2014 *Gordian Knot*, Holly Johnson Gallery, Dallas, TX
- 2013 *Flatland*, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
- 2012 *Electric Labyrinth*, Holly Johnson Gallery, Dallas, TX
- 2011 Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
- 2009 *CITY FACES*, Michael Schultz Gallery, Seoul, Korea
- 2008 *Dematerializing*, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
- 2007 *Spectacle*, Charles Cowles Gallery, New York, NY
- 2006 *Bridge*, Schultz Contemporary, Berlin, Germany
- 2006 *Façade*, Holly Johnson Gallery, Dallas, TX
- 2005 *Working Spaces*, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
- 2005 *Curtain Wall*, Charles Cowles Gallery, New York, NY
- 2004-2005 *Object Lessons: A Survey of Work from 1997-2004*, Galveston Arts Center, Galveston, TX
- 2004 *Traveling to Texas A&M at Commerce*, Commerce, TX, & Arlington Museum of Art, Arlington, TX
- 2003 Charles Cowles Gallery, New York, NY
- 2002 *Twilight*, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
- 2001 Charles Cowles Gallery, New York, NY
- 2000 *Recent Work*, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
- 1999 *Recent Work*, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
- 1999 *Recent Work*, Montgomery College, Conroe, TX
- 1998 *In the Back Gallery: Tommy Fitzpatrick*, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
- 1994 *The Buttonwood Tree*, Middletown, CT
- 1993 *M.F.A. Thesis Show*, Art & Architecture Gallery, Yale University School of Art, New Haven, CT

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS:

- 2023 *Shape Shifting*, Hollis Taggart Gallery, NYC, NY
- 2022 PrintHouston 2022: a selection of print by gallery artists, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
- 2021 *From the Studio I*, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
- 2019 *Summertime Blues*, Holly Johnson Gallery, Dallas, TX
- 2014 *Combinations*, Texas Woman's University Galleries, curated by TWU Visual Arts Faculty, Denton TX
- 2012 *Geometrics Showcase: Contemporary Galleries at the Madi*. Dallas, TX  
Dallas Art Fair, Holly Johnson Gallery, Dallas, TX
- 2010 *Back and Forth*, Holly Johnson Gallery, Dallas,  
TX Dallas Art Fair, Holly Johnson Gallery, Dallas, TX
- 2009 *Geometry in Reflection: Tommy Fitzpatrick and Margo Sawyer*, The Gallery at the University of  
Texas at Arlington, Arlington, TX (catalogue)
- 2007 CADD ArtFair 2007, Holly Johnson Gallery, Dallas, TX
- 2005 Art Cologne, Cologne, Germany, Charles Cowles  
Gallery
- 2004 San Francisco International Art Exposition, San Francisco CA, Charles Cowles Gallery
- 2003 Miami/Basel Art Fair, Miami, FL, Charles Cowles Gallery
- 2002 Miami/Basel Art Fair, Miami, FL, Charles Cowles Gallery
- 2002 *Western Artists: Selections from New American Paintings*, Open Studios Press Galleries, Boston,  
MA
- 2002 The Armory Show, New York, NY, Inman Gallery
- 2002 Faculty Show, Savannah College of Art & Design, Savannah, GA 2001 The Armory Show, New  
York, NY, Inman Gallery
- 2001 Art Chicago 2001, Chicago, IL, Inman Gallery
- 2001 *New American Talent*, Texas Fine Arts Association, Austin, TX, traveling to Arlington, TX and  
Texas A&M University, College Station, TX
- 2000 Meat Market Art Fair, Inman Gallery, New York, NY
- 2000 *Ten Year Anniversary Exhibition*, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
- 2000 *What's So Funny About Color?*, Elias Fine Art, Boston, MA *Urban Realities*, Galveston Arts  
Center, Galveston, TX
- 2000 Art Chicago 2000, Navy Pier, Chicago, IL 1999 *Size Matters*, Gale Gates et al., Brooklyn, NY
- 2000 *Then and Now*, Montgomery Community College, Conroe, TX
- 1999 *Summer Mixer*, Wells Fargo Plaza Gallery, Houston, TX
- 1998 *Blurred Boundaries, A FotoFest Collaboration*, Winter Street Art Center, Houston, TX
- 1997 *Faculty Show*, The Art Gallery, Montgomery College, Conroe, TX
- 1997 *Lemonade*, Wells Fargo Plaza Lobby Gallery, Houston, TX
- 1997 *Subversive Millennium*, DiverseWorks, Houston, TX
- 1997 Rudolph Poissant Gallery, Houston, TX 1997
- 1996 Houston Community College, Houston, TX
- 1996 \$99.95, Lesikar Gallery, Houston, TX
- 1996 *Faculty Show*, Montgomery College, Conroe, TX
- 1996 *The Big Show*, Lawndale Art Center, Houston, TX
- 1996 *Equal Pay*, Revolution Summer Art Space, Houston, TX *2 Kings Live*, Lesikar Gallery, Houston,  
TX
- 1996 *Really Red*, West End Gallery, Houston, TX
- 1996 *A Wink and a Nod*, Sally Sprout Gallery, Houston, TX
- 1995 *Faculty Show*, Southwest Texas State University, San Marcos, TX 1996
- 1995 *Faculty Show*, Montgomery College, Conroe, TX
- 1995 *Salon '95, Art Initiatives*, New York, NY, finalist
- 1994 *Connotations of Red*, Renegade Art Space, New York, NY
- 1994 *Dore Ashton Selects*, Pleiades Gallery, New York, NY

- 1991-92 *Graduate Student Annual Exhibitions*, Art & Architecture Gallery, Yale University School of Art, New Haven, CT
- 1990-91 *Undergraduate Student Annual Exhibitions*, Huntington Art Gallery, University of Texas, Austin, TX

#### AWARDS:

- 2014 Western Competition, New American Paintings, Juried Exhibitions
- 1993 Winsor Newton Oil Bar Limited Prize, Yale University School of Art, New Haven, CT, Given in recognition of outstanding work in painting and printmaking
- 1991 Merit Award, The University of Texas at Austin, for excellence in painting

#### MUSEUM COLLECTIONS:

Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX  
 Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth, TX  
 Art Museum of South Texas, Corpus Christi, TX  
 Menil Collection in Houston, TX

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- Grover, Andrea. Gallery section review, *MSN Sidewalk Houston*, May 1999.
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