

ANTHONY SONNENBERG

b. 1986, Graham, TX
Lives and works in Fayetteville, AR

EDUCATION

- 2012 University of Washington, Seattle WA, M.F.A. - Sculpture
- 2009 University of Texas, Austin TX, B.A. Art Studio with an emphasis in Italian and Art History
- 2007 University of Texas Study Abroad Program, Castilion Fiorentino, Italy Summer 2007

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 *Make Me Feel Mighty Real*, Wingate Museum of Art, Hendrix College, Conway, AR
- 2021 *I'm Going to Dance the Way I Feel*, Mindy Solomon Gallery, Miami, FL
GAVLAK, Palm Beach, FL
- 2019 *In Times Like These* - Conduit Gallery, Dallas TX
- 2018 *Still Stage, Set Life* - Art Museum of South East Texas, Beaumont, TX
- 2017 *Let Your Flowers Grow* - Conduit Gallery, Dallas TX
- 2016 *Apollo and Dionysus* - Art Palace Gallery, Houston TX
- 2015 *Fat Equals Flavor* - Conduit Gallery, Dallas TX
With Wild Abandon - Lawndale Art Center, Houston TX
- 2013 *Time After Time After Time* – The Old Jail Art Center, Albany TX
- 2012 *Still Lives* – Vignettes, Seattle, WA
All That Glitters – CMA Gallery, Seattle, WA
- 2010 *Beauty is Not Benign* – Co-lab Projects, Austin, TX
- 2009 *Let the Golden Age Begin* – Old Post Office Museum and Art Center, Graham TX

SELECTED LIVE PERFORMANCES

- 2013 *Captain Dirty Bear and his Dirty Cub Cadets Contemplate the Impossibility of Permanence in the Physical World - New and Greatest Hits*
Selected Work by Texas Biennial Artists 2005-2011, Big Medium, Austin, TX
- 2011 *Captain Dirty Bear Ask a Question* – Seattle Art Museum, Seattle WA

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2021 *Ceramics Now*, Gallerie Italienne, Paris, France
Fairyland - Mindy Solomon Gallery, Miami, FL
Magic Touch - Dinner Gallery, New York, NY
- 2020 *Radical Tradition: American Quilts and Social Change* - The Toledo Museum of Art, Toledo OH
State of the Arts 2020 - The Momentary, Bentonville, AR
The Backbone of Things - Te Auaha, Wellington, NZ
- 2019 *Inaugural Exhibition* - Gavlak Gallery, Los Angeles CA
Solid Gold: Fuller at Fifty - Fuller Craft Museum, Brockton MA
Stonewall 50 - Contemporary Arts Museum Houston, Houston TX
- 2018 *Melting Point: Movements in Contemporary Clay*, Craft Contemporary, Los Angeles CA
Rough Trade - Allegheny College Art Gallery, Meadville PA
In Residence - Houston Center for Contemporary Craft, Houston TX
You Say Radical! I Say Feminist! - Archer Gallery @ Clark College, Vancouver WA
Inaugural Group Exhibition - Gavlak Gallery Palm Beach, Palm Beach FL
- 2017 *Confabulations of Millenia*, Institute of Contemporary Art @ MeCA, Portland ME
Morph - Asya Geisberg Gallery, New York NY
- 2016 *Double Digits: Lawndale's Artist Studio Program, 10 Years and Counting*, Lawndale Art Center, Houston TX
- 2014 *Natural Beauties: Jewelry from Art Nouveau to Now*, Shelburne Museum, Shelburne, VT
VANITAS (eat, drink and be merry), Hedreen Gallery at Seattle University, Seattle WA
Open Archive, Red Arrow Contemporary, Dallas, TX
- 2013 *The Obsessive Unknown Origins of Grotesques Irregularity*, LxWxH Gallery, Seattle WA
Nouveau Baroque – Gallery Fukai, Vancouver B.C. *ONN/OFF Light Festival*
- 2011 The 2011 Texas Biennial -- Austin TX
-Curator: Virginia Rutledge, Independent Curator and Art Historian

COLLABORATIONS, TWO & THREE PERSON

- 2019 Zina Al-Shukri – Paolo Arao – Anthony Sonnenberg, Patricia Sweetow Gallery, San Francisco CA
- 2014 Pulliam Fine Arts presents: Anthony Sonnenberg and Saya Moriyasu - The Window Project, PDX Contemporary, Portland OR

2013 *Self* - with Rodrigo Valenzuela – 4Culture Gallery – Seattle WA

2012 *Sticks and Stones* – SOIL Gallery, Seattle WA

Best Not To Be - with Graham Downing – 2012 City Arts Festival – Seattle, WA

COLLECTIONS

Crystal Bridges Museum of Art, Bentonville AR
The Archie Bray Permanent Collection, Helena, MT
Fidelity Investment Corporate Collection

Beth DeWoody

Marguerite Hoffman

Deedie Rose

Catherine Rose

TEACHING

2021 Adjunct Professor, Ceramics, Hendrix College, Conway AR

2019 Instructor - Summer Course @ Ox-Bow School of Art and Artist Residencies, Saugatuck MI

2018-2021 Present Visiting Assistant Professor in Ceramics, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville AR

2017 Instructor - Glassel School of Art @ MFAH, Houston TX - Ceramic

2015-2017 Adjunct Professor - Lone Star College, Kingwood TX

2011-2012 Instructor of Record- University of Washington, Seattle WA - Ceramic and 3D
Foundations

GUEST LECTURER

2021 Panel Member, "Trends in Materiality: Ephemeral Clay " Panel Discussion, part of
Contemporary Clay 2021 at Wester Carolina University
Maryland Institute of Contemporary Art, Baltimore MD
University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington TX
Baylor University, Waco, TX

2020 Eastern Pribble Lecture Series, Pratt MWP College of Art and Design,
Brooklyn and Utica NY

2018 California State University, Long Beach
University of Texas, Austin TX
South West School of Art, San Antonio TX

2017 Maine College of Art, Portland ME

2013 University of Texas @ Austin
Pilchuck Glass School
Oregon College of Arts and Crafts

2012 Cornish College of the Arts

RESIDENCIES

2021 Windgate Museum Of Art Inaugural Artist-In-Residence, Conway AR

2019 Inverse Performance Residency, Questa College, San Luis Obispo, CA

2018 CSULB-CCC Summer Resident Artist, California State University, Long Beach, CA

2017 Ox-Bow School of artists and artist's residencies, Saugatuck MI
Yaddo Artist Residency

2016 Resident at Houston Center for Contemporary Craft, Houston, TX 2015-16
Resident in the Lawndale Artists Studio Program, Houston, TX

2014 Artist in Resident at Sculpture Space, Utica NY
Summer Resident at Archie Bray Foundation for the Ceramic Arts, Helena MT

2012 Emerging Artist in Residence at Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood WA

2008 Summer Resident at Ox-Bow School of artists and artist's residencies, Saugatuck MI

GRANTS/FELLOWSHIPS/AWARDS

2014 RPF Grant - The New Foundation - Seattle WA

2013 Finalist, Betty Bowen Award, Seattle Art Museum

2011 People's Choice Award - The 2011 Juried Exhibition, Punch Gallery, Seattle WA