

ARYEN HOEKSTRA

1982 Born in Canada
Currently lives and works in Toronto, ON, Canada

Education

2013 Master of Fine Arts, University of Guelph, Guelph, ON, Canada
2005 Bachelor of Fine Arts, University of Alberta, Edmonton, AB, Canada

Solo & Two Person Exhibitions

2018 *Good Cook*, Georgia Scherman Projects, Toronto, ON, Canada
2017 *The Flicker*, YYZ Artists' Outlet, Toronto, ON, Canada
2016 *Archaeological Infrastructure* (w. Jen Aitken), Forest City Gallery, London, ON, Canada
2016 *Celestial bodies*, 8eleven, Toronto, ON, Canada
2014 *Choreography for Screen*, Mercer Union, Toronto, ON, Canada
2013 *When I Move You Move* (w. Jenine Marsh), Boarding House Gallery, Guelph, ON, Canada
2013 *To See an Obscurity*, G Gallery, Toronto, ON, Canada (thesis exhibition)

Selected Group Exhibitions

2016 *Aryen Hoekstra, David Court, Shane Krepakevich*, Modern Fuel, Kingston, ON, Canada
2015 *To fall by eye*, Gallery 44, Toronto, ON, Canada
2015 *Future Station: 2015 Alberta Biennial of Contemporary Art*, Art Gallery of Alberta, Edmonton, ON, Canada
2014 *Absolutely Free*, OCADU - Scotiabank Nuit Blanche, Toronto, ON, Canada
2014 *Posts and Pillars*, XPACE Cultural Centre, Toronto, ON, Canada
2013 *Red, Green, Blue ≠ White*, Blackwood Gallery, Mississauga, ON, Canada
2013 *In the Outfield*, Olga Korper Gallery, Toronto, ON, Canada
2012 *JUNGLE*, Zavitz Gallery, Guelph, ON, Canada
2012 *Nostalgia for Post Modernists*, XPACE Cultural Centre, Toronto, ON, Canada
2012 *Yesterday's Tomorrow Today*, XPACE Cultural Centre, Toronto, ON, Canada
2011 *The Broth*, Zavitz Gallery, Guelph, ON, Canada

Selected Residencies

2016 *Critical Writing Ensemble II*, Banff Centre, Banff, AB, Canada
2015 *FIELDWORK*, Eyelevel Gallery, Halifax, NS, Canada
2009 *Video Installation with David Hoffos*, FAVA, Edmonton, AB, Canada

Selected Essays/Reviews/Press

2017 *On 'On the Flicker'*, Long, Gareth. YYZ Artists' Outlet, Toronto, ON, Canada
2015 *To fall by eye*, Travis, Rebecca. Aesthetica Magazine, Issue 67
2014 *20 Questions: Aryen Hoekstra*, Montgomery, Sean. Ithica MOMA, Web
2014 *Choreography for Screen*, Heather, Rosemary. Mercer Union, Toronto, ON, Canada
2012 Enright, Robert. *Moth Wings and Donkey Ears*, Border Crossings, Issue 122, Print

2012 *What's Hidden Between*, Boothe, Kevin. Towards Magazine, Web

Selected Curatorial

- 2016 *Sound bath*, Franz Kaka, Toronto, ON, Canada
Artists included: Kelly Akashi, Georgia Dickie, Laurie Kang, Jen Reimer & Magnus VonTiessenhausen, Rachelle Sawatsky, Jenna Sutela & Elvia Wilk, Zin Taylor, and Alex Turgeon
- 2015 *The Great Outdoors*, Garden Avenue, Toronto, ON, Canada
Artists included: Sarah Cale, Hanna Hur, Vanessa Maltesse, and Alex Turgeon
- 2014 *Tectonic Breaks* (w. Jenine Marsh), Xpace Cultural Centre, Toronto, ON, Canada
Artists included: Jen Aitken, Zöe Downie-Ross, Andrew Hoekstra, Tiziana La Melia, and Matt Schust
- 2012 *Lean*, Ed Video Media Arts Centre, in Guelph, ON, Canada
Artists included: Laura Anderson, Nadia Belerique, Maryanne Casasanta, Melissa Hamonic, Amy Lockhart, Jenine Marsh, and Erica Mendritzki

Grants/Awards

- 2018 Ontario Arts Council Visual Artist Grant Ontario Arts Council
- 2016 Toronto Arts Council Emerging Art Award Toronto Arts Council
- 2016 Project Grant for Visual Artists Canada Council for the Arts
- 2016 Travel Grant Canada Council for the Arts
- 2016 Ontario Arts Council Visual Artist Grant Ontario Arts Council
- 2016 Exhibition Assistance Ontario Arts Council
- 2015 Exhibition Assistance Ontario Arts Council
- 2014 Toronto Arts Council Emerging Art Award Toronto Arts Council
- 2014 Exhibition Assistance Ontario Arts Council
- 2014 Ontario Arts Council Visual Arts Grant Ontario Arts Council
- 2012 College of Arts Dean's Scholarship The University of Guelph
- 2012 College of Arts Graduate Research and Travel Award The University of Guelph
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