## FRANCESCA FUCHS

### **EDUCATION**

1995	Meisterschülerin, Prof. Tony Cragg, Kunstakademie Düsseldorf, Germany
1993	BFA, Fine Art, Sculpture, Wimbledon School of Art, London, England
1992	Universidad de Bellas Artes, Bilbao, Spain
1989	BA Hons, Modern Languages, Bristol University, England
1987-88	Foreign Language Institutes Minsk and Pyatigorsk, USSR

### **SOLO & TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS**

2023	Sketches for Three Voices, testsite 23.2, Austin, TX
2022	Francesca Fuchs at the Suburban at the Old Jail Art Center, Old Jail Art Center, Albany, TX how a rock is all about surface, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
2021	Serious and Slightly Funny Things, Art Museum of Southeast Texas, Beaumont, TX
2020	Painting and Mugs, Talley Dunn Gallery, Dallas, TX
2019	Sculptures, Filet, London, UK
2018	How to Tell the Truth and Painting, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX Something, Art League Houston, Houston, TX
2017	North Exterior Wall, Lawndale Art Center, Houston, TX
2016	Chris Bradley/Francesca Fuchs, Permanent Collection, Austin, TX
2015	Xmas Trees, Talley Dunn Gallery, Dallas, TX Francesca Fuchs, Galveston Arts Center, Galveston, TX
2014	Again once more, University Galleries, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX
2013	Paintings of Framed Paintings, Prints and Photos, Texas Gallery, Houston, TX Francesca Fuchs/Paul P., The Suburban, Oak Park, IL
2012	Paintings of Paintings, Talley Dunn Gallery, Dallas, TX
2010	Paintings, Texas Gallery, Houston, TX
2007	Perspectives 155: Francesca Fuchs (Woman in Kitchen), Contemporary Arts Museum,

Houston, TX

2005	Mom, Texas Gallery, Houston, TX
2004	New Work, Fayerweather Gallery, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA
2003 2002	Portrait Paintings, Texas Gallery, Houston, TX Saloon: Francesca Fuchs, Martin Woehrl, Homeroom, Munich, Germany
2001	Colorcode: Francesca Fuchs, Aaron Parazette, Sala Diaz, San Antonio, TX
2000	Sleeping In, Texas Gallery, Houston, TX
2000	Wallpaper, Annex, Conduit Gallery, Dallas, TX
1999	Prototypes, Galveston Arts Center, Galveston, TX
1998	Serenade and other works, Texas Gallery, Houston, TX
1997	Scenic Interlude (with music), DiverseWorks, Houston, TX Bent pipe and watercooler, Collective Gallery, Project Room, Edinburgh, Scotland

## **SELECT GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

2023	The Salesman, 56 Henry, New York, NY Before Apollo, Before the Sun, Galveston Artist Residency, Galveston, TX
2021	Freddy, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
2020	Animal Crossing, virtual exhibition, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
2019	Spree, Front Gallery, Houston, TX
2017	American Genre: Contemporary Painting, ICA at MECA, Portland, ME
2016	Garage Sale, And So Can You, 2619 Arbor St, Houston, TX Still(ed) Life, Part 1, Texas Gallery, Houston, TX
2015	Plant People, Galveston Artist Residency, Galveston, TX
2015	Destination Unknown, Talley Dunn Gallery, Dallas, TX
2014	Happy Homemakers: The Pleasures and Perils of Domestic Life, Sala Diaz, San Antonio, TX
2013	Back Room, Talley Dunn Gallery, Dallas, TX

2012	In Plain Sight, McClain Gallery, Houston, TX The Big Show 7, Silas Marder Gallery, Bridgehampton, NY
2010	No Barrier Fun, Lisa Cooley, New York, NY Don't I Know You, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX 40, Texas Gallery, Houston, TX
2008	Learning by Doing: 25 Years of the Core Program (Part I), Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX Reality Check, Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX
2007	Don't Mess With Texas, Nathan Larramendi Gallery, Ojai, CA The Language of Painting, University Gallery, Texas A&M, Commerce, TX Artadiareprised, DiverseWorks, Houston, TX
2006	Xtraordinary, Arthouse, Austin, TX (with Katrina Moorhead, Thomas Glassford)
2005	Drive Friendly, Ibid Projects, London, England Wallpainting, University of Texas, San Antonio, TX New Texas Painting, DiverseWorks, Houston, TX Painting Attack, Dallas Contemporary Arts Center, Dallas, TX
2004	Camp Lucky: Summer of Carnage, Deborah Colton Gallery, Houston, TX Hyper'real'ism, Fellowship series VI, Space 125, Cultural Arts Council of Houston, TX
2003	Patterns & Serial Randomness, Beaker Gallery, Tampa, FL
2002	Blip, Contemporary Arts Museum of the University of South Florida, Tampa, FL Hard Core, Galveston Arts Center, Galveston, TX Million Dollar Hotel, Holiday Inn Select, Houston, TX
2001	New Orleans Triennial, New Orleans Museum of Art, New Orleans, LA
2000	Thrifting, Lombard-Freid Fine Arts, New York, NY Out of the Ordinary, Contemporary Arts Museum, Houston, TX Natural Deceits, Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth, Fort Worth, TX Positexan, Project, Wichita, KS Ludwig Schwarz, Brad Tucker, Katrina Moorhead, Francesca Fuchs, Inman Gallery, Houston, TX
1999	Material Process Memory, Texas Fine Arts Association, Austin, TX Growing Up Post Modern, University Galleries, Normal, IL Size Matters, Gail Gates Gallery et al, Brooklyn, New York, NY 5 Artists, New Work, DiverseWorks, Houston, TX
1998	A Cool Show, Arlington Museum of Art, Arlington, TX Nirvana, The British Council Window Gallery, Prague, Czech Republic Field of Vision, Contemporary Arts Museum, Houston, TX Core Show, Glassell School, Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX

1997	Equal Pay, Revolution Summer Artspace, Houston, TX Core Show, Glassell School, Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX
1996	Moustache, 3 day performance, Cheltenham, England Fellas '96, Pittville Gallery, Cheltenham, England Whitechapel Open, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London, England
1995	Rundgang 1995, Kunstakademie Düsseldorf, Germany
1994	Klasse Cragg, Galerie Annelie Brusten, Wuppertal, Germany
1993	Western Exposure, Riverside Studios, London, England
1992-93	New Contemporaries 1992, Cornerhouse, Manchester; ICA, London, England
FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS, RESIDENCIES	
2020	Dora Maar Fellowship, Menerbes, France (postponed)
2018	Texas Artist of the Year, Art League, Houston, TX Support for Artists & Creative Individuals Grant, Houston Arts Alliance, TX
2017	MacDowell Colony, Josephine Mercy Heathcote Fellow, Peterborough, NH
2013	Individual Artist Grant, New Works Fellowship, Houston Arts Alliance, TX
2012	Artadia Award, The Fund for Art and Dialogue, New York, NY
2008	Individual Artist Grant Recipient, Houston Arts Alliance
2006	Hunting Art Prize, Houston, TX Artadia Award, The Fund for Art and Dialogue, New York, NY
2003	Individual Artist Grant Recipient, Houston Arts Alliance
1997	Eliza Price, Core Residency Program, Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX
1996-98	Core Residency Program and Fellowship, Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX
1995-96	Sculpture Research Fellow, Cheltenham College of Art, England
TALKS & PANELS	
2023	Fall '23 Painting Talks, University of Houston, Houston, TX
2021	Salon, Dora Maar Public Event, Menerbes, France

2019	Selection Panel, Bemis Center for the Arts, Omaha, NE Selection Committee, Houston Art League Artist of the Year, Houston, TX
2015	Artist's Eye, Kimbell Art Museum, Fort Worth, TX
2008	Selection Committee, Lawndale Artist Residence Program, Houston, TX
2006	The Artist's Eye, The Menil Collection, Houston, TX Contemporary Salon: Girls Night Out, Blaffer Gallery, University of Houston, TX
2005-2007	Artist Board, Lawndale Art Center, Houston, TX
2004	Selection Committee, Core Residency Program, Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX
2003	Brown Bag Lunch Chuck Close, Blaffer Gallery, University of Houston, TX
2000	Tuesday Evening At The Modern, Fort Worth Art Museum, Fort Worth, TX
1999	Panel Discussion Material Process Memory, ArtHouse, Austin, TX
1998	Selection Committee, Core Residency Program, Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX Powerlunch, Andreas Gursky, Contemporary Arts Museum, Houston, TX

#### **SELECT PUBLICATIONS**

Anspon, Catherine D. Texas Artists Today. Marquand Books, 2010.

August, Laura and Francesca Fuchs. Francesca Fuchs: She lives with objects. Houston, TX: Art League Houston and Inman Gallery, 2018.

Auping, Michael. Natural Deceits. Fort Worth, TX: Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth, 2000.

Colpitt, Frances. Wallpainting. San Antonio, TX: The University of Texas at San Antonio, 2005.

de Lima Greene, Alison, Thomas Lawson, Lane Relyea, and Claire Barliant. *CORE Artists and Critics in Residence*. Houston, TX: The Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, 2008.

Grabner, Michelle and Marie Shurkus. *American Genre: Contemporary Painting.* Portland, ME: Institute of Contemporary Art at MECA, 2018.

Hopps, Walter. 5 Artists New Work. Diverseworks, Houston, TX, 1999.

Irvine, Alexandra. Field of Vision. Houston, TX: Contemporary Arts Museum, Houston, 1998.

Morsiani, Paola and Lynn M. Herbert. *Out of the Ordinary*. Houston, TX: Contemporary Arts Museum, 2000.

Morsiani, Paola. *Perspectives 155: Francesca Fuchs.* Houston, TX: Contemporary Arts Museum Houston, 2007.

Relyea, Lane. *Core 1998*. Glassell School of Art, Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX. 1998. Rosmarin, Susie, et al. *New Orleans Triennial*. New Orleans, LA: New Orleans Museum of Art, 2001.

Warner, Marina, with Derek Jarman and Guy Brett. *New Contemporaries 1992*. New Contemporaries, Newlyn Orion, Penzance; Cornerhouse Manchester; Angel Row and Bonington Gallery, Nottingham; Orpheus Gallery, Belfast; Institute of Contemporary Arts, London.

#### **SELECT REVIEWS & ARTICLES**

"Sketches for Three Voices at testsite Austin," Lauren Moya Ford, Glasstire, April 5, 2023

"Francesca Fuchs Tenderly Renders the Small and Private," Lauren Moya Ford, Hyperallergic, February 21, 2022.

"Top Five (1. Francesca Fuchs: Serious and Slightly Funny Things, AMSET)," Glasstire, 12/16/2021

"Le Systeme des Objets': Francesca Fuchs' Paintings and Mugs at Talley Dunn Gallery," Michael Frank Blair, Glasstire, June 13, 2020.

"New Public Art in Houston Brings Cheer to a Somber Year," Molly Glentzer, Houston Chronicle, December 15, 2020 (print and online)

"Painting from Memory," Chris Becker, HoustonCityBook, August 16, 2018.

"Show Up: Francesca Fuchs," Casey Gregory, TX Arts + Culture, August 29, 2018.

"Lawndale mural gets a minimalist makeover," Molly Glentzer, The Houston Chronicle,

January 7, 2018.

"Low-key Fuchs named 2018 Texas Artist of the Year," Molly Glentzer, The Houston Chronicle, March 26, 2018.

"Sleight of Hand: Francesca Fuchs at Lawndale Art Center," Nancy Wozny, TX Arts + Culture January 30, 2018.

"Glasstire's Best of 2017," Betsy Huete, Glasstire, December 22, 2017.

"Suggesting the Eternal," Casey Gregory, Arts + Culture Texas, December 4, 2015.

"5 Art Openings for Your Weekend," Peter Simek, D Magazine, November 20, 2015.

"Francesca Fuchs: (Re)Collection," Rachel Hooper, Art Ltd,. Nov/Dec 2013, 40.

"Found Objects," Kelly Klaasmeyer, Houston Press, September 26, 2013, p27.

"Francesca Fuchs: Paintings of Paintings at Talley Dunn Gallery," Robyn O'Neil, Glasstire,

October 9, 2012.

"14 Must-See Painting Shows: October," Steven Zevitas, Huffington Post, November 7, 2012.

"London Review: Bill Davenport, Francesca Fuchs and Brad Tucker, Ibid Projects, Wren M. Allen," Artlies 49, Winter 2006 p120.

"Report from Houston, Space City takes Off," Frances Colpitt, Art in America 88, no. 12

October 2000, p128.

"Critics Picks: Francesca Fuchs," Garland Fielder, Artforum.com, March 3, 2010.

"Varieties of Abstraction/Lisa Cooley Fine Art," Roberta Smith, The New York Times,

August 6, 2010.

"Francesca Fuchs at the Contemporary Art Museum," Charles Dee Mitchell, Art in America 11, December 2007, p.164-165.

"Francesca Fuchs: Perspectives 155," Michelle White, Artlies 54, Summer 2007, p.91.

"Wall Painting at UTSA gallery," Jennifer Jankauskas, Glasstire, September 2, 2005.

"Breast in Show," Kelly Klaasmeyer, Houston Press, September 22, 2005.

"A Conversation on Painting," Paola Morsiani, Artlies 47, Summer 2005.

"Painting Attack," David Michael Perez, Glasstire, January 14, 2005.

"Thrifting," The New York Times, Holland Cotter, January 5, 2001.

"Hot Spots, Texas," Janet Tyson, Art Papers, July/August 2001.

"Thrifting," Ken Johnson, The New York Times, December 22, 2000.

"Growing Up Post Modern," Laura Stoland, New Art Examiner, February 2000.

#### **PUBLIC ART COMMISSIONS**

2021-2022	Yellow Glow, Fresh Arts and The City of Houston and MKT, Underpass at N.Shepherd, Houston TX
2019	Long Flower Mural, George Bush Intercontinental Airport, Terminal C, Gate C15
2017-2019	North Exterior Wall, Lawndale Art Center, Houston, TX
2012	Leo, Rice University, McMurtry Common, Houston, TX