

# **BEN WEINER**

Born, 1980, Burlington, VT Lives and works in Queens, NY

## **EDUCATION**

2003 BA, Studio Art, Wesleyan University, Middletown, CT
 2001 Independent study program, muralism, Universidad de las Americas,
 Puebla, Mexico

# SOLO AND TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS

2024 The Void of Space with M. Benjamin Herndon, Kristen Lorello Gallery, New York, NY,

Curated by Ping Zheng

Mood Drawings, Mark Moore Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

- 2023 Diary, Hunted Projects, Edinburgh, Scotland
- 2022 Colors of You, Mark Moore Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 2021 Mundillos, Mark Moore Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 2020 Petals, Mark Moore Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 2019 Gel Variations, Mark Moore Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 2018 Looks, Mark Moore Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 2017 Altered States, Mark Moore Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 2016 Textures of You, Mark Moore Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 2014 MaximumStrengthAgeDefy, Mark Moore Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 2012 Opening, Benrimon Contemporary, New York, NY
   2011 Ben Weiner: Paintings and Video, The Tarble Arts Center at Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, IL
- 2010 Material and Illusion, Mark Moore Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 2007 GlamTrance, Mark Moore Gallery, Los Angeles, CA 2006 Pod Art II, video collaboration with Liz Magic Laser, 31 Grand, New York, NY Eastern Boys and Western Girls, two-person exhibition with David Shapiro, Kathleen Cullen, New York, NY

### SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2025 Inter/States, Craven Contemporary/Last Gallery, Kent, CT. Curated by Michael DeFeo

Spectrum, Kristen Lorello Gallery, New York, NY Paper Room, Halsey McKay Gallery, Brooklyn, NY Works on Paper, Hunted Projects, Edinburgh, Scotland Abstraction in Motion, Mark Moore Fine Art, Los Angeles, CA



2023 Art on Paper, Mark Moore Fine Art, Los Angeles, CA

2021 Artists for Humans, Artists for Humans, New York, NY. Curated by Hannah Beerman

2020 Notebook, 56 Henry, New York, NY. Curated by Joanne Greenbaum

2019 While Supplies Last, Bellevue Arts Museum, Bellevue, WA
Euphoric Flex, Baby Blue Gallery, Chicago, IL. Curated by Andrew Woolbright
One Night Only, Hunted Projects, Edinburgh, UK
Future Love, The Modern Love Club, New York, NY

2018 Drop Out, Below Grand, New York, NY. Curated by Andrew Woolbright

2017 Premier, Allouche Gallery, New York, NY
 2016 Olimpia's Eyes, curated by Ben Weiner and Jessica Hodin, Zevitas
 Marcus Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

2015 Cloud 9, Artspace, New Haven, CT

2014 Post-Psychedelic Dreams, Grey Area / Grey East at Glenn Horowitz, East Hampton, NY. Curated by Kyle DeWoody

Pop Culture, Boca Raton Museum of Art, Boca Raton, FL.

Under the Influence of Finance and Fashion, The Carnegie Art Museum, Oxnard, CA

2013 Selections from the Frederick R. Weisman Collection, Mana Contemporary Art Center, Jersey City, NJ

The Alumni Show II, Ezra and Cecile Zilkha Gallery at Wesleyan

University, Middletown, CT. Curated by John Ravenal

Scientific Visions, Ochi Gallery, Ketchum, ID

2011 Ben Weiner: Na + (aq) + C5H8NO - (aq) NaC5H8NO4(s), New Media

Room, Bruno David Gallery, St Louis, MO

Red Force Fields, David Richard Gallery, Santa Fe, NM.

2010 Under the Influence of Fashion and Finance, The Frederick R. Weisman Museum, Malibu, CA

Un-titled (Abstraction), David Richard Gallery, Santa Fe, NM

Elements of Nature, The Carnegie Art Museum, Oxnard, CA

2009 Project Space, Winkleman Gallery, New York, NY

Full Circle: Ten Years of Radius, The Aldrich Contemporary Art Museum, Ridgefield, CT.

Curated by Regine Basha

2008 Pretty Things: Confronting Sensuousness, Artspace, New Haven, CT Painting's Edge, Riverside Art Museum, Riverside, CA. Curated by Roland Reiss

2007 La Historia de Llorar por El, La Gruta, Mexico City, Mexico

2006 All That Glitters, Kathleen Cullen, New York RADIUS, The Aldrich Contemporary Art Museum, Ridgefield, CT. Curated by Jessica Hough

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2022 Berry, Robert, "Artist Q & A," Art Review City, January 2022

2019 Meyer, James, "Notebook, 56 Henry," *Artforum*, May 2019 Russeth, Andrew, "Six Superb Shows in New York: Jessi Reaves, Mimi Gross, Nolan Simon, 'Strategic Vandalism,' 'Notebook,' and Caroline Goe," *Artnews*. March 2019

2016 Shi, Diana, "Al Dreamgirls and Digital Shrimp Cocktails Color this Post-Internet Group Show, *Vice: The Creator's Project*, July 2, 2016 2015 Herriman, Kat, "The Best Multimedia Artists Working Today," *W* 

Magazine, August 22, 2015

Cox, Steven, "Ben Weiner," Hunted Projects, September 2015

2014 Herriman, Kat, "Artist Ben Weiner, Who Makes Art With Drugs, Opens His New York Studio," *W Magazine*, August 25, 2014

Stadlen, Rebecca, "Tie Dye," Vogue, August 2014

Cheng, Susan, "Before You Visit Post-Psychedelic Dreams," *Complex*, July 3, 2014

Small, Rachel, "How the Dallas Art Fair Takes You In," *Interview*, March 2014 Caldwell, Ellen C., "Ecstasy and Eye Candy: Ben Weiner at Mark Moore Gallery,"

review, New American Paintings, March 2014

Baldwin, Rosecrans, "The Age of Axe Shower Gel," *The Morning News*, February 2014

Zevitas, Steven, "Must See Painting Shows: March," *The Huffington Post*, March 2014

"Interview with Ben Weiner," Art Blitz Los Angeles, February 24, 2014

"Ben Weiner: MaximumStrengthAgeDefy," Glasstire, February, 2014

2013 Artsy Editorial, "Ben Weiner on Painting Paint," Artsy, February 2013
 Backus, Jessica, "From Abstracted to Abstraction," Artsy, January 2013
 2012 Zevitas, Steven, "12 Must See Painting Shows: November 2012," The Huffington Post, November 14, 2012

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2011 Sesser, Stan, "The Art Assembly Line," *The Wall Street Journal*, June 3, 2011 2010 Garza, Evan, "In the Studio: Ben Weiner," *New American Paintings blog*, July 6, 2010

2009 Hull, Timothy and Shapiro, David, "OpenAppleShift3," *Museo*, Fall 2009 Genocchio, Benjamin, "A Show Goes Heavy on a Traditional Medium Yet Feels Fresh," review, *The New York Times*, January 4, 2009

Hodara, Susan, "Celebrating a Decade of Nurturing Artists on the Verge," *The New York Times*, January 4, 2009

Mergel, Jen (juror), *New American Paintings*, No. 80, Winter 2009 2008 Kobasa, Stephen Vincent, "Painted Over: Reflections on a Desperate



Art," New Haven Advocate, June 5, 2008

Markle, Leslie, "Ben Weiner, Ali Smith," review, ArtUS, No. 20
2007 Jacobs, Joseph, "Strange Forces: Four Painters Create Ambiguous,
Provocative Imagery that Touches on the Sublime," Art & Antiques, June 2007
Resneck, Jacob, "Ben Weiner: GlamTrance," Cool Hunting, June 14, 2007
Dean, Cecilia, "Finger on the Pulse," V Magazine, February 22, 2007
2006 Ollman, Leah, "Larger Than Life in Liquid Pigment," Los Angeles Times,

July 28, 2006
Ollman, Leah, "International Art with Youthful Edge," Los Angeles Times,
July 28, 2006

2005 Baume, Nicholas (juror), New American Paintings, No. 56 Winter 2005

#### **AWARDS**

2024 Louis Comfort Tiffany Foundation Biennial Grant Nominee

2012 Fiscal Sponsorship, Artspire/New York Foundation for the Arts

2010 Painting Fellowship, New York Foundation for the Arts

### **PUBLIC COLLECTIONS**

Museum of Fine Art Houston, Houston, TX
Microsoft Collection, Redmond, WA
Frederick R. Weisman, CA
Progressive Insurance, OH
Sammlung/Collection Mondstudio, Assembled by Adrian Koerfer, Germany

#### VISITING ARTIST LECTURES

2016 Artsy, New York, NY

2013 CSSSA Weisman Guest Artist, California Institute of the Arts, Valencia, CA 2012 University of California, Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA

2011 University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, IL

2010 Wesleyan University, Middletown, CT

2009 The Aldrich Contemporary Art Museum, Ridgefield, CT
 2008 Painting's Edge, Idyllwild Arts Foundation, Idyllwild, CA