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HYUN JUNG AHN (b. 1986)

Hyun Jung Ahn is a Brooklyn-based multidisciplinary artist from Seoul, South Korea. Through her work, she investigates enigmatic abstract forms, which she references as “shapes of mind.” She begins by drawing from her visual diary, which captures feelings, personal connections, and emotional states of being. She then translates these notions into minimalistic drawing, painting, and sculpture. Ahn was selected as the 'Emerging Young Artist' at La Mer Gallery, Seoul, South Korea, and was the winner of the Emerging Art Award at Baditto Art, Tuscany, Italy. She has attended residencies including Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, VT, MASS MoCA, North Adams, MA, and Trestle Art Space, Brooklyn, NY. Ahn Graduated from Duk-Sung Women's University, Seoul (in 2010 B.F.A and 2013 M.F.A) and received her second M.F.A in painting and drawing from Pratt Institute and currently lives and works in Brooklyn.

EDUCATION

- 2017 M.F.A. Painting and Drawing, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY
- 2013 M.F.A. Painting, Duksung Women's University, Seoul, Korea
- 2010 B.F.A. Duksung Women's University, Seoul, Korea

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

SOLO

- 2024 *Beyond the Crevices*, Baik Art, Seoul, Korea
Butterfly, SH Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
- 2023 *Give and Take: Hyun Jung Ahn & Erin Lynn Welsh*, Uprise Art, New York, NY
- 2022 *Rendezvous*, Heather Gaudio Fine Art, New Canaan, CT
Night Flight, Gallery Doll, Seoul, Korea
- 2021 *The Time of Clouds*, Space Kyeol, Seoul, Korea
- 2019 *Shapes of Mind*, Gallery La Mer, Seoul, Korea
- 2017 *What I Wanted to Say*, Dekalb Gallery, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY
- 2013 *The One Delicate Moment*, Gallery La Mer, Seoul, Korea
- 2012 *From Here*, Insa Gallery, Seoul, Korea

GROUP

- 2024 *The Summer Show*, Heather Gaudio Fine Art, Greenwich, CT
Return Focus, Shepard, Larkspur, CA
- 2023 *Making Their Mark*, Heather Gaudio Fine Art, Greenwich, CT
Hyun Jung Ahn & Erin Lynn Welsh, Uprise Art, New York, NY
Beneath the Layer, Baik Art, Jakarta, Indonesia
- 2021 *My Home: Abstract Language*, Gallery Kabinett, Seoul, Korea
Shifting Sands, Chashama, New York, NY
- 2020 *Set Apart*, Uprise Art, New York, NY
The Story that Only I Can See, Dohing Art, Seoul, Korea
In/Between: Transfigure 2020 supported by NYFA LAP, New York, NY
East-West Expressway curated by Michael Brennan, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY
- 2019 *Sarah Shepard Gallery and 3 Walls*, Sarah Shepard Gallery, Larkspur, CA
Two-person show: Hidden Artists in Hidden M, Hidden M Gallery, Seoul, Korea
Banditto Emerging Art Prize Group show, Galleria Banditto, Tuscany, Italy
Colors, Ian Art Space, Seoul, Korea
- 2018 *Bear Necessities: Pratt Fine Arts Alumni Exhibition*, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY
Nu Perspectives, Nu Hotel, Brooklyn, NY
Asia week Special Exhibition: Passion. Continued, Gallery Korea, Korean Cultural Center, New York, NY
- 2017 *Unrestricted; Trestle Art Space resident artists group show*, Trestle Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
BOW, The Midway Gallery, San Francisco, CA

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- Passion. Connected, 100x100*, Gallery Korea, Korean Cultural Center, New York, NY
Art Hearts Fashion at New York Fashion Week, Angel Orensanz Foundation, New York, NY
Small Works 2017 curated by Bill Carroll, Trestle Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
The Graduate Fine Arts 2017, Schafler Gallery, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY
2016 *Never Stop Never Settle* (Wild rabbit project from Hennessy), Art Basel, Miami, FL
Potluck, Steuben Gallery, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY
The Unoriginal Show, Pratt Gallery, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY
2015 *All at Once*, Steuben Gallery, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY
2014 *ASYAAF (Asia Students and Young Artists Art Festival)*, Culture Station Seoul 284, Seoul, Korea
2013 *Muet*, Jaemi Gallery, Seoul, Korea
2012 *Link Between*, Yeon Gallery, Jeju Island, Korea
2011 *8th Moving Sound*, Gana Art Space, Seoul, Korea
2010 *7th Moving Sound*, Kwanhoon Gallery, Seoul, Korea
Quark, Gallery PICI, Seoul, Korea

RESIDENCIES

- 2018 Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, VT, June 2018
Artist Studio at Massachusetts Museum of Contemporary Art, North Adams, MA, April 2018
Canal Street Market, New York, NY, February 2018
2017 Trestle Art Space, Brooklyn, NY, July-December 2017

SELECTED GRANTS & AWARDS

- 2021 Arthub Critic Project, Arthub, Seoul, Korea
2020 NYFA Immigrant Artist Mentoring Program, New York Foundation for Arts, Brooklyn, NY
2019 1st Prize of Emerging Art Award, Banditto Art, Tuscany, Italy
2018 Merit-based Artist's Grant, Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, VT
2017 Honored Outstanding Merit at 2017 Graduation Awards, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY
2013 Selected 'Emerging Young Artists' by La Mer Gallery, Seoul, Korea

SELECTED COLLECTIONS

TD Bank Corporation Art Collection, Toronto, Canada