GARY HUME



BIOGRAPHY

Gary Hume is known for figurative and abstract paintings on aluminum panels, which often feature startling color combinations made with paints purchased premixed from a hardware store. Born 1962, he attended Goldsmith's College in London. He represented Britain at the Venice Biennale in 1999 and the Bienal de São Paulo in 1996, the same year he was nominated for the Turner Prize. His work was the subject of a one-person exhibition at Whitechapel Art Gallery, London, in 1999, and in 2001 he was elected to the Royal Academy. Monographic shows of Hume's work were organized at the Kestnergesellschaft, Hannover, and the Kunsthaus Bregenz, Austria, in 2004, and Modern Art Oxford mounted a survey show of his Door paintings in 2008. In 2013, Tate Britain presented a focused survey spanning Hume's career. Since 2017 he has opened exhibitions of new work in London, New York, Berlin, Los Angeles and Seoul. In March 2020 a exhibition of Destroyed School Paintings at Museum Dhondt Dhaenens in Ghent, Belgium.

Hume is represented by Matthew Marks Gallery in the US and Sprüth Magers across Europe. He lives and works in London and Accord, New York.

SELECTED SOLO SHOWS:

2020

Gary Hume – Destroyed School Paintings, Museum Dhondt-Dhaenens, Sint-Martens-Latem, BE

2019

Gary Hume: Destroyed School Paintings, Matthew Marks Gallery, NY,

Gary Hume: Looking and Seeing, Barakat Contemporary, Seoul, KR

Gary Hume: Carvings, New Art Centre, Salisbury, UK Gary Hume, Matthew Marks Gallery, Los Angeles, USA

2018

Gary Hume, Sprüth Magers, Berlin, DE

SELECTED GROUP SHOWS:

2020

Nature Observed, Lyndsey Ingram, London, UK Virtual Exhibition | Hurricanes Hardly Ever Happen, Lyndsey Ingram, London, UK

2019

Winter Garden, Lyndsey Ingram, London, UK

2018

Michael Jackson: On the Wall, National Portrait Gallery, London, UK Summer Exhibition 2018, Royal Academy of Arts, London, UK

SELECTED COLLECTIONS:

Art Institute of Chicago, USA Arts Council of Great Britain, UK Astrup Fearnley Moderne Kunst, Olso, NO Bonnefanten Museum, Maastricht, DE British Council, London, UK Centre George Pompidou, Paris, FR Dallas Museum of Art, Dallas, USA DESTE Foundation for Contemporary Art, Athens, GR Government Art Collection, London, UK Irish Museum of Modern Art, Dublin, IE Kunstmuseum Wolfsburg, Wolfsburg, DE LACMA, Los Angeles, USA MoMA, New York, USA Paine Webber Art Collection, New York, USA Royal Academy of Arts, London, UK Royal Collection, London, UK San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco, USA Saatchi Collection, London, UK Tate Gallery, London, UK Victoria & Albert Museum, London, UK