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HOWARD FONDA | CURRICULUM VITAE:

b. 1974 in Syracuse, NY. Lives and works in Portland, OR.

EDUCATION

MFA, Painting and Drawing, School of the Art Institute of Chicago

BS, History and Fine Art, Nazareth College of Rochester, Rochester, NY

School of Visual Arts, New York, NY

Sorbonne, Paris, France

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2021 *Quand la cage set faite, l'houseaux s'envole*, Ampersand, Portland, OR
- 2020 *The Message or the Messenger*, Goldfinch Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2019 *Licorice*, Grifter, New York, NY
Carry Me, Space, Portland, ME
Yesterday's and Today's, Ditch Projects, Springfield, OR
- 2018 *You Can't Stop the Spring*, Melanie Flood Projects, Portland, OR
- 2017 *Les Premiers Seront Les Derniers*, Art in the Governor's Office, Salem, OR
- 2016 *Thoughts From a Stolen Land*, The Dot Project, London, UK,
- 2014 *Everything and Nothing*, Mixed Greens, New York, NY
- 2011 *Howard Fonda: Howard Fonda*, Mixed Greens, New York, NY,
I'm Here, You're There, Ebers Moore Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2010 *Squonk's Tears*, Mixed Greens, New York, NY,
- 2009 *Between Thought and Feeling*, Roots and Culture, Chicago, IL
- 2008 *A Healthy Sense of All I Do Not Know*, Mixed Greens, New York, NY
You Go You're Way & I'll Go Mine, Light & Sie Gallery, Dallas, TX
Nothing To Live Up To, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
Things. Ideas., Harwood Art Center, Albuquerque, NM
- 2007 *Desire, Emotion, Knowledge*, Duchess, Chicago, IL
- 2006 *I Feel Like Goin' Back*, Mixed Greens, New York, NY
- 2004 *...With Love*, Mixed Greens Gallery, New York

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 *Community Garden*, Johansson Projects, Oakland CA
- 2021 *Wild Frontiers*, The Pit, Los Angeles, CA,
Transgression Throughout the Volatile World, Asia Art Center, Taipei, Taiwan
- 2020 *In the Garden: Delphine Hennelly and Howard Fonda*, Massey Klein Gallery, NY, NY
Make Me One with Everything, Grifter, NY, NY,

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- 2019 *Biofilia*, Unpaved Gallery, curated by Emily Burns, Yucca Valley, CA
Summer Soup, Three Four Three, New York, NY
Celestial Seasons, 0-0 LA, Los Angeles, CA
- 2018 *Visitors From a Shallow Space*, curated by Annie Hémond Hotte and Nora Nieves, Fresh Window, New York, NY,
The Beasts, curated by Dana Bassett, Circle Contemporary, The Arts for Life, Chicago, IL,
A Tree Falls in the Woods, curated by FMLY, Hashimoto Contemporary, San Francisco, CA
To a God Unknown, Mrs. Gallery, New York, NY
Fragmented Realities, Nonfinito Gallery, New York, NY
Geranium, curated by Adrienne Rubenstein, Stems Gallery, Brussels, Belgium
- 2017 *American Genre: Contemporary Painting*, curated by Michelle Grabner, ICA at Maine College of Art, Portland ME
(catalog) Water & Dreams, curated by Katy Cowan, Chicken Coop Contemporary, Portland, OR
Three, Ampersand, Portland, OR
Ohne Kraft, Slow, Chicago, IL
Figure it Out, EDDYSROOM, Brooklyn, NY
Ocotillo, curated by Jonathan DeDecker, Stella Elkins Gallery, Tyler School of Art, Philadelphia, PA,
- 2016 *Eighth Show: Robert Davis and Howard Fonda*, EDDYSROOM, Brooklyn, NY
A Show of Hand, David Lusk Gallery, Nashville, TN
Portland2016 Biennial, curated by Michelle Grabner, Disjecta, Portland, OR
(catalog) By Hand, Carrie Secrist Gallery, Chicago, IL
Fifth Show: Pink & Green, EDDYSROOM, Brooklyn, NY,
ROOTS, Roots & Culture, Chicago, IL
What is the Message: The Brilliant Influence of Deborah Boardman, a Collective Survey, Heaven, Chicago, IL
The Heart of the Matter, curated by Jessica Cochran, The Gaylord & Dorothy Donnelley Foundation, Chicago, IL
- 2015 *I Can't Wait to Get Off Work*, Bannerette, Brooklyn, NY
Second Show, Eddy's Room, Brooklyn, NY
Natural States, Dowd Gallery, State University of New York, Cortland, NY
The Suburban: 16 Years, Mount Airy Contemporary, Philadelphia, PA
Chrome Green, Heaven, Chicago, IL
- 2012 *Course/Discourse*, The Park School Gallery, Baltimore, MD
Surface Tension, South Bend Art Museum, South Bend, IN
- 2010 *Growing Young: Austin Eddy & Howard Fonda*, Hungryman Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2009 *Group Painting Show*, ebersmoore, Chicago, IL
X: Tenth Anniversary Show, Mixed Greens, New York, NY

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- 2008 *Finding a Pulse*, 516 Arts, Albuquerque, NM
Paper Love, Devening Projects + Editions, Chicago, IL
- 2007 *Notions of Wilderness*, Kasia Kay Art Projects, Chicago, IL
- 2006 *Moreover: Practicing Representation and Abstraction*, Beverly Arts Center, Chicago
For Real?, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
- 2005 *Westown*, Gallerie 40,000, Chicago, IL
- 2004 *Good and Bad Things Come from Explosions*, PAC/Edge, Chicago, IL
Uncovered, 8.5 x 11, Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, IL
Chicago, Chicago, Chicago, Raid Projects, Los Angeles, CA
- 2003 *Sans Titre*, Akademie der Bildenden Kunst, Munich, Germany
Metabolism: Energy Made Available, Stray Show, Chicago, IL
Becoming a Better Person, Mixed Greens, New York, NY
- 2002 *Tasty Dog*, Krems, Austria
8.5 x 11, Bodybuilder & Sportsman, Chicago, IL
Signature Series I, The Creek South Beach, Miami, FL
9 Chicago Painters, curated by Shane Campbell, Lawton Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay, WI
The Pick-Up, 1926 Gallery, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL
The Summer Show, Gallery 312, Chicago, IL
PG-13, Schroeder Romero Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
Material Difference, Barbara Davis Gallery, Houston, TX
- 2001 *Shows*, Akademie der Bildenden Künste, Munich, Germany
Subject: Picture, the Optimistic, Chicago, IL
Ontology, the optimistic, Chicago, IL
- 2000 *Dissimulation*, Peter Miller Gallery, Chicago, IL
Summer, Peter Miller Gallery, Chicago, IL
Olé Olé, Gallery 2, Chicago, IL

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GRANTS

2018 Oregon Arts Commission Grant
2007 Joan Mitchell Foundation Grant to attend the Atlantic Center for the Arts
2003 River North Association Artist Luncheon
2000 Awards Student Leadership Award, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
1999 School of the Art Institute of Chicago Graduate Studies Grant
Schweinfurth Art Center Award of Honor

TEACHING

Instructor, School of the Art Institute of Chicago: Painting and Drawing Department, Foundations Department, and Continuing Studies Department, 2001- 2008

SELECTED ARTIST LECTURES

2020 Graduate Critique Panel, University of Oregon
2019 Visiting Artist, Ash Street Project, Portland, OR
2016-18 Graduate Critique Panel, Oregon College of Art and Craft
2013 Visiting Professor, Oxbow, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago
2012 Visiting Artist, Rhode Island School of Design
2011 Visiting Professor, Oxbow, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago
2008 Graduate Critique Panel, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
2007 Visiting Artist, Pacific Northwest College of Art, Portland, OR
Graduate Critique Panel, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Juror, Scholastic Art Awards, The Alliance for Young Artists & Writers, NY, NY
2006 Graduate Critique Panel, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
2005 Visiting Artist, University of Texas at Tyler, 2005
Graduate Critique Panel, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
2004 Panelist, Artistic Arrogance and the Contemporary Moment, Art Chicago
Panelist, The Prevalence of Fantastic Doodling, Utopian Overtures & Sentimental
Nostalgia in Recent Art, Three Walls, Chicago, IL
Graduate Critique Panel, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Panel Discussion: Strategies for Post-Grad School, School of the Art Institute of
Chicago
2003 Graduate Critique Panel, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
You sure about this place?, Sioux City Art Center, IA
2002 First Year Program Lecture Series, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Summer show artist talk, Gallery 312, Chicago, IL

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2001 Akademie der Bildenden, Künst, Munich, Germany

CURATORIAL PROJECTS

Slow Down, University of Texas, Tyler, 2005 (co-curated with Matthew Rich, catalog)

A Measure of Taste, The Guest Room, Chicago, IL 2005

Hubris, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL May 2004

(curated by The Pond, catalog) Brad Killam, Stephan Fritsch, and Ruth Root, Bridge Magazine, Vol. 2, No. 2, 2003

Catching Up With the Sun, Klein Art, Chicago, IL 2003

(co-curated with David Coyle) The Pond, Chicago, IL: Founding member and Co-Director of The Pond, a curatorial triumvirate that organized group exhibitions in a storefront gallery in Chicago's Westtown area. Made up of David Coyle, Howard Fonda and Jeff M. Ward, The Pond championed issues such as artists' intentionality, art objects' autonomy and the vitality of discourse that surround making and viewing art. Swerve and Break, 2004

Allover and At Once, 2003, organized by Lane Relyea The Impotent Landscape, 2003 curated by Middle Management Intentions, 2003

Stray Show, Chicago, 2002, co-curated with Nicholas Frank

You sure about this place?, 2002, co-curated with Kathryn Hixson (travel to Sioux City Art Center, IA) Aficionado, 2002

Avalanche, 2002, co-curated with Michelle Grabner and Brad Killam COLLECTIONS Museum X, Beijing, China Museum of Modern Art, New York Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago

Joan Flasch Artist Book Collection at the Art Institute of Chicago Microsoft Art Collection, Seattle SEI Collection, Oaks, PA