

HESSE FLATOW

ADRIENNE ELISE TARVER

B. 1985, New Jersey

Lives and works in Brooklyn, NY

EDUCATION

2011 MFA, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL

2007 BFA, Boston University, Boston, MA, Painting, Printmaking, Art History

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2024 Brattleboro Museum, Brattleboro, VT

She who sits, Public Art Fund, New York, Chicago and Boston

Where the Waters Go, Dinner Gallery, New York, NY

2023 Solo Booth Presentation, Art Basel Miami Beach, Welancora, Miami, FL

Absorbing the Storm, Art Shack Gallery, Brooklyn, NY

To Learn the Dark, Ochi Projects, Los Angeles, CA

2022 Manifesting Paradise, Academy Art Museum, Easton, MD

2021 The Sun, the Moon & the Truth, Aldrich Museum of Contemporary Art,
Ridgefield, CT

Underfoot, Atlanta Contemporary, Atlanta, GA

Terra Incognita, Art-in-Buildings, New York, NY

2020 Escape, Victori+Mo, New York, NY

History Reclaimed, Hollis Taggart, New York, NY

Handle with Care, Wedge Curatorial, Toronto, ON, CA

2019 Veil, Gallery 310, Marietta College, Marietta, OH

2018 Mirage, Ochi Projects, Los Angeles, CA

Origin: Fictions of Belonging, Wave Hill, Sunroom Project Space, Bronx, NY

2017 Secrets of Leaves, Victori+Mo, Brooklyn, NY

2016 Stories of Shadows, Victori+Mo, Brooklyn, NY

2016 Eavesdropping, BRIC Project Space, Brooklyn, NY

2013 In the Eaves - A-M Gallery - Sydney, Australia

2009 Paintings, Drawings & Installations – Art Matrix Gallery – Chicago, IL

SELECT GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2025 *Even In Arcadia There I Am*, HESSE FLATOW, New York, NY

2024 Against Utopia - curated by nico w. okoro, Diane Rosenstein, Los Angeles, CA

On Woman Hating - curated by Alyssa Alexander, Project for Empty Space,
Newark, NJ

2023 Spirits and Rocks: No Calm Seas - Carmina Galeria de Arte Contemporanea,
Museu de Angra do Heroísmo, Portugal

Buddy System III - Deanna Evans Projects, New York, NY

In My Bag - Cierra Britton Gallery, Brooklyn, NY

Reminisce, Hollis Taggart, New York, NY

Faculty and Staff Show, Pratt Institute - Schafner Gallery, Brooklyn, NY 2022

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- Our Blue Planet, Seattle Art Museum, Seattle, WA
“Figure, Character, Sign” - A Plus A Gallery, Venice, Italy
“Arrangements in Black” - Phillips New York, New York, NY
- 2021 Group Chat - Julius Caesar, Chicago, IL
On The Road: Chocolate Cities - Tone Gallery, Memphis, TN
Stopgap - Massimo De Carlo Gallery, VSpace
Becoming Buoyant - Ortega y Gasset Projects, Brooklyn, NY
- 2020 Abstract is not a Style - Hollis Taggart, Southport, CT
Interiors: hello from the living room - 1969 Gallery, NY, NY
Art on the Grid - Public Art Fund, New York
The Pursuit of Aesthetics - Morgan Lehman, New York, NY
Inside Art - Children’s Museum of Manhattan, New York, NY
- 2019 These Times are Racing - Arisohn + Murphy, Highline 9, NY
Plastic Garden, Asya Geisberg Gallery, New York, NY
SPF 32, Brooklyn, NY
Foliaform, Goucher College, Baltimore, MD
Human Nature, Tiger Strikes Asteroid, Brooklyn, NY
- 2018 Pulse Projects & Collaborations, Pulse Art Fair, Miami, FL
Art, Artists, and You - Children’s Museum of Manhattan
Mirrored By Nature, Welancora Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
Queer Tropics, Pelican Bomb at Transformer, Washington, DC
Indoor Outside, Spring Break Art Show, New York, NY
Keepsake - Galleries Night, Bangkok, Thailand
- 2017 Queer Tropics, Pelican Bomb, New Orleans, LA
Bronx Calling: Fourth AIM Biennial, Bronx Museum of the Arts, Bronx, NY
The Secret Life of Plants, Freight+Volume, New York, NY
Plant Patterns- Arsenal Gallery, New York, NY
Threshold, Codify Art at Underdonk Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
Parting and Together, Greenpoint Hill Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
Duty Free, Ground Floor Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
Summer in the City: The Brooklyn Show - Newburyport, MA
- 2016 Pulse/Trigger, Sine Gallery, Newark, NJ
Plus One (+1) - Trestle Contemporary, Brooklyn, NY
BRIC Gala Auction - BRIC Arts Media, Brooklyn, NY
Trestle Benefit Exhibition - Trestle Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
Childhood Cancer Benefit - On Stellar Rays Gallery, New York, NY
30 Under 30-ish, Victori+Mo, Brooklyn, NY
In The Works, Unisex Salon, Brooklyn, NY
- 2015 Fresh Catch - Fastnet, Brooklyn, NY
Winter Benefit - Trestle Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
PRIME - Trestle Gallery Pop-up Space, Brooklyn, NY
Posse - Private Residence - Aspen, CO

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- Summer Salon - Trestle Gallery - Brooklyn, NY
- 2014 Convergence - 808 Gallery - Boston, MA
Small Works - Trestle Gallery - Brooklyn, NY
Art Now - NG Gallery - Sydney, Australia
Randwick Prize Exhibition - Sydney, Australia
- 2013 Tutor Exhibition - Art Est Gallery - Sydney, Australia
- 2012 Tribute to the Triangle - SNO Centre - Sydney, Australia
- 2011 Zodiac - Vermont Studio Center - Johnson, VT
MFA Thesis Exhibition – Sullivan Galleries, SAIC – Chicago, IL
- 2010 No People, Pets, or Flowers - Waddell Space – Chicago, IL
On Painting – One Night Stand Exhibition, SAIC – Chicago, IL
Midnite Snacks – 1366 Space – Chicago, IL
- 2009 5th Annual Nat'l Self-Portrait Exhibit – 33 Collective – Chicago, IL
Gallery Guichard – Works by Various Artists – Chicago, IL
- 2008 The Commercial Woman – Woman Made Gallery – Chicago, IL
- 2007 31st Annual Plaza Art Comp. – Beverly Arts Center – Chicago, IL
New Art 2007 – MPG Contemporary, Nat'l Comp. – Boston, MA
BFA Thesis Exhibition – Stone Gallery, CFA – Boston, MA
Fifth Annual Arches Student Print Show – 808 Gallery - Boston, MA
Cartography Portfolio Exhibit – S.G.C. Conference – Kansas City, MO
- 2006 Fourth Annual Arches Print Show – 808 Gallery – Boston, MA
President's House/ Sloan House – Boston University – Boston, MA
Galleria Sottoportego - Scuola Int. di Grafica - Venice, Italy

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

- 2024 Stoneleaf Retreat x ArtNoir Fellowship
- 2023 Distinguished Alumni Award, Boston University
Re_Act Contemporary, Terceira Island, Azores, Portugal
Artshack Ceramics Residency, Brooklyn, NY
- 2022 Silver Arts Projects Residency, WTC, NYC
Nancy Graves Foundation Grant
- 2020 Google Artist-in-Residence and Commission
- 2019 MTA Arts & Design Mount Vernon Bridge Commission
Art Aspen Inaugural Artist Commission
- 2017 Lower East Side Printshop, Keyholder Residency
- 2017 Bronx Museum of the Arts: AIM Program
- 2016 Publication Fellowship - Peripheral Vision Arts
- 2014 Distinguished Artist Scholarship-Vyt Residency, Art Students League of New York
- 2011 Pavlis Full Fellowship Award – Vermont Studio Center
Featured Photographer – Focus Project

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- Kraus Family Foundation Award – World Studio AIGA Scholarship Carol
Gluckman Scholarship; SAIC
- 2007 Beverly Arts Center Honorable Mention Award
School of Visual Arts Purchase Award, Boston University
Honorable Mention – New Art 2007: MPG Contemporary

RESIDENCIES

- 2023 Bed-Stuy Brooklyn, Art Shack Artist Residency
2022 World Trade Center, Silver Art Projects Residency
2018 Lower East Side Printshop, Keyholder Residency
2017 Bronx Museum of the Arts: AIM Program
2015 Brooklyn Art Space Studio Residency
2014 The League Residency at Vyt - New York - Distinguished Artist Scholarship
2011 Vermont Studio Center Residency – Pavlis Full Fellowship Recipient
2008 Caversham Centre for Artists and Writers - South Africa

PRESS & PUBLICATIONS

- 2024 Mission Magazine - "Adrienne Elise Tarver Brings Black Matriarchy to Bus Shelters" - August 2024
Sugarcane Magazine - "Where The Waters Go Finds Agency for Black Woman Archetypes in Stillness" - June 13, 2024
ALL ART - "How Art Changed Interdisciplinary Artist Adrienne Elise Tarver" June 13, 2024
WNYC Radio - All Of It - "Artist Adrienne Elise Tarver Explores Her Identity in New Chelsea Gallery Show" - May 21, 2024
Lightwork - "Everything Is Connected" - May 10, 2024
- 2022 Bustle - "How This Artist Is Using Tarot Cards To Manifest A Hopeful Future" - June 16, 2022
Oxford American - "Weary As I can Be" - Fall 2022
- 2021 Forbes - "In A New Body Of Work, Adrienne Elise Tarver Sets A \$21 Million Plantation On Fire" - October 28.
- 2020 CFA Magazine - "Mining the past, Mirroring the Present" – Fall
WhiteHot Magazine - "Best of Nov 2020: Interiors at 1969 Gallery" - November.
Brooklyn Rail - "The Pursuit of Aesthetics" - July/Aug
WhiteHot Magazine - "Highlights from Intersect Aspen Online" - July.
Wide Walls - "History Reclaimed at Hollis Taggart" - June 8.
ArtNet News - "Editor's Picks: 17 Things Not to Miss..." - March 2.
New York Times - "What to see Right Now in New York Art Galleries" - February 20.
New York Times - "Grown-up Art at a Children's Museum" - February 14.
- 2019 Aspen Times - "Art Aspen commissioned artist Adrienne Elise Tarver on making 'In Fertile Shadows'" - August 1.

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- Whitewall Magazine - "Art Aspen Awards Adrienne Elise Tarver with Inaugural Artist Commission" - July 25.
ArtNews.com - "Art Industry News" - July 30.
Pour Over Magazine, Issue 3 - "Looking and Being Looked At" - June.
- 2018 ArtZealous.com-"Art Power Women Series: Adrienne Elise Tarver"-December 10.
Ecotone Magazine - "On Eavesdropping" - Spring/Summer.
Art Practical, "New Takes: Adrienne Elise Tarver", March 13.
- 2017 The Ingenue Magazine, Issue 5, "Great Women Artists".
Hyperallergic, "Peeping Through a Painted, Sculpted Jungle", March 17.
Whitewall Magazine, "Adrienne Elise Tarver on Secrets of Leaves at Victori+Mo", March 6.
Brooklyn Magazine, "Assuming is Dangerous: Talking with Adrienne Elise Tarver", March.
Bedford + Bowery, "Art Hearts...More art to see this week", February 13.
- 2016 ArtNet News, "14 Emerging Female Artists to Watch in 2017", December 21.
ArtZealous.com, "Voyeurism & Stories of Shadows with Adrienne Elise Tarver", December 15.
Blouin Art Info, "Adrienne Elise Tarver at Victori+ Mo Gallery, New York", December 8.
Brooklyn Magazine, "Look Harder: Good Art Things to See this Week", December 7.
ArtNet News, "Editor's Picks: 6 things to see in New York this week", December 5.
Lisa Volpe. "The Numinous Artwork of Adrienne Elise Tarver." Peripheral Vision, no.2.
Frameworkmagazine.com, "Three Things to see: Gowanus Open Studios", October 14.
Hyperallergic.com, "Your Concise Guide to Gowanus Open Studios 2016", October 13.
On-Verge.org, "In Conversation: Adrienne Tarver", May 13.
- 2015 Hyperallergic.com, "Favorites from Gowanus Open Studios 2015", October 20.
- 2013 Sydney Morning Herald, Spectrum, "Open Gallery - In The Eaves", June 22.
- 2009 Chicago Tribune, "A Mixed Bag of Contemporary Art...", May 22.
Gapers Block: Online News, "Fresh Paint", November 9.
- 2006 BU Today, Boston University daily online newspaper, October. 2003
Chicago Daily Herald Newspaper, "Colors of Love...", May.