

CV – Asher Mains

(b, 1984 –)

E d u c a t i o n

2014 – 2016 MFA, Creative Practice, Transart Institute, Plymouth University, UK

2011 – 2012, International Political Economy, University of Texas at Dallas, Dallas, Texas.

2008 – 2010 Studio Art, Brookhaven College, Dallas, Texas

2006 B.A. Interdisciplinary (Communications Arts & Sciences, Religion, Sociology), Calvin College, Grand Rapids, MI

2005 University of Ghana, Music and Cultural Studies, Accra, Ghana

P r o f e s s i o n a l

Director - Art School Greenz: A prototype of an art school in Grenada designed to mind the gap between secondary school and a contemporary art practice.

Gallery Director - Susan Mains Gallery, Grand Anse, Grenada.

Member - Grenada Arts Council

S o l o / D u o E x h i b i t i o n s

2017 "Sea Lungs"(Upcoming), Solo Show, Laluna, Morne Rouge, Grenada

2016 "Society: Cocoa": Cocoa Farmers in Grenada, Susan Mains Gallery, Grand Anse, Grenada.

2016 "Lions, Fish, and Vestiges of Gold", Dual show with Susan Mains, Gallery of Caribbean Art, Speightstown, Barbados.

2014 "Painted Portraits for Cocoa Farmers", Solo Show, Crayfish Bay Organic Cocoa Estate, Nonpareil, Grenada

2014 "Re/Vision: Twenty Years of Exhibiting Art in Grenada", Solo Show, Art and Soul Gallery, Grand Anse, Grenada

2014 "Grafted Narratives", Dual Show with Susan Mains, Gallery of Caribbean Art, Speightstown, Barbados

2012 "Everything is Peachy in Babylon", Solo Show, Gallery of Caribbean Art, Speightstown, Barbados

2010 "Transitions" – Solo Show, Holetown, Barbados. A-Gallery at the Mews Restaurant.

2008 Caribbean Collage, Susan Mains, Asher Mains. Speightstown, Barbados. Gallery of Caribbean Art.

2006 "Young Men Paint Life!": Gilbert Nero, Asher Mains, Grenada Arts Council exhibition space, Lagoon Road, Grenada

2001 Jazz Festival Dual Show: Susan Mains, Asher Mains

Biennales

2017 (Upcoming) 57th Biennale di Venezia, Grenada National Pavilion, Venice, Italy

2017 (Upcoming) Second Biennial Encounter of Caribbean Contemporary Art - Aruba, "Writing the World. Caribbean Contemporary Art"

2016 (Cancelled) VIII Tashkent Biennale of Contemporary Art, Tashkent, Uzbekistan

2015 Trio Bienal, "Reverberations - Crossed Borders of Three Dimensionality" Instituto Europeo do Design - Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

2015 56th Biennale di Venezia, Grenada National Pavilion, "Present Nearness", Venice, Italy

Art Fairs

2016 Artigo Rio Art Fair, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

2016 Rhy Art Fair, Basel, Switzerland

2016 Feria Art Medellin, Colombia

Group Exhibitions

2016 Grenada Contemporary Exhibit, "The Bridge", Susan Mains Gallery, Grand Anse, Grenada

2016, WateRED: In Dialogue with artists Omar Shoukri and Lindey Anderson, Berlin, Germany.

2016, International Contemporary Art Exhibition in Dialogue with Reality of Guarani Culture, Santa Rosa, Bolivia.

2015 Grenada Contemporary Exhibit, "State of Flux", Susan Mains Gallery, Grand Anse, Grenada

2015 "Loose Affairs", Transart Institute Group Show, SomoS Art Project Space, Berlin, Germany

2015 Grenada Chocolate Festival Exhibit, Art and Soul Gallery, Grand Anse, Grenada

2014 Exhibit of Grenadian Contemporary Art, Art and Soul Gallery, Grand Anse, Grenada

2011 - 2013 Grenada Arts Council "Little Jewels" Exhibit. St. George's, Grenada.

2012 Grenada Arts Council Carnival Exhibit. St. George's, Grenada

2011 Grenada Revolution and Art: From the Artists' Perspective, St. George's, Grenada

2010 Expo 2010 Shanghai, China, Grenada Pavilion

2010 Grenada Arts Council Annual Exhibit, 300 Years, Town of St. George's. St. George's, Grenada.

2007 "Between", Rex Grenadian, Grenada. Asher Mains, Susan Mains, Rene Froehlich, and Oliver Benoit

2002 "Exhibit of Grenadian Art," OAS Gallery Washington D.C.: Oliver Benoit, Christine Matuschek, Susan Mains, Asher Mains

2002 Jazz Festival, Grenada

2001 "Beyond Walls" Group Show, University of the West Indies Country Conference

1995 Grenada Arts Council Annual Exhibit, GAC "Artists Expression of Music" Best in Show Prize

1994 Grenada Independence Exhibition, University of the West Indies, Marryshow House, St. George's, Grenada.

1994 - 2016 Grenada Arts Council Annual Exhibit, St. George's, Grenada

R e s i d e n c i e s

2016 Transart Summer Residency - Berlin, Germany

2016 Residency - Santa Rosa, Bolivia

2016 Transart Winter Residency - Manhattan, New York, United States

2015 Transart Summer Residency - Berlin, Germany

2015 Transart Winter Residency - Manhattan, New York, United States

2014 Crayfish Bay Organic Cocoa Estate - Nonpariel, Grenada, West Indies

2014 Transart Summer Residency - Berlin, Germany

C u r r e n t G a l l e r i e s

Susan Mains Gallery, Zurich, Switzerland.

Susan Mains Gallery, Grand Anse, Grenada, West Indies.

Gallery of Caribbean Art, Speightstown, Barbados, West Indies

C o r p o r a t e C o l l e c t i o n s

True Blue Bay Resort, Grenada

Ministry of Tourism, Grenada

Le Phare Bleu, Grenada

Cathedral Santa Rosa, Santa Rosa, Bolivia

Royal Collection, Great Britain