

## **ALLISON BIANCO**

American, b. 1979

### Education

- 2010 MFA Printmaking, University of Hawai'i at Manoa, Honolulu, HI
- 2001 BA Studio Art / Spanish (cum laude) Mount Holyoke College, South Hadley, MA

### **Solo Exhibitions**

- 2020 Forget About It, Cade Tompkins Projects, Providence, RI
- 2019 Cloud Level, University of Hawai'i at Manoa Commons Gallery, Honolulu, HI
- 2018 Glacial Drift, St. Anselm College, Manchester, NH
- 2017 Atlantic Time, Weil Gallery, Wheaton College, Norton, MA
- 2016 No Floats, AS220 Project Space, Providence, RI
- 2015 A Curious Tide, Cade Tompkins Projects, Providence, RI
- 2014 The Baby Powder Trick, The Print Center, Philadelphia, PA
- 2011 Go Ahead and Sink, Hawai'i Pacific University Art Gallery, Honolulu, HI
- 2010 *Five Feet in Front of the Horizon*, MFA Thesis Exhibition, University of Hawai'i at Manoa Commons Gallery, Honolulu, HI

## **Selected Group Exhibitions**

- 2020 Give Me Space: New Prints 2020 / Summer, IPCNY, New York, NY, juror: Chitra Ganesh
- 2019 Boston Printmakers 2019 North American Print Biennial, Jewett Art Gallery, Wellesley College, MA

Raid the Icebox Now: Witnessing with Sebastian Ruth, RISD Museum, Providence, RI National Open Juried Exhibition, Providence Art Club, Providence, RI

- 2018 Contemporary Master Drawings, Cade Tompkins Projects, Providence, RI Emphasized, Selections from the Art in Public Places Collection, Hawai'i State Art Museum, Honolulu, HI
- 2017 IMC 2017 (International Mokuhanga Conference Exhibition), University of Hawaii at Manoa Art Gallery, Honolulu, HI
  - Animation + Print, The Center for Book Arts, New York, NY

*Control within Chaos*, Seacourt: The Centre for Contemporary Printmaking, Seacourt, Bangor, Northern Ireland

Making Your Mark, Providence Art Club, Providence, RI. Juror: Kathryn Wat

- 2016 Imprint: Recent Acquisitions and Highlights from the University Print Collection, Hoehn Family Galleries, University of San Diego, San Diego, CA
  - Innervisions: New Prints 2016 / Summer, IPCNY, New York, NY

Art in an Airstream, Cade Tompkins Projects (IFPDA), Park Avenue Armory, NY Contemporary Mokuhanga, Cade Tompkins Projects, Providence, RI

2015 Raid the Database II with Nafis White, RISD Museum permanent on-line exhibition and video Commedia: New Prints 2015 / Autumn, IPCNY, New York, NY

Print Love: Celebrating the Print Center at 100, Philadelphia Museum of Art, Philadelphia, PA



# **Group Exhibitions (continued)**

2015	uhuh, Recent Prints from the University of Hawai'i at Manoa printmaking community, Whitebox
	Gallery, Queensland College of Art, Griffith University, Brisbane, Australia
2014	Stand Out Prints, Highpoint Center for Printmaking, Minneapolis, MN
	Juror: Susan Tallman, Editor-in-Chief, Art in Print
	Bridge, Drive-By Projects, Watertown, MA
	Washington Project for the Arts SELECT 2014, Artisphere, Arlington, VA
2013	New Prints 2013 / Autumn, IPCNY, New York, NY
	Boston Printmakers 2013 North American Print Biennial, 808 Gallery, Boston University,
	Boston, MA
	New Prints / New Narratives: Summer 2013, IPCNY, New York, NY
	Locally Made, Museum of Art, RISD, Providence, RI
	Wonder Fair 2nd Annual Print Invitational, Wonder Fair, Lawrence, KS. Juror: Michael Krueger
	Pyramid Atlantic Juried Members' Exhibition, Washington Printmakers, Silver Spring, MD
	RI Art on Loan, Hart Senate Building, Office of Senator Sheldon Whitehouse, Washington, DC
	Interwoven: Art.Craft.Design, Arlington Arts Center, Arlington, VA
2012	The Printed Peculiarity of Place, T.F. Green Airport, GREEN SPACE Gallery, Warwick, RI
	14th Annual Fidelity Investments All Media Juried Exhibition: Growth, Providence Art Club,
	Providence, RI. Jurors: Judith Tannenbaum, RISD; Diana Gaston, Fidelity; Steve Zevitas,
	Publisher New American Paintings
	Storm Tossed, Bristol Art Museum at Imago, Warren, RI
2011	Ocean States, Salve Regina University Dorrance H. Hamilton Gallery, Newport, RI
	Accession, Recent Acquisitions from the Art in Public Places Collection, Hawai'i State Art
	Museum, Honolulu, HI
	We Talk to Architecture, Architecture Talks Back, Knight Campus Art Gallery, Warwick, RI CCRI
2000	Faculty and Staff Exhibition, Knight Campus Art Gallery, Warwick, RI
2009	Artists of Hawai'i 2009, Honolulu Academy of Arts, Honolulu, HI;
	Juror: Laura Hoptman, Senior Curator, The New Museum of Contemporary Art, NY
	Honolulu Printmakers 81st Annual Printmakers Exhibition, Academy Art Center, Honolulu, HI
	Juror: Michael Krueger, assistant professor, University of Kansas
	<i>Romanesque to Retro: art@town series IV</i> , Town, Honolulu, HI curator: Natalie Aczon, Honolulu Academy of Art Associate Director of Public Relations
	Deck yer Walls, Louis Pohl Gallery, Chinatown, Honolulu, HI
	<i>ComPRESS</i> , The ARTS at Mark's Garage, Chinatown, Honolulu, HI
	31 Graduate Student Exhibition, University of Hawai'i Art Gallery, Honolulu, HI Art Upstairs:
	<i>Emerging Hawai'i Artists</i> , Academy Art Center, Honolulu, HI
2008	Honolulu Printmakers 80th Annual Printmakers Exhibition, Academy Art Center, Honolulu, HI
2000	Juror: Laura Berman, assistant professor, Kansas City Art Institute
	<i>Tinfish Press, 18.5 The Book</i> , University of Hawai'i at Manoa Commons Gallery, Honolulu, HI
	Still Impressed! Wanganui Community Arts Centre, Wanganui, New Zealand
2001	Independent Study, First Street Gallery, New York, NY
2001	<i>Five College Exhibition</i> , Open Square Gallery, Springfield, MA
2000	<i>Ripe Fruit</i> , Nagoya University of the Arts, Nagoya, Japan
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#### Grants, Awards and Residencies

2020	Public Art Commission for PS671K Brooklyn, New York School Construction Authority Public
	Art for Public Schools Program, Department of Cultural Affairs Percent for Art, NY
	MacColl Johnson Fellowship Semi-Finalist Award, Rhode Island Foundation, Providence, RI
2019	Rhode Island State Council on the Arts (RISCA) Project Grant for Rhode Island's Biggest
	Printing Press, Providence, RI
	Center for Contemporary Printmaking Micro-Residency Award, awarded by Shelley Langdale at
	Boston Printmakers 2019 North American Biennial
2017	New York City Percent for Art Project Finalist, Department of Cultural Affairs, New York, NY
2015	Visual Arts Sea Grant, The University of Rhode Island, South Kingstown, RI
	Philadelphia Museum of Art Purchase Award, The Print Center, Philadelphia, PA
	Honorary Council Award of Excellence, The Print Center, Philadelphia, PA
	AS220 Print Competition Award - RISD Purchase Prize, Providence, RI
2014	Solo Award, The Print Center 88th Annual International Competition, Philadelphia, PA
2013	Juror's Award, Pyramid Atlantic Juried Members' Exhibition, Silver Spring, MD
	AS220 Print Competition Award Finalist, Providence, RI
2012	Artist-in-Residence, Pyramid Atlantic Art Center, Silver Spring, MD
2010	John Young Scholarship in the Arts, University of Hawai'i at Manoa
	Graduate Teaching Fellowship, Screen printing, University of Hawai'i at Manoa
2009	Orvis Artist-in-Residence Grant, Honolulu Academy of Arts
	Hawai'i State Foundation on Culture and the Arts Recognition Award, 81st Annual Honolulu
	Printmakers Exhibition
	HonBlue Purchase Award, 81st Annual Honolulu Printmakers Exhibition
	Honolulu Printmakers Scholarship, Academy Art Center, Honolulu, HI
2008	Gulab and Indru Watumull Grant for Museum Studies in the Arts University of Hawai'i at
	Manoa
2007-	2009 Skinner Fellowship Award for Graduate Study, Mount Holyoke College
	Graduate Division Achievement Scholarship, University of Hawai'i at Manoa

# Collections

Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, Boston, MA Philadelphia Museum of Art, Philadelphia, PA The New York Public Library, New York, NY University Print Collection, University of San Diego, San Diego, CA RISD Museum, Providence, RI Yale University Art Gallery, New Haven, CT Hawai'i State Foundation on Culture and the Arts, Art in Public Places Collection, Honolulu, HI Honolulu Academy of Arts, Honolulu, HI Pyramid Atlantic Art Center, Hyattsville, MD



# Bibliography

2020	Lawrence, Matthew, Allison Bianco at Cade Tompkins Projects, Boston Art Review, Issue 05/
	Summer 2020, p. 110
2017	What You Need to Know About Edition, Public Art, Korea, November 2017
	Blay, Emily, Allison Bianco Delivers Artist Talk at Wheaton, The Wheaton Wire, 2/23/2017
	Lee, Liz, Allison Bianco at Wheaton College, Art New England, January/February 2017
2016	L'Heureux, Michele (forward) and Britany Salsbury (essay), Wheaton College Beard and Weil
	Galleries, Allison Bianco: Atlantic Time, Exhibition Catalogue, Dec 2016 - Feb 2017
	Salsbury, Britany, Allison Bianco, Edition Review, Art in Print, March/April 2016
2015	Van Siclen, Bill, Works by R.I. Printmaker Require a Closer Look, The Providence Journal, July
	23, 2015
	Salsbury, Britany, Allison Bianco: Critics Picks, Artforum.com, May 28, 2015
	McQuaid, Cate, A Curious Tide: Critics Picks, The Boston Globe, May 21, 2015
	Volmer, Suzanne, Climate Change in Providence, 2015, Artscope, January/February 2015
2014	Olivia, Jia, Allison Bianco: The Baby Powder Trick at the Print Center, Title Magazine,
	title-magazine.org, July 30, 2014
	Schwartz, Chip, A Menagerie of Prints from Abstract to Informative at The Print Center, Knight
	Arts Foundation Philadelphia on-line review, July 24, 2014
	Austin, Patrick, WPRO Podcast Series: Local Artist Allison Bianco, wpro.com
2013	Rainone, Melanie, Election Gloves and Matunuck Sinking: local art at the RISD Museum, RI
	Future.org, August 30, 2013
	Tilloston, Newlin, Locally Made at the RISD Museum showcases Rhode Island Artwork,
	Artscope, July 29, 2013
	McVay, Marcel, Museum as Culture Medium, Online RI, July 27, 2013
	Van Siclen, Bill, RISD exhibit displays 'Locally Made,' survey of Contemporary RI Art:
	Printmaker Allison Bianco, The Providence Journal, July 7, 2013
2011	Oshiro, Joleen, Memories Adrift, Honolulu Star Advertiser, Feb. 20.
	Braley, Jess, The sea was angry that day, my friend, Newport Mercury, November 23-29 (cover
	story and image)
2009	Tinfish 20. Published by Tinfish Press, www.tinfishpress.com
2008	Gail-White, Victoria, Sculpting with the Air, Honolulu Advertiser, October 4, 2009 2008
	18.5 The Book. Published by Tinfish Press, www.tinfishpress.com
	t Talks
2020	RISD Advanced Printmaking, virtual, Providence, RI
2018	Rhode Island College, Providence, RI
	St. Anselm College, Manchester, NH
2017	Wheaton College, Norton, MA
2015	Cade Tompkins Projects, Providence, RI
2014	The Print Center, Philadelphia, PA
	Providence Art Club, Providence, RI
2013	International Print Center New York, NY
	American University, Washington, DC
2012	Mount Holyoke College, South Hadley, MA
	Pyramid Atlantic Art Center, Silver Spring, MD