# Jeff Huntington aka Jahru

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#### **EDUCATION**

1997 MFA, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago1995 BFA, The Corcoran School of Art, Washington, DC

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- 2016-present Co-founder, Executive Director, Creative Director, and Teaching Artist at Future History Now, Inc. FutureHistoryNow.org
- 2013-2016 Fine Art Faculty Adjunct, Corcoran School of the Arts & Design and The George Washington University, Washington, DC
- 1996-1997 Roving Instructor, Undergraduate Drawing & Painting, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago

# **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2019	Evolve: paintings b	v Jeff Huntington	Jo Flemino	Contemporar	y Art, Annapolis, MD
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- 2017 Catalyst, River Arts Gallery, Chestertown, MD
- 2015 Catalyst, Porter Contemporary, NYC
- 2014 Accompaniment, Gallery 1301, Baltimore, MD 49@49, 49 West Coffeehouse, Winebar & Gallery, Annapolis, MD
- 2013 Bliss Point, Porter Contemporary, NYC
- 2012 Pinot Gris Wine Release Party and Opening Reception, Brooklyn Oenology Tasting Room/Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
- 2011 Plaques and Tangles: New Paintings by Jeff Huntington, Porter Contemporary, NYC
- 2010 Plagues and Tangles, Reyes + Davis Gallery, Washington, DC
- 2009 Unsettled Beauty: New Paintings by Jeff Huntington, Raandesk Gallery of Art, NYC New Paintings, Reyes + Davis Gallery, Washington, DC
- 2003 Birds and Other Paintings, Balcony Gallery, Maryland Hall, Annapolis, MD
- 1993 Recent Portraits, Building Universal North, Washington, DC
- 1992 Figure of Expression, **The Bank**, Baltimore, MD Paintings-In-Progress, **Ikon**, Washington, DC

## **GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

- 2024 Asia North 2024: Love Letters To Baltimore + The DMV, Motor House + 16 W. North Ave, Baltimore, MD

  Artomatic, 2100 M Street, Washington, DC
  - On a de Dande Tour de anna a Marchine et an DO
- 2023 Sneak Peek, Treehouse, Washington, DC
   2021 JCMAP Group Exhibition, Journal Squared, Jersey City, NJ
  - Walls To Smalls, Deep Space Gallery, Jersey City, NJ Jersey City Mural Festival, Jersey City Mural Art Project, Hamilton Park, Jersey City, NJ
- 2019 *PlayFALL*, **The Yard**, curated by Porter Advisory, Brooklyn, NY *Street Dreams*, **Atlas Fine Art**, Baltimore, MD
- 2018 Truth Among Liars, curated by Pipkin Creative, 810 Upshur Strreet NW, Washington, DC Parallel Lives, curated by Brigitte Reyes, Athenaeum, Alexandria, VA

- 2016 DIALOGUE: A Visual Conversation, Personal Visions Gallery at the Dennis and Phillip Ratner Museum, Bethesda, MD
- 2015 Icono-POP, Studio Gallery, Washington, DC LEGAL: A Brazilian Street Art Exhibit, Galeria Verve, São Paulo, Brasil Athenaeum Invitational: Don't Fence Me In, Athenaeum Gallery, Alexandria, VA Alchemical Vessels, Exhibition + Benefit, Joan Hisaoka Healing Arts Gallery, Washington, DC Art on Paper, Art Fair on Pier 36, NYC, represented by Porter Contemporary, NYC A Brush With Reality. Porter Contemporary, NYC
- 2014 ROBWYN-HOOD: Graffiti in the Dark Age of Gentrification, Kavachnina Contemporary, Miami, FL
  SELECT 2014: WPA Art Auction Exhibition & Gala, Artisphere, Arlington, VA
  A Portrait Apart Deux, Porter Contemporary, NYC
  ART in Embassies, U.S. Embassy, Manila, Philippines (permanent collection)
- 2013 CONTEXT, Art Basel, Art Miami Pavillion, represented by Porter Contemporary, Miami, FL Real Washington, curated by Joey Manlapaz, contemporary realist paintings, Winter Palace Studio Gallery, Washington, DC Are We What We Eat? Sustenance and Art, Grattacielo Pirelli, Milan, Italy (catalog) Caged In: DC-Based Painters Explore the Aesthetic Influences of John Cage, curated by Roxanne Goldberg, Gallery 102 The George Washington University, Washington, DC Starting Small, Porter Contemporary, NYC WORD: William Newman / Jeff Huntington / Travis Wagner / Joseph Bradley, The Metropolitan Art Project, City of Fairfax, VA Drink To Me: Contemporary Views of Picasso, 40 Years Later, Porter Contemporary, NYC Fur, Porter Contemporary, NYC
- 2012 A Portrait Of... Portraits by Jeff Huntington & Bill Newman, Reyes + Davis, Washington, DC untitled no. 3, Randall Scott Projects, Washington, DC Likeness: Interpretations of Portraiture, Athenaeum Gallery, Alexandria, VA in the project room, Porter Contemporary, NYC Crossing The Line, curated by Barbara O'Brien, Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington, DC
- 2011 A Portrait Apart, Porter Contemporary, NYC US Department of State/ ART in Embassies, Embassy of Manila, Manila, Philippines
- 2010 Portray, curated by Frank Hallam Day, Addison/Ripley Fine Art, Washington, DC Fantastic Journeys, curated by Beatrice Gralton, McLean Project for the Arts, McLean, VA ART in Embassies Exhibition, curated by Sarah Tanguy, Ambassador's Residence, The Hague, Netherlands
  Affordable Art Fair NYC 7 W New York, Raandesk Gallery of Art, NYC
- 2009 The Francis and June Spiezer Collection, The Rockford Art Museum, Rockford, IL ART in Embassies, U.S. department of State/Embassy of Manila (permanent collection) Gallery Artists, Reyes + Davis Gallery, Washington, DC Bethesda Painting Awards Exhibition, The Fraser Gallery, Bethesda, MD Affordable Art Fair NYC 7 W New York, Raandesk Gallery of Art, NYC Art & Design @ muleh, muleh, Washington, DC
- 2008 Ramen and Resolve, Annapolis Street Gallery, Annapolis, MD Bridge Art Fair, Raandesk Gallery of Art, NYC
- 2007 Miscellany, Mana Fine Art Exhibition Space, Jersey City, NJ ART in Embassies, U.S. department of State/Embassy of Panama (permanent collection)
- 2006 All Sentient Beings, curated by Virginia Shore, DUMBO Arts Center, Brooklyn, NY Group Show, Raandesk Gallery of Art, NYC
- 2005 december 2005, Alpan Gallery, Huntington, NY Transformer's 2nd Annual Auction, Fusebox, Washington, DC Bill Newman and Friends: Uncommon Vision, The Arts Club of Washington, Washington, DC
- 2004 Affordable Art Fair NYC, Pier 92, prêt à poser, NYC Summer Selections, Alpan Gallery, Huntington, NY Pandamania, public sculpture project, Washington, DC Degrees of Abstraction, Alpan Gallery, Huntington, NY

- The Exhibition of American Art, The Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL Diverse Works, Alpan Gallery, Huntington, NY
- 2003 Affordable Art Fair NYC, Pier 92, prêt à poser, NYC About Time, Canadian Embassy, Washington, DC (catalog) Alumni Awards Exhibition, Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington, DC
- 2002 Convoy, Paint Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
- 1999 Altered Objects, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL Size Matters, curated by Mike Weiss, GAle GAtes et. al., Brooklyn, NY 8th Annual Showcase Exhibition, The Alternative Museum, NYC
- 1998 65th Stateline Vicinity Exhibition, The Rockford Art Museum, Rockford, IL (catalog)
  New Voices, New Visions, The Alternative Museum, NYC
  Disfigure, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL (2-person exhibition w/ David Mordini; catalog essay by Dennis Adrian)
- Out of the Shadow of Ivan Albright: Twelve Contemporary Chicago Artists, Illinois Art Gallery, State of Illinois Center, Chicago, IL

  Nippon Art Exhibition, Nippon Steel USA, Chicago, IL (catalog)

  How To Describe A Suspect, curated by Eva M. Olsen, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
- 1996 Young Americans of Asian Ancestry, curated by Ray Yoshida, **Hyde Park Art Center**, Chicago Nippon Art Exhibition, **Nippon Steel USA**, Chicago, IL (catalog)

  Figurative Abstraction, curated by Ed Paschke, **Fine Arts Building Gallery**, Chicago, IL
- 1995 Professor's Choice, Rockville Arts Place, Rockville, MD
  Superbia: Options '95 Biennial, Washington Project for the Arts, Washington, DC
  Some of the Parts: Printmaking Portfolio '95, Gallery K, Washington, DC
  Facts. Faces. Figures. curated by Sam Gilliam. Foundry Gallery. Washington. DC
- 1994 Corcoran Art, Rock Creek Gallery, Washington, DC
- 1993 DC to NY, Gallery 4 Now at Union Square West, NYC Portraits By Jeff Huntington and Dan Thompson, White Walls Gallery, Corcoran School of Art, Washington, DC Urban Laboratory, Gallery 4 Now at 7th Street, Washington, DC
- 1992 Recent Works By Five Local Artists, Gallery 4 Now at Dupont Circle, Washington, DC

## **AWARDS**

- 2019 Arts Maverick Annie Award, Arts Council of Anne Arundel County, Maryland Individual Artist Award in Visual Art, Maryland State Arts Council
- 2017 Peoples Choice Awards, River Arts 2017 February Exhibits, Chestertown, MD
- 2015 Mural Competition Grant, Arts Council of Anne Arundel County, Maryland
- 2010 Individual Artist Award in Visual Art, Maryland State Arts Council
- 2004 2nd Place, The Exhibition of American Art, The Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago
- 2003 The Ethel Lorraine Bernstein Memorial Award For Excellence in Painting
- The Dr. William A. Newman Award
  The School of the Art Institute of Chicago Trustee Scholarship (100%)
- 1994 The Jacob Kainen Award For Excellence in Figurative Painting The Elizabeth Greenshields Foundation Fellowship, Canada
- 1992 The John Noland Ronsheim Memorial Award

# ARTICLES / INTERVIEWS / REVIEWS

- 2024 Gingras, Angelique, "Annapolis Muralist Uses Art to Honor Founders of Parole Health Center," Capital Gazette, June 17
- Worthington, Elizabeth, "Mural Honors Victims in Annapolis Mass Shooting," **WMAR 2 News**, Baltimore, MD, Aug. 3

Sanchez, Camila, "Daily Inspiration: Meet Jeff Huntington and Julia Gibb," Voyage Baltimore, Jan. 20

Jeffries, Brian, "It's Still Hard Missing Him: Defaced mural of Annapolis Rapper Tre Da Kid Gets a Makeover with His Family's Help," **Capital Gazette**, Nov. 3

Beckwith, Alison, "Another Large Scale Mural Enlivens Otis Street in Mount Rainier," **The Hyattsville Wire**, Oct. 17

Ritzel, Rebecca, "Maryland Songbird," Capital Gazette, Aug. 24

Krista, Brian, "Eva Cassidy Mural Dedication | PHOTOS," The Baltimore Sun, Aug. 22

Payne, Marissa, "Maryland Artists Add Two Murals to Cedar Rapids' Time Check Neighborhood," **The Gazette**, July 14

KCRG, "Artists Add Murals to Time Check Neighborhood in Cedar Rapids," **KCRG News**, July 1 Alicea, Pinto, "Capital Canvas," **What's Up? Annapolis Magazine**, Oct.

Conaway, Donovan, "One Annapolis' Creators of Updated Mural at Bates Athletic Complex Had Goal of Helping Bring Community Together," **Capital Gazette**, Oct. 1

Bill, Jeffrey F., "Taxicab Mural Dedication in Annapolis | PHOTOS," **Capital Gazette**, Sep. 20 Pacella, Rachel, "A Fresh Perspective," **Capital Gazette**, July 29

Treger, Mary Ann, "Nouveau Annapolis," Baltimore Style, Page 13, September

Newkirk, Ryan, "Annapolis Art in Public Spaces Commission," Visit Annapolis, June 10

Beecher, Katie, "Local Teens Create Mural to Celebrate Dentzel Carousel Centennial,"

Montgomery Magazine, May 25

Uliano, Dick, "Montgomery Co. Teens Contribute to Mural Celebrating Glen Echo Integration," **WTOP News**, May 22

Ramos, Annie Rose, "New Mural In Annapolis Across From Courthouse Features Ruth Bader Ginsburg, Thurgood Marshall," **WJZ-13 CBS Baltimore**, April 14

Baumgart, Jacob, "New Annapolis Mural Honors Thurgood Marshall, Ruth Bader Ginsburg," **Patch**, April 14

Conaway, Donavan, "City of Murals Grows By Two. Painters Add Local History and Justice For All to Annapolis Cityscape," **Capital Gazette**, April 12

2020 Costello, Jamie, "Fearless HQ Murals Revealed," WMAR-2 News, August 20

Light Box, "Remembering Her Name," **TIME Magazine**, July 20/27

Stewart, Jessica, "Required Reading," HYPERALLERGIC, July 20

Vartanian, Hrag, "BLM Activists Paint GIANT MURAL of Breonna Taylor in Annapolis, Maryland," **Urban Naxal**, July 11

Tyler, John, "BLM Activists Paint GIANT MURAL of Breonna Taylor in Annapolis, Maryland," **Urban Naxal**, July 10

Saul, Isaac, "Artists and Volunteers Create Stunning Mural of Breonna Taylor," **a plus**, July 8 "7,000-Square-Foot Mural of Breonna Taylor Painted in Maryland Park," **Bloomberg QuickTake News**, July 7

Major, Derek, "Volunteers in Annapolis Paint Large Mural of Breonna Taylor While Killers Still Walk Free," **Black Enterprise**, July 7

Setty, Ganesh, "Artists and Volunteers Painted a 7,000-Square-Foot Mural of Breonna Taylor Over the Fourth of July Weekend," **CNN**, July 6

Ohl, Danielle, "For Breonna Taylor: Annapolis July 4<sup>th</sup> Mural Protests Police Violence Against Black People," **Capital Gazette**, July 4

Costello, Jamie, "Annapolis Mural Honors Breonna Taylor," WMAR-2 News, June 26

2019 Matheus, Aries, "Jeff Huntington," Urban Walls Brazil blog, September 22 Furgurson III, E.B., "By any means necessary: Jeff Huntington committing art to community," The Capital Gazette, July 17

Schultz, Frederick, "Visionaries Among Us," What's Up? Annapolis Magazine, February

2018 Hoffer, Audrey, "In Some Residential Neighborhoods, Art is Bigger Than Ever,"

The Washington Post, July 12

McKerrow, Joshua, "Community Members and Artists Paint Murals in Newtowne 20," **The Capital Gazette**, June 25

Jenkins, Mark, "In The Galleries: Parallel Lives," **The Washington Post**, April 9 Cole, Donna, "Annapolis City Hall Art Exhibit," **1430 WNAV**, Feb. 12

2017 Muse, David, "Vibrant New Mural in Locust Point," Charm City Streets, June 24

- Muse, David, "Here There Be A Dragon," **Charm City Streets**; May 22 Yasko, Stephen, "Bromo TV host Stephen Yasko talks with Jeff Huntington," **Bromo TV**; May 18
- Yeager, Amanda, "Intra-mural: Nonprofit Creates Collaborations for Youth, Artists," The Capital Gazette, Annapolis, MD; Oct. 14
   Winters, Wendi, "Jeff Huntington's Scenic Artwork Brings Extra Sizzle to 'Rent' in Annapolis," Capital Gazette, Annapolis, MD; July 1
- Hagan, Anthony, "In Flux and Ever Evolving with Jeff Huntington," Style No Chaser; Sep 10 Caro, "Jeff Huntington Paints Layered Portraits with Superimposed Images," Hi Fructose; July 9
   Hainesworth, Sarah, "The Man Behind The Mural," Capital Gazette, Annapolis; June 21 Prudente, Tim, "New Mural Paints Annapolis Conflicted," Capital Gazette, Annapolis; June 11 Prudente, Tim, "Mural Could Cause Face-off," The Capital Gazette, Annapolis, MD; June 9
- 2014 Russo, Bryan, "In Annapolis, An Arts Scene Grows," WAMU 88.5 for NPR; Dec. 23 Gibb, Julia, "Notes From The Bottom Layer," Up.St.Art Annapolis Magazine, Vol. 1, Issue 1, Winter Issue Matheos, Aries, "49 West Show Features Paintings of 49 Artists," The Capital Gazette, Annapolis, MD; Nov. 1
- Winslow, Theresa, "Frosting on the Cake: Annapolis Artist's Work Draws Sweet Crop of Fans,"
   The Capital Gazette; Annapolis, MD; July 21
   Glenn, Leigh, "Teasing Out Your Bliss Point," Art of Earth Blog, August 5
- Merry, Stephanie, "Each Portrait Tells a Story of Its Own," The Washington Post;
   Weekend; Aug. 24
   O'Sullivan, Michael, "Likeness: Interpretations of Portraiture," The Washington Post;
   Weekend; Aug. 10
   Marsden, Mary Beth, "Penny Art," WBAL Radio, Baltimore; live interview; aired July 24
- 2011 National TV, "The Art of Investing," CNBC; segment aired Nov. 8
- 2010 O'Sullivan, Michael, "A Painter Shows His Many Faces," **The Washington Post;** Weekend; June 18
- 2006 Harrison, Helen A., "With A Little Artistic License," The New York Times; Jan. 8
- 2004 Winters, Wendi, "Artist Brings Panda To Life," The Capital Gazette; Annapolis, MD; May 28
- 1998 Charmelo, Julie Anne, "Disfigure," **New Art Examiner**; June Glatt, Cara, "When madness Becomes The Norm," **Hyde Park Herald**; April 8 Landry, Nina, "Hyde Park Disfigured: Two Artists' Commentaries," **Chicago Business**; Vol. XXXVI, Issue 8; April 17
- 1997 Rooks, Michael, "Out of the Shadow of Ivan Albright: Twelve Contemporary Chicago Artists," **New Art Examiner;** July/August Glatt, Cara, "Self Portraits Offer A Look At The Psyche," **Hyde Park Herald;** Feb. 12 Delano, John, "Portraits Mix Memory And Desire," **The Chicago Maroon;** Jan. 31
- 1996 Glatt, Cara, "Local Exhibit Shows Asian Influence," **Hyde Park Herald**; Oct. 16
- Powers, William F., "Art And Soul," **The Washington Post**; April 9
  Cole, Robert T., "WPA Brings Superbia To DC," **SCENE Magazine**; Issue 27, Vol. 1; March 10
  Powers, William F., "Superbia: A Blast From The Present," **The Washington Post**; March 3
  Dean, Mensah, "Art In Superbia," **The Washington Times**; March 2
  Cohen, Jean Lawlor, "Local Color," **WHERE Magazine**; Washington, DC; March
- 1994 Brown, Joe, "Saving Face," The Washington Post; Nov. 4
- 1993 Alfaro, Alberto M., "Filipino American's Art Show," The Manila-U.S.; Vol. 2, No. 9; March 15
- Jackson, George, "Cedric Tillman And Jeff Huntington," The Washington Post; Dec. 24
   Brace, Eric, "Gallery Go-Getters," The Washington Post; Dec. 21
   Oda, Ken, "Washington Student Artists Launch Moveable Gallery," KOAN Magazine; Washington, DC; Dec.