#### **ERIN GARBER-PEARSON**

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# **Academic Degrees**

- 2011 Master of Fine Art/Emphasis 3D University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ
- 2004 Bachelor of Fine Art/ Emphasis Sculpture Northern Arizona University Flagstaff, AZ

# **Solo Performances / Exhibitions**

- 2018 *Lineations,* Solo Art Exhibition, Sculpture X Social Practice Conference, River House Gallery, Toledo, OH
- 2018 In Step, Solo Art Exhibition, River House Gallery, Toledo, OH
- 2017 Circus Pantheon, Solo Performance, Toledo Art Museum, Toledo, OH
- 2016 Jaume Plensa Sculpture Opening, Solo Performance, Toledo Art Museum, Toledo, OH
- 2015 LACES, Featured Performance at Art-O-Matic, Toledo Arts Commission, 600 Jefferson Ave, Toledo, OH
- 2014 *The Spoon Theory,* Solo Fabric Loops for Arts X, Eva Marie Saint Theater, Wolfe Art Center, Bowling Green, OH
- 2014 Souvenirs, Performance at Pyrotopia Festival, Pittsburgh, OH
- 2012 All My Ohio, Aerial and Projection Performance at Eva Maire Saint Theater, Wolfe Art Center, Bowling Green, Ohio, please see exhibition reviews for more information
- 2012 *Under The Bridge*, Aerial Performance as artist-in-residence at Prairie Center of the Arts, Peoria, IL
- 2010 In Range Of Light, Room size video and sculpture installation, Graduate Alumni Gallery, University Of Arizona, Tucson, AZ
- 2010 *Presently Decoding,* Room size video and sculpture installation, Lionel Rombach Gallery, Tucson, AZ

# **Selected Group Exhibitions/Performances**

- 2018 2nd Midwest Open, Women Made Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2018 Transmission, Video featured at Detroit Fringe Festival, Jam Handy Building, Detroit, MI
- 2018 Agency, River House Gallery, Toledo, OH
- 2017 Nautica Show, Choreographer and Producer, Lois Nelson Theater, Toledo, OH

- 2016 *Jaume Plensa Sculpture Opening*, Director and Performer, Toledo Art Museum, Toledo, OH
- 2016 Neverland Show, Show Tour: Davis and Elkins College, WV, Fillmore Theater, Detroit, MI, Lois Nelson Theater, Toledo, OH
- 2016 *Laces*, 45 minute physical theater performance, Wolfe Art Center, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio
- Wish List, Sculpture and video for curated exhibition by Gallery Project, dual site: 600 Jefferson Ave, Toledo, OH and Ann Arbor Art Center, 117 West Liberty, Ann Arbor, MI
- 2015 *LUCID*, Performance created for an evening of performances based on dreams, Lois Nelson Theater, 2015
- 2015 Baba Yaga, Performance and set design for a full length circus theater production based on a Russian Folk Tale, Collingwood Art Center, Toledo, OH
- 2014 *The Magician*, Performance created for 'Pick A Card,' a series of performances based on Tarot Cards, The Michigan Theater, Ann Arbor, MI
- 2014 *Ascension,* Two separate works performed in an Evening of Butoh performance Art, Ann Arbor Aviary, Ann Arbor, MI
- 2014 *The Factory Party,* Andy Warhol inspired evening of performance, Toledo Glass Museum, Toledo, OH
- 2014 Anastomotic Path, Directed and Choreographed this 25 minute piece, performed twice, Eva Marie Saint Theater, Wolfe Art Center, Bowling Green, OH
- 2013 Between Blisters and Blue Skies, Multiple Works: Video, Sculpture and Kinetic art, Launchpad Gallery, Toledo, OH
- 2013 *Origins and Endings*, Culmination of 3 month collaboration with *Laminae*, Performance and Installation Art Piece, Jam Handy Building, Detroit, MI
- 2013 *CIRCUS*, Art Exhibition Curated by myself and Joe Levickas with inclusion of sculpture, Gallery Project, Ann Arbor, MI
- 2012 Looking Up, Performance in celebration of Toulouse- Lautrec and His Contemporaries Exhibition, Milwaukee Art Museum, WI
- 2011 Post-Apocolypse, Video and multimedia sculpture, Gallery Project, Ann Arbor, MI
- 2011 This Is a Recording: Video Art & Documentation Of Performance Art, Conrad Wilde Gallery, Tucson, AZ
- 2011 Bowling Green State University Faculty Exhiibition, Willard Wankelman Gallery, Bowling Green, OH
- 2011 *Food For Thought*, Installation of video and edible sculpture, Gallery Project, Ann Arbor, MI

- 2011 Faculty Exchange, University Wisconsin-Stout and Bowling Green State University, Furlong Gallery, WI
- 2011 From Here To The Brightest Burning Star, Joseph Gross Gallery, MFA Thesis Exhibition, Tucson, AZ
- 2011 *In Range of Light,* In Range of Light Film shown in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual West Virginia Mountain Film Festival, Morgantown, West Virginia
- 2010 *In These Rooms,* Video shown at The Garden Gallery, Zayed University, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.
- 2010 In-'Stol, Old Market Galleries, Tucson Historic Warehouse Arts District, Tucson, AZ
- 2010 *Coda,* Video Screening, The Water Project Film Festival, The Screening Room, Tucson, AZ
- 2009 The Thunder Followed, Video Screening, The Loft Cinema, Tucson, AZ
- 2008 Final Flight, All Souls Procession Film Festival, The Loft Cinema, Tucson, AZ
- 2008 Translation, Sculpture shown at The Borg Ward, Milwaukee, WI

# **Directing/Producing**

- 2018 *Pale Blue Dot*, Wrote, Produced, and Directed this 30-Minute Performance, Momentum Festival, Promenade Park, Toledo, OH
- 2017 *Nautica*, 1.5 hour Physical Theater production written by Chloe Whiting-Stevenson, produced by Erin Garber-Pearson, Collingwood Art Center, Toledo, OH
- 2016 *Neverland*, Hour long travelling show performed in Elkins, West Virginia, The Filmore in Detroit, MI, and Collingwood Art Center in Toledo, OH
- 2015 Baba Yaga: A Circus retelling of a Russian Tale, Lois M Nelson Theater, Collingwood Art Center, Toledo, OH
- 2014 Anastomotic Path, Eva Marie Saint Theater, Wolfe Art Center, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH

Owner and Artistic Director, Birds Eye View Circus LLC, Toledo, OH
Rigger, LA Propoint, Los Angeles, CA
Instructor of Art/ Foundations, Bowling Green State University, Bowling
Green, OH
Instructor of Record Foundations and Sculpture Department, University
of Arizona, Tucson, AZ
Welder and Fabricator, American Ornamental Iron, Milwaukee, WI
Kohler Arts/Industry Program Intern (Foundry), Kohler, WI

# **Professional Development/Training**

- 2018 5 Day Workshop Attendance, Aerial Dance Festival, Bouldar, CO
- 2018 College Art Association Conference Attendance, Los Angeles, CA
- 2017 Teacher Training for Rope, Paper Doll Milita, Detroit, MI
- 2016 Aloft Full Time Training Program (9 mo. 40 hr/week study in Physical Theater, Trapeze, Tightwire, Rope, and Partner Acrobatics), Chicago, IL
- 2016 Tightwire Training with Ariele Ebacher, 9 Months
- 2016 Aerial Rope Training with Shayna Swanson, 9 Months
- 2015-17 Duo Trapeze and Partner Acrobatics with Charlene Numrych, 3 Months
- 2015 Trapeze and Physical Theater with Amanda Crockett, 3 Months

#### Curatorial

- 2014 *TOY CHEST*, a series of performances based on antique and contemporary toys, Lois M Nelson Theater, Collingwood Art Center, Toledo, OH
- 2013 CIRCUS, Co-Curated with Joe Levickas, Gallery project, Ann Arbor, MI

#### **Exhibition News and Reviews**

- 2018 *Everything is Sculpture*, Toledo City Paper, Lineations Exhibition in coverage of Sculpture X, September 26-October 9<sup>th</sup> issue
- 2018 Stepping Into Success, Artist Interview with Toledo City Paper
- 2017 Birds Eye View Circus sets sail with Nautica, Interview with Toledo City Paper
- 2015 Baba Yaga: A Circus retelling of a Russian Tale, Toledo Blade, Toledo, OH
- 2012 Arts Xtravaganza Review, Sentinel Tribune, Bowling Green, OH
- 2012 A World Beyond Prediction: "Post Apocalypse" at the Gallery Project, Jennifer Mesker ArtHOPPER.org
- 2012 <u>Gallery Project exhibit takes a provocative look at 'Post Apocalypse' future,</u> John Carlos Cantu, AnnArbor.com

#### **Publications**

- 2018 City Steps Video and 22 Page Interview, Women CineMakers 2018 Biennial Magazine Publication Womencinemakers.com
- 2012 Olga Ivaskevich & Michelle Bae (Eds.), "Tramps and bruisers: Images of roller derby and contemporary feminism." *Girls, cultural productions, and resistance*. New York: Peter Lang.
  - Co-Authored Elizabeth Garber, Erin Garber-Pearson

1999 S. Farley, R. Kelly (Eds.), & the Ward VI Youth History Team. "History Lessons," essay in *Snapped On the Street: A Community Archive of Photos and Memories from Downtown Tucson 1937-1963* (Tucson, AZ: Tucson Voices Press, 1999). I was part of the Ward VI Team and helped edit interviews.

# Residencies

- 2012 Artist-in-Residence, Prairie Center of the Arts, Peoria, IL
- 2004 Artist-in-Residence, Muzeum Przyrody I Teckniki, Starachowice, Poland

# **Commissions**

2012 Artist Designed Bike Racks, Arts Commission of Greater Toledo, Toledo, OH

# **Academic Teaching Assignments**

# Academic Year 2013-14 Bowling Green State University

Spring Semester 2014			
ART 112 Three-Dimensional Foundations	3 Units	Enrollment 18	
Fall Semester 2013			
ART 1120 Media Studio: Space and Time	3 Units	Enrollment 20	
Academic Year 2012-13 Bowling Green State Unive	ersity		
Spring Semester 2013			
ART 112 Three-Dimensional Foundations	3 Units	Enrollment 15	
ART 112 Three-Dimensional Foundations	3 Units	Enrollment 14	
ART 1120 Media Studio: Space and Time	3 Units	Enrollment 22	
Fall Semester 2012			
ART 1120 Media Studio: Space and Time	3 Units	Enrollment 22	
ART 1120 Media Studio: Space and Time	3 Units	Enrollment 19	
ART 112 Three-Dimensional Foundations	3 Units	Enrollment 18	
ART 1030 Drawing Studio, Perception and Color	3 Units	Enrollment 19	
Academic Year 2011-12 Bowling Green State University			
Spring Semester 2012			
ART 1020 Design Studio: Surface and Process	3 Units	Enrollment 17	
ART 1120 Media Studio: Space and Time	3 Units	Enrollment 18	
ART 1120 Media Studio: Space and Time	3 Units	Enrollment 13	

Fall Semester 2011				
ART 1020 Design Studio: Surface and Prod	cess	3 Unit	S	Enrollment 18
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ART 1120 Media Studio: Space and Time		3 Unit	S	Enrollment 17
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Academic Year 2010-11 University of Arizona	ı			
Fall Semester 2010				
ART 100B Space	2 Unit	S	Sec 1	Enrollment 19
ART 100B Space	2 Unit	S	Sec 2	Enrollment 20
Academic Year 2009-10 University of Arizona				
Fall Semester 2009				
ART 100B Space	2 Unit	S	Sec 1	Enrollment 21
ART 100B Space	2 Unit	S	Sec 2	Enrollment 22
Spring Semester 2010				
ART 100B Space	2 Unit	S	Sec 1	Enrollment 23
ART 100B Space	2 Unit	S	Sec 2	Enrollment 20
Academic Year 2008-09 University of Arizon	a			
Spring Semester 2009				
ART 287 Beginning Sculpture		3 Unit	S	Enrollment 22
Non- Academic Teaching Assignments Birds I	Eye Viev	w Circu	ıs and T	The Ann Arbor Avi
Fall 2018				

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Dance Trapeze Intensive	1 Session	3 Weeks	Enrollment 4
Fabric Brain	1 Session	7 Weeks	Enrollment 6
Tightwire Dance	2 Sessions	6 Weeks	Enrollment 5
Aerial Fabric 1 and 2	2 Sessions	8 Weeks	Enrollment 9
Aerial Rope	1 Session	6 Weeks	Enrollment 6
Summer 2018			
Aerial Fabric 1	2 Sessions	7 Weeks	Enrollment 8
Aerial Fabric 2	4 Sessions	7 Weeks	Enrollment 6
Tightwire Dance	1 Session	7 Weeks	Enrollment 5
Spring 2018			

Vertical 2	4 Sessions	7 Weeks	Enrollemnt 11
Tightwire	2 Sessions	7 Weeks	Enrollment 8
Silks 1	2 Sessions	7 Weeks	Enrollment 12
Fall 2017			
Intro to Dynamic Movement	Workshop at Detroit I	Flyhouse	Enrollment 9
Intro to Aerial Rope Worksh		Enrollment 6	
Advanced Silks	2 Sessions	6 Weeks	Enrollment 9
Aerial Hammock 2	2 sessions	6 Weeks	Enrollment 5
Beginning Silks	4 sessions	6 Weeks	Enrollment 9
Tightwire	2 Sessions	7 Weeks	Enrollment 9
Vertical 3	2 Sessions	6 Weeks	Enrollment 9
Vertical 2	4 Sessions	7 Weeks	Enrollment 7
Spring 2017			
Vertical 3	1 Session	6 Weeks	Enrolment 9
Beginning Silks	1 sessions	6 Weeks	Enrollment 9
Aerial Silks 2	1 sessions	6 Weeks	Enrollment 9
Tightwire	2 Sessions	7 Weeks	Enrollment 9
Aerial Hammock 2	2 sessions	6 Weeks	Enrollment 9
Partner Acrobatics	2 Sessions	6 Weeks	Enrollment 12
Fall 2016			
Partner Acrobatics	2 Sessions	6 Weeks	Enrollment 10
Beginning Silks	1 sessions	6 Weeks	Enrollment 9
Advanced Silks	3 Sessions	6 Weeks	Enrollment 9
Aerial Hammock 2	1 sessions	6 Weeks	Enrollment 5
Vertical 3	2 Sessions	6 Weeks	Enrollment 9
Like Me or Like You: Movement Workshop at BGSU, 2 Days			Enrollment 5
Intro to Juggling and Balance Workshop at BGSU, 2 Days			Enrollemnt 5
Spring 2015			
Beginning Silks	1 sessions	6 Weeks	Enrollment 9
Aerial Silks 2	1 sessions	6 Weeks	Enrollment 9
Aerial Hammock 2	2 sessions	6 Weeks	Enrollment 9