Natalie Hunter

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Education

- 2011 2013: Master of Fine Arts, University of Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.
- **2006 2011:** Bachelor of Arts, Honours Visual Arts with a Concentration in Curatorial Studies. Graduated with First Class Standing, Brock University's Marilyn I. Walker School of Fine and Performing Arts. St Catharines, Ontario, Canada.

Solo, Two & Three Person Exhibitions

- **2024** (upcoming) *Through sunset, slow dusk, and gathering dawn.* Solo exhibition and site responsive installation at Judith and Norman Alix Gallery. Sarnia, Ontario, Canada. January 2024.
- 2023 Crystal Image. Site responsive window installation. University of Waterloo Art Gallery. Fall 2023.
- **2023** Echoing Sky. Solo Exhibition. Niagara Artists Centre. St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada. July October 2023.
- **2023 -** Image | Object: new approaches to three-dimensional photography Karin Bubas, Natalie Hunter, Karen Zalamea. The Reach Gallery Museum. Abbotsford, B.C. Canada. Curated by Adrienne Fast. (Three person).
- **2022** How dim died the sun, how far hung the sky. Centre 3 for artistic + social practice. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- **2022** *Breaths, Monuments, Offerings*. Natalie Hunter, Lauren Prousky, Shellie Zhang. University of Manitoba School of Art Gallery. Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada. (Three person).
- 2021 When I see, I breathe light. Smokestack Gallery. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada. 2021.
- 2020 Billows and Breathing Spaces. Centre[3] for Artistic and Social Practice. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- **2019** Sensations of breathing at the sound of light. Factory Media Centre. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada. Exhibited during the 2019 Hamilton Supercrawl.
- **2019** Shaping Time: Natalie Hunter, Xiaojing Yan and Lois Schklar. Latcham Art Centre. Whitchurch-Stouffville, Ontario, Canada. (Three person)
- **2019 -** *Staring into the Sun.* Solo Exhibition curated by Marcie Bronson. Rodman Hall Art Centre. St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada.
- 2018 Signs of Light. Centre [3] For Print and Media Arts. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada. (two person)
- 2018 Picture-esque. Rotunda Gallery. Kitchener City Hall. Kitchener, Ontario, Canada.
- **2018** *The Sun's Rays Do Not Burn Until Brought To A Focus.* Centre [3] For Print and Media Arts. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2017 Pieces of Light: An Appendix. Open Sesame Gallery. 220 King St W, Kitchener, Ontario, Canada.
- 2016 Places Unknown. DeFacto Gallery. 193 James St. N, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2014 ReVisions. Art Gallery of Hamilton Design Annex. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2013 Passing Through. MFA Thesis Exhibition, University of Waterloo Art Gallery, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.

Select Group Exhibitions

- 2023 Capture Photography Festival. Featured Exhibition. Vancouver, B.C. Canada.
- 2023 Hamilton Winterfest. Featured artist. Cobalt Connects. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2022 17th Annual Members Screening. Factory Media Centre. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2022 SWARM: Annual Members' Exhibition. Hamilton Artists Inc. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2022 Photorama 2022. Gallery TPW. Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- 2022 Weightless Entities. Centre 3 for artistic + social practice. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- **2022 -** *Billbored Project.* Film screening of *To Breathe The Sky (2020).* Factory Media Centre. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- **2022 -** SNAP Live Auction. Lot 3, Scent of the Sun special limited edition prints. Suite of 4. Toronto, Ontario, Canada. March 24th 2022. Represented by Smokestack Gallery.
- 2021 PACKED. AGH Art Sales. Art Gallery of Hamilton, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2021 Paper Pushers. Smokestack Gallery, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2021 16th Annual Members Screening. Factory Media Centre. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- **2021** *The Soulfood* + *Smokestack* limited edition exhibition. November 18 December 18. Arterial exhibition space. Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- 2021 SCULPTURE 2021 John B. Aird Gallery. Toronto, Ontario, Canada. Juried by Robert Birch.

- **2021** *Altered Images At Hand*. Propeller Art Gallery. Toronto, Ontario, Canada. April 28 May 16, 2021. A Contact Scotiabank Photography Festival exhibition.
- 2020 Window Activations. Hamilton Artists Inc. December 2020-January 2021. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2020 Light The Night. Cotton Factory. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada. December 3, 4, 5, 2020.
- 2020 15th Annual Members Screening. Factory Media Centre. November 2020. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2020 Factory Media Centre's Cell Phone Film Festival. Factory Media Centre. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2020 Cotton Factory 5th Anniversary. The Cotton Factory. 270 Sherman Ave. N, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2018 SWARM: Annual Members' Exhibition. Hamilton Artists Inc. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- **2018 -** Alumni Exhibition at the Artery. Universities Art Association of Canada (UAAC) Conference 2018. Hosted by The Department of Fine Arts at the University of Waterloo. Oct. 25-28 2018.
- **2018** *BlackFlash Magazine's Optic Nerve Image Contest.* Honourable Mention. Issue #35.2, Spring 2018. Published magazine feature for *The Sun's Rays Do Not Burn Until Brought To A Focus* (2017).
- **2018** *Films on the Fringe: Shorts Showcase*. Hamilton Fringe Festival. Screening of *No More Than A Breath* (2017). July 21 9-11pm, Gore Park, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2017 SWARM: Annual Members' Exhibition. Hamilton Artists Inc. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- **2017** Photophobia 11: Contemporary Moving Image Festival. Co-presented by the Art Gallery of Hamilton and Hamilton Artists Inc. Screening of No More Than A Breath in the Art Gallery of Hamilton's Irving Zucker Sculpture Garden. August 10, 2017. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2016 SWARM: Annual Members' Exhibition. Hamilton Artists Inc. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2016 Chronologues. Museum London. London, Ontario, Canada.
- 2016 Rosy Pictures. Centre [3] For Print and Media Arts. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- **2016** *Re:Turns Intersections Cross-Sections 2016*. Conference & Exhibition. York and Ryerson Universities. Ryerson Image Centre. March 11 12 2016, Canada.
- 2015 SWARM: Annual Members' Exhibition. Hamilton Artists Inc. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada
- 2015 More Decent Exposure. Mississauga Living Arts Centre. Mississauga, Ontario, Canada.
- 2015 Flash: Contemporary Photography Here. Tannery Event Centre, Kitchener, Ontario, Canada.
- **2014** Possible Futures: What is to be done? The 2014 Windsor-Essex Triennial of Contemporary Art. Art Gallery of Windsor. Windsor, Ontario, Canada.
- 2014 Hamilton Supercrawl 2014. James Street North, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada. September 12 14, 2014.
- 2013 Thames Art Gallery 2013 Juried Exhibition, Thames Art Gallery, Chatham, Ontario, Canada.
- 2013 Tiny, Hopkins Center for the Arts, Dartmouth College. Hanover, New Hampshire. U.S.A.

Public Art

- 2023 Hamilton Winterfest. Featured artist. Cobalt Connects. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2021 Rooms. Gladstone Hotel. Installation in room #407. Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- **2017** (finalist) Signs of Light. Capture Photography Festival, King Edward Canada Line Station. Vancouver, Canada.
- **2017** (shortlisted) *Timelines*. James Street South Mural Public Art Installation. commissioned by the City of Hamilton. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- **2016 2017** *Pieces of Light.* Permanent installation. City of Kitchener, Bridgeport Community Centre. Kitchener, Ontario, Canada.

Grants, Awards, and Scholarships

- 2021 Research and Creation Grant. Canada Council for the Arts. Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.
- 2021 Exhibition Assistance Grant. Ontario Arts Council. Ontario, Canada.
- 2020 Superframe Framing Award. Superframe. Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- 2019 Visual Artists Creation Project Grant (Emerging Artists). Ontario Arts Council. Ontario, Canada.
- 2018 Research and Creation Grant. Canada Council for the Arts. Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.
- 2018 Visual Artists Creation Project Grant (Emerging Artists). Ontario Arts Council. Ontario, Canada.
- **2017 -** Online Teaching Award Recipient for FINE 130: Introduction to Digital Imaging. Department of Fine Arts. University of Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.
- **2016** Best of Show. Emerging Artists Residency Exhibition. Centre [3] for Print and Media Arts. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- **2016** Studio Production Grant. Emerging Artists Residency. Centre [3] for Print and Media Arts. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2013 Artists & Writers Grant. Vermont Studio Center. Johnson, Vermont, U.S.A.

- 2013 Sylvia Knight Award for Graduate Studio Excellence, University of Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.
- 2012 University of Waterloo President's Graduate Scholarship, University of Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.
- 2012 Ontario Graduate Scholarship, University of Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.
- 2012 Shantz Internship Grant, University of Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.
- 2011 University of Waterloo Fine Arts Entrance Graduate Scholarship. University of Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.

Residencies

- **2017** Artist in Residence. *Hamilton Artists Inc. Cotton Factory Residency Program*. Hamilton Artists Inc. and The Cotton Factory. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada. August 14 2017 September 30th 2017.
- **2016** Artist in Residence (Digital Media). Centre [3] for Print and Media Arts. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada. January 1st 2016 February 29th 2016.
- 2013 Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, Vermont, U.S.A. September 29th to October 25th 2013.

Volunteer

- 2022-2024: Board Member. Factory Media Centre. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2021- Juror panel member. Factory Media Centre's residency programming. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2019 2021: Volunteer grant writing editor. Factory Media Centre. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- **2018** Volunteer Speaker in Panel Discussion for *The Beanstalk Project*. The Cotton Factory, 270 Scherman Ave.N Hamilton, Ontario. November 22nd 2018.

Artist Talks and Workshops

- 2023 Artist Talk with Karin Bubas, Karen Zalamea, and Adrienne Fast for Capture Photography Festival's *Image Object: new approaches to three-dimensional photography.* The Reach Gallery Museum. Abbotsford, B.C. Canada.
- **2021** Artist Talk. IGTV chat with Tara Westerman at Smokestack Gallery for *When I see, I breathe light*. March 25th, 2021.
- 2020 Workshop / Lecture. Online Art Documentation. Factory Media Centre. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- **2019** *Artist Talk and Workshop* for preservice education students. Rodman Hall Art Centre. St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada.
- **2019** *Guest Artist.* 4th Year Honours Studio Critiques with graduating students. Brock University's Marilyn I. Walker School of Fine and Performing Arts. Rodman Hall Art Centre. St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada.
- 2019 Artist talk. Rodman Hall Art Centre. St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada. March 2019.
- **2018** Volunteer Speaker in Panel Discussion for *The Beanstalk Project*. The Cotton Factory, 270 Scherman Ave.N Hamilton, Ontario. November 22nd 2018.
- 2017 Open Studio / Artist Talk. Cotton Factory. 270 Sherman Ave. N., Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- 2017 Workshop. Open Sesame Gallery. 220 King St W, Kitchener, Ontario, Canada.
- 2017 Artist Talk. Bridgeport Community Centre, Kitchener-Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.
- **2016** Artist Talk. Brock University. Marilyn I. Walker School of Fine and Performing Arts. St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada.

Published Writing

- 2021 Interview and artist feature: The Gathered Gallery. Questions by Emily Pittman and Natalie Field.
- **2020** Interview: "Other Peoples Pixels Interviews Natalie Hunter". Questions by Chicago based artist and writer Stacia Yeapanis. in *Other Peoples Pixels Blog*. February 2020.
- **2019** Feature: "The Poetic Everyday: In Conversation with Natalie Hunter". Questions by Adi Berardini. in *Femme Art Review: an accessible source of art and culture*. July 2019.
- 2019 Natalie Hunter. "Hit List: Natalie Hunter, Artist Hamilton". Akimbo. Published April 17th, 2019.
- **2017** Natalie Hunter. *Embodiment and Reverie in Marianne Burlew's Twinning.* 2017. Idea Exchange. Cambridge Art Galleries. Published Essay for Marianne Burlew's *Twinning*.
- **2016** Natalie Hunter. *Rosy Pictures: An Installation of Photography.* Re:Turns Intersections | Cross- Sections 2016. TOPIA: Canadian Journal of Cultural Studies. York University.

Select Bibliography and Media Coverage

- **2023** Exhibition Feature Image/Object: New Approaches to Three-Dimensional Photography. The Reach Gallery Museum. Abbotsford, BC, Canada. *Photo-Ed Magazine*. Newsletter. April 27th, 2023.
- **2023 -** Kristin Lim. "New Three-Dimensional Photography Exhibition Opens in Abbotsford." *Scout Magazine*. January 24, 2023.

- **2021** Leanne Unruh. "Experiencing Art in the Age of Covid-19". Publication in *Image and Imagery Series:*Engaging with Digital Texts/Images in Literatures and the Arts. Brock University, Niagara Region, Canada. Small Walker Press. 2021.
- **2021** Artist feature and review. *Hamilton Arts and Letters Issue 14.1* / Spring 2021 The Hammer. Essay by Bart Gazzola.
- **2021** Interview with Bernadette Ryan for *Artwaves*. March 28th 7-8pm on 1050 The Hawk radio station.
- 2020 Artist Feature: Smokestack Studios and Gallery. Newsletter. February 2020. Hamilton, Ontario.
- 2019 Eileen Reilly. Creative Women of Hamilton Project. October 2019. Hamilton, Ontario.
- 2019 Nisha Gill. Looking back to previous sensations: Hamilton artist reflects on questions of memory through installation at Factory Media Centre. Review in The Silhouette. October 3, 2019. https://www.thesil.ca/looking-back-to-previous-sensations
- **2019** Bart Gozzola. *Ephemeral Architecture: Natalie Hunter at RHAC*. February 2019. Review in The Sound. https://bartgazzola.com/reviews/ephemeral-architecture-natalie-hunter-at-rhac/