## STEVEN ALEXANDER

## Born 1953

Lives and works in West Abington, Pennsylvania, USA

#### **EDUCATION**

- 1977 Columbia University, New York, MFA
- 1975 Austin College, Sherman, Texas, BA

### **SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

- 2018 Spanierman Modern, New York, Call & Response
- 2017 The Curator Gallery, New York, Places To Be: New Paintings
  Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston, Efforts of Affection: A Decade of Painting
- 2016 David Findlay Jr Gallery, New York, Recent Paintings
- 2015 Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston, Manifest
- 2013 David Richard Gallery, Santa Fe, Slave to LoveGremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston, Terraplane
- 2012 David Findlay Jr Gallery, New York, Recent Paintings
- 2010 Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston, Brooks Run to the Ocean...
  - Morpeth Contemporary Gallery, Hopewell, NJ, Paintings
  - Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Dallas, Vibrolux
- 2007 Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston, World At Large
- 2006 Test Pattern Gallery, Scranton, Echo Systems
- 2004 Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston, Terra Sutra
- 2002 Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston, As What Is
- 2001 Mahady Contemporary Gallery, Marywood University, Scranton, The Belin Project

# Gremillion Gallery, Austin, Andalucia

- 2000 Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston, Notes From Toscana
- 1999 AFA Gallery, Scranton, Recent Paintings
- 1997 Suraci Gallery, Marywood University, Scranton, Figure Paintings
- 1995 Kings College, Wilkes Barre, Paintings
- 1994 Roxx Gallery, Baltimore, Paintings
- 1992 Amdur Gallery, Austin, Recent Paintings
- 1986 Waterfront Studio, Brooklyn, Collages
- 1978 P.S. 1, Long Island City, Monks, Crows & Pilgrims, studio installation
- 1977 Columbia University Campus Sites, New York, 3 Outdoor Situations

#### TWO & THREE PERSON EXHIBITIONS

- 2019 Spanierman Modern, Miami, Color, Pattern, Texture, Shape: Steven Alexander, Louise P. Sloane, Heidi Spector
- 2016 ICON Contemporary, Brunswick, ME, Laura Duerwald & Steven Alexander
- 2014 David Findlay Jr Gallery, New York, Steven Alexander, Barbara Grad, Logan Grider
- 2013 David Findlay Jr Gallery, New York, Steven Alexander, Logan Grider, Robert Reed
- 2011 Heidi Cho Gallery, New York, Steven Alexander & Taro Suzuki: Paintings

### SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2019 Gelerie Biesenbach, Cologne, Small World

Texas Contemporary 2019, Houston, Spanierman Modern, New York/Miami

Seattle Art Fair, Spanierman Modern, New York/Miami

Art On Paper New York 2019, Spanierman Modern, New York/Miami

Corey Daniels Gallery, Wells, Maine, Flux

Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston, Chroma

2018 Art Miami, Spanierman Modern, New York/Miami

Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, New York, Shapers

Sponder Gallery, Boca Raton, Think Pink II

Spanierman Modern, Miami, Inaugural Group

Seattle Art Fair, Spanierman Modern, New York

Art On Paper New York 2018, Spanierman Modern, New York

Galerie Biesenbach, Cologne, Juxtaposition

Corey Daniels Gallery, Wells, ME, 2018 Season Opener

The Curator Gallery, New York, Louder Than Bombs (Curated by Douglas Witmer)

Palm Beach Modern + Contemporary, Sponder Gallery, Boca Raton/Miami

2017 Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston, Summer Group

Art Palm Beach, Sponder Gallery, Boca Raton/Miami

Palm Beach Modern + Contemporary, Sponder Gallery, Boca Raton/Miami

2016 The Curator Gallery, New York, Artists of the Year

Glassell Gallery, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, *Painting Color* (Curated by Susan Bonfils)

Art Concept: Miami, Sponder Gallery, Boca Raton/Miami

Shirley Fiterman Art Center, New York, *Chromatic Space* (Curated by Jonathan Lippincott)

Boeckercontemporary, Heidelberg, Germany, *Fiction* (Curated by Jeffrey Cortland Jones)

Divisible, Dayton, OH, Louder Than Bombs (Curated by Douglas Witmer)

1285 Avenue of the Americas Gallery, New York, *The Onward of Art* (Curated by Karen Wilkin)

Abrons Arts Center, New York, Visible Histories (Curated by Max Weintraub)

David Findlay Jr Gallery, New York, Selections

Sideshow Gallery, Brooklyn, Sideshow Nation IV - Thru the Rabbit Hole

2015 The Curator Gallery, New York, Some Assembly Required (Curated by Mark Wethli)

Dallas Art Fair, David Richard Gallery, Santa Fe

Art Wynwood/Miami, David Findlay Jr Gallery, New York

Janet Kurnatowski Gallery, Brooklyn, Paperazzi 4

Sideshow Gallery, Brooklyn, Sideshow Nation III: Circle the Wagons

2014 David Richard Gallery, Santa Fe, Holiday Group Show

Sideshow Gallery, Brooklyn, To Leo, A Tribute from the American Abstract Artists

David Findlay Jr Gallery, New York, SummerSet 2014

Janet Kurnatowski Gallery, Brooklyn, Paperazzi 3

Art Wynwood/Miami, David Richard Gallery, Santa Fe

Dallas Art Fair, David Richard Gallery, Santa Fe

Art Miami, David Richard Gallery, Santa Fe

2013 Janet Kurnatowski Gallery, Brooklyn, Paperazzi 2

2012 David Findlay Jr Gallery, New York, SummerSet 2012

Gremillion & Co Fine Art, Houston, 20 Artists

Janet Kurnatowski Gallery, Brooklyn, Paperazzi

2011 David Findlay Jr Fine Art, New York, SummerSet

Crane Arts Center, Philadelphia, American Abstract Artists: Abstraction∞

McKenzie Fine Art, New York, Plane Speaking

Janet Kurnatowski Gallery, Brooklyn, Paper 2011

R&F Gallery, Kingston, NY, Conversations

2010 Salao de Artes, Galeria Murilo Castro, Sao Paulo, Brazil

Heidi Cho Gallery, New York, As You Like It - Part II

Janet Kurnatowski Gallery, Brooklyn, Paper Works

David Richard Contemporary, Santa Fe, Op, Pop & Geo Again

Gallery OneTwentyEight, New York, Geometric Themes and Variations

Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston, Works On Paper

2009 Denise Bibro Platform, New York, *Blogpix* (Curated by Joanne Mattera)

Gallery OneTwentyEight, New York, Geometrics II

- Heidi Cho Gallery, New York, Project Room Pocket Utopia, Brooklyn, 246 Editions
- 2007 SACI Gallery, Florence, Italy, Invitational
- 2006 Scope/Miami International Art Fair, Heidi Cho Gallery, New York Heidi Cho Gallery, New York, summer group
- 2004 Heidi Cho Gallery, New York, summer group
- 2003 Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston, Forty
- 2001 Institute for International Education, New York, invitational
- 1999 Gremillion Gallery, Austin, Inaugural Exhibition
- 1998 Everhart Museum, Scranton, Art X 12
- 1996 The Painting Center, New York, National Juried Show
- 1994 Takasaki Art Center College, Takasaki, Japan, Strength In Diversity
- 1993 Inman Gallery, Houston, Small Works Invitational
- 1992 Janus Gallery, Santa Fe, gallery groupD-Art Visual Arts Center, Dallas, 1992 Critic's Choice
- 1991 Sena Galleries, Santa Fe, Summer Invitational
- 1990 Mexic-Arte Museum, Austin, Austin Annual
- 1989 Mexic-Arte Museum, Austin, Austin Annual
- 1975 Modern Art Museum, Fort Worth, Tarrant County Annual
- 1974 Oklahoma Art Museum, Oklahoma City, *Eight State Biennial*Art Museum of South Texas, Port Arthur, *Five State Annual*

## **AWARDS & HONORS**

- 2015 Pollock-Krasner Foundation Grant
- 2014 American Abstract Artists, New York, Elected Member
- 2013 Liberty Mutual Building, Boston, Commission

2012 Michael & Susan Dell Foundation, Austin, Commission

2010 Award for Distinguished Contribution to the Discipline Field, Marywood University

2009 Studio Art Centers International, Florence, Artist-In-Residence

2008 Hines Building, New York, Commission

MD Anderson Medical Center, Houston, Commission

2002 Mercedes Benz Corporation, USA, Commission

2000 Belin Foundation Grant for Painting

1984 P.S. 122, New York, Summer Studio Residency

1977-78 P.S. 1 Contemporary Art Center, Long Island City, Studio Residency

# **SELECTED COLLECTIONS**

Baylor College of Medicine, Houston

Burns & Levinson, Boston

Compaq Computer Corporation, Houston

Michael & Susan Dell Foundation, Austin

Hines Interests, New York

Liberty Mutual, Boston

Mercedes Benz Corporation, USA

MD Anderson Medical Center, Houston

Moffett Nathanson Research, New York

Mountain View College, Dallas

Preferred Capitol, Tahoe City

Trammell Crow, Dallas

United Airlines, Houston

United Airlines, Newark

And numerous private collections throughout the US and abroad

### **PUBLICATIONS**

2016 Steven Alexander: Paintings, Interview by Vered Lieb, 48 pages, 20 color plates, published by David Findlay Jr Gallery, New York

2013 MORMAÇO: Poems of Lêdo Ivo, Paintings by Steven Alexander, 224 pages, 42 color plates, published by Contra Capa Livraria LTDA, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

2013 Steven Alexander: Terraplane, Essay by Eric Holzman, 48 pages, 24 color plates, published by Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston

2010 Steven Alexander: Brooks Run to the Ocean..., Essay by Kate Beck, 28 pages, 18 color plates, published by Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston

2007 Steven Alexander: World At Large, Essay by Lilly Wei, 20 pages, 15 color plates, published by Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston

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Wilkin, Karen, *The Onward of Art: American Abstract Artists 80th Anniversary Exhibition*, exhibition catalog, American Abstract Artists, New York, 2016

Panero, James, "Gallery Chronicle", The New Criterion, Vol. 34, No. 7, March 2016

Wethli, Mark, "Steven Alexander", *Some Assembly Required*, exhibition catalog, The Curator Gallery, New York, 2015

Strasnick, Stephanie, "Steven Alexander, Logan Grider, Robert Reed", ARTnews, October 2013

Holzman, Eric, "Terraplane: The Paintings of Steven Alexander", *Steven Alexander: Terraplane*, exhibition catalog, Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston, 2013

Mattera, Joanne, "Building Geometry: Steven Alexander, Warren Isensee, Chris Johanson, Christian Maychack", *Joanne Mattera Art Blog*, October 10, 2012

Frank, Peter, "Steven Alexander: Presence", *Steven Alexander: Recent Paintings*, exhibition catalog, David Findlay Jr Gallery, New York City, 2012

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Mattera, Joanne, "It's A Plane! (Part 2 of 3)", Joanne Mattera Art Blog, January 19, 2011

Beck, Kate, "The Paintings of Steven Alexander", Steven Alexander: Brooks Run to the Ocean..., exhibition catalog, Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston, 2010

Mattera, Joanne, "What I Saw This Summer, Part 4: Studio Visit with Pam Farrell and Steven Alexander", *Joanne Mattera Art Blog*, September 3, 2009

Beck, Kate, "Color as it Happens: Steven Alexander and Willy Bo Richardson", *Kate Beck Art Notes* online, August 10, 2009

Rywalt, Chris, "GeoMetrics II", NYC Art online, March 25, 2009

Mattera, Joanne, "Awash in Color: Roy G. Biv and Friends", *Joanne Mattera Art Blog*, May 28, 2008

Wei, Lilly, "Color, Actually", Steven Alexander: World At Large, exhibition catalog, Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston, 2007

Forart, "Steven Alexander at Test Pattern", Electric City Renaissance, online review, June 2006

Steven Alexander: Terra Sutra, exhibition catalog, Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston, 2004

Steven Alexander: As What Is, exhibition catalog, Gremillion & Co. Fine Art, Houston, 2002

Barnes, Michael, "Alexander's Andalucia", Austin American Statesman, May 12, 2001

Steven Alexander: Andalucia, exhibition catalog, Gremillion Gallery, Austin 2001

1992 Critic's Choice, exhibition catalog, D-Art Visual Arts Center, Dallas 1992

Levy, Rebecca, "The Artst's Eye", Austin Chronicle, October 25, 1991

Whittaker, Michael, "That's Pretty Great", Austin Chronicle, September 15, 1989

Palmer, Robert, "The Pop Life", The New York Times, June 23, 1982

Shore, Michael, "How Does It Look? How Does It Sound?", ARTnews, November 1980

Rockwell, John, "Model Citizens", The New York Times, September 11, 1979