

# MORGAN LEHMAN

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## HILARY IRONS

b. 1979, Exeter, New Hampshire

### EDUCATION

- 2008 Yale School of Art, New Haven CT MFA Painting (AI Held Prize)
- 2002 Parsons School of Design, New York, NY BFA Fine Arts (Academic and Departmental Honors)
- 2001 Parsons Paris, Paris, France

### SELECTED SOLO AND TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 *A Place of Greater Safety*, Morgan Lehman Gallery, New York, NY
- 2023 *Oranges and Wrack*, Dowling Walsh, Rockland, ME
- 2021 *Orb Weaver*, Dowling Walsh, Rockland, ME
- 2020 *The Spiral Staircase*, Unity College Center for the Arts, Unity, ME  
*O Horizon* (with Jarid del Deo), Waterfall Arts, Belfast, ME
- 2017 *Night of the Hunter* (with Adam Eddy), Lens Gallery, Boston MA
- 2016 *Petrouchka*, Mayo Street Arts Center, Portland ME
- 2014 *Green Window*, Folk, Kittery, ME
- 2008 *Light on Earth*, Aucocisco Gallery, Portland, ME  
*West of the Moon: Hilary Irons and Asa Irons*, (with Asa Irons) Little Cakes, New York, NY
- 2007 *Hilary Irons/Sascha Braunig*, (with Sascha Braunig) Guertin's Graphics, Chicago, IL
- 2006 *Sheetrock Mountain*, Aucocisco Gallery, Portland, ME
- 2005 *The Ladies' Paradise*, Stella Maris Gallery, University of New England, Biddeford, ME  
*Apropos of the Wet Snow*, Boxheart Gallery, Pittsburgh, PA
- 2004 *Tituba Taught Me*, Highland Artworks, Portland, ME

### SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 *Strawberry Moon*, Gallery B, Castine, ME
- 2023 *Wild Light*, Hewnoaks, Lovell, ME  
*Winter*, Dowling Walsh, Rockland ME
- 2022 *The View From Here*, Center for Maine Contemporary Art, Portland ME  
*You're Invited*, Alice Gauvin, Portland ME  
*Summer Breeze*, The Chocolate Church, Bath, ME  
*Summer Blend*, Katzman Projects, Dover NH
- 2021 *Witch Grass*, Speedwell Projects, Portland, ME  
*Season Repression*, Field Projects, New York, NY
- 2020 *FREE FALL*, Sistered, Portland, ME (curated by Josh Reiman)  
*In Union: Remotely*, Shaker Museum Mount Lebanon, NY (online)  
*Print/Synth*, San Juan, Puerto Rico (curated by Ron Harrity and Carrie Scanga)
- 2019 *Pool Party*, C24 Gallery, New York, NY  
*Folkland*, Lewis Gallery, Portland ME (curated by Rachel Weyland and Andy Rosen)  
*Wild Light*, Hewnoaks, Lovell, ME
- 2018 *CMCA Biennial*, Center for Maine Contemporary Art, Rockland, ME (curated by Kate Green and Robin K. Williams)  
*Influx*, Pepperell Mill, Biddeford, ME (organized by AUTUS and funded by the Kindling Fund)  
*Looking Forward, Looking Back*, Flinn Gallery, Greenwich, CT (curated by Leslee Asch)  
*Circle Time*, Able Baker Contemporary, Portland ME (collaboration with Tessa Irons)
- 2017 *New England Art Book Fair*, SPACE Gallery, Portland Maine; print edition of 50 risographs by Wing Club Press
- 2016 *Bounty*, ICA at Maine College of Art, Portland ME (juried by Sage Lewis)  
*Outside & Inside Landscape*, Able Baker Contemporary, Portland, ME (curated by Breehan James)

- 2015 *Wake Up, Alice!*, Portland Public Library, Portland, ME  
*Hewnoaks*, Charlotte Hobbs Memorial Library, Lovell, ME  
*Knock Knock*, Mayo Street Arts Center, Portland, ME  
*Into the Wild*, Artists-at-Work, MECA, Portland, ME
- 2014 *Idea of the North*, River Bend Smelt Camp, Bowdoinham, ME (curated by Daniel Fuller)
- 2013 *2013 Faculty Exhibition*, Institute of Contemporary Art, Portland, ME  
*Everyday Life*, Artplatz, Minsk, Belarus  
*The New Landscape*, Rose Contemporary, Portland, ME  
*Your Face is a Landscape*, Field Projects, New York, NY
- 2012 *Gallery Artists*, Rose Contemporary, Portland, ME  
*Portes*, Mytilene, Greece and Space Annex, Portland, ME
- 2011 *Space Invaders*, Rose Contemporary, Portland, ME
- 2010 *Dump Art / Deponiekunst*, Harzerstrasse 95, Berlin, Germany  
*Summer Salon*, Aucocisco Gallery, Portland, ME (artist talk)  
*Faculty Exhibition*, University of New England Art Gallery, Portland, ME
- 2009 *Across the Border*, Peter Buckland Gallery, St. John, NB, Canada;  
*The Business of Art*, University of New England Gallery, Portland, ME  
*Summer Salon*, Aucocisco Gallery, Portland, ME  
*Faculty Exhibition*, University of New England, Biddeford, ME  
*Cabaret Initiative*, Experimental Exhibition Space, Brooklyn, NY
- 2008 *Something and Something Else*, Bonnefanten Museum, Maastricht, the Netherlands  
*Yale MFA Thesis Exhibit: Painting 2*, Yale School of Art, New Haven, CT  
*An Other World*, Curated by Britta Konau; Center for Maine Contemporary Art, Rockport, ME  
*Treading Lightly*, Waterfall Arts Center, Belfast, ME
- 2007 *Forever Home*, HaNNA, Tokyo, Japan  
*Forever Home*, Little Cakes, New York, NY  
*Biennial 2007*, New Hampshire Institute of Art, Manchester, NH
- 2006 *2006 Biennial Exhibition*, The Center for Maine Contemporary Art, Rockport, ME  
*Skowhegan at 60: Maine Participants 1996-2005*, The Center for Maine Contemporary Art, Rockport, ME
- 2005 *The Altered Film Project*, Strange Maine, Portland, ME  
*Bird Night* (collaborative installation with Angela Hennessy), L.C. Bates Museum, Hinkley, ME  
*Three Rivers Arts Festival*, Pittsburgh, PA

#### **AWARDS, RESIDENCIES, WORKSHOP**

- 2024 Swans Island Artist Residency, Swans Island, ME
- 2023 Surf Point Foundation, York, ME
- 2022 Canterbury Shaker Village, Canterbury, NH
- 2021 Hewnoaks, Kezar Lake, Lovell, ME
- 2020 Canterbury Shaker Village, Canterbury, NH
- 2018 Hewnoaks, Kezar Lake, Lovell, ME (Sustainable Arts Foundation Grantee)
- 2017 Hewnoaks, Kezar Lake, Lovell, ME; Stephen Pace House, Stonington, ME
- 2015 Hewnoaks, Kezar Lake, Lovell, ME
- 2014 Hewnoaks, Kezar Lake, Lovell, ME; Stephen Pace House, Stonington, ME
- 2008 MacDowell Colony, Peterborough, NH  
 Leon Levy Foundation Grant to attend MacDowell Colony  
 AI Held Prize to attend the American Academy in Rome
- 2005 Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, Skowhegan, ME; Skowhegan Grant
- 2004 The Josef and Anni Albers Foundation Residency, Bethany, CT  
 Icon-Writing Workshop, St. Anthony's Franciscan Monastery, Kennebunkport, ME

## **RELATED PRACTICES/PROJECTS**

**Curatorial:** Gallery and Exhibitions Director, University of New England, Portland & Biddeford ME F  
Founder, Able Baker Contemporary (former artist-run space, Portland ME)  
Former Artist Residency Coordinator, Canterbury Shaker Village, Canterbury, NH

**Art writing:** Boston Art Review  
Art New England  
Maine Magazine  
Maine Home + Design  
The Chart

**Teaching:** Maine College of Art & Design  
Bowdoin College  
Southern Maine Community College  
Boston University