

## **BRIAN CHU**

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### **Education**

- 1993 M.F.A., Queens College, City University of New York, NY  
1991 B.F.A., Queens College, City University of New York, NY

### **Teaching Experience**

- 2000-present Full Professor (current), Dept. of Art & Art History, University of New Hampshire, Durham, NH  
1999-2000 Assistant Professor, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, Edinboro, PA  
1999 Adjunct faculty, Seton Hall University, South Orange, NJ (Fall)  
1996-99 Adjunct faculty, Moravian College, Bethlehem, PA

### **Gallery Affiliation**

- 2006-present Oxbow Gallery, Northampton, MA  
2007-08 Cooper Jackson Gallery, Portland, ME  
2006-07 The Clown Gallery, Portland, ME  
2000-04 MCS Gallery, Eastern, PA  
1996-01 Bowery Gallery, New York, NY  
1996-98 Galerie Lumiere, Savannah, GA  
1994-97 John Tucker Fine Arts, Savannah, GA

### **Residencies**

- 2014 Can Serrat International Art Center, Barcelona, Spain  
2013 Alfred and Trafford Klots International Program for Artists, MICA's Artists Residency in Brittany, France  
Georgian Bay Islands National Park, Ontario, Canada  
2012 White Mountain National Forest Artist Residence, NH  
2010 Heliker-Lahotan Foundation, Cranberry Isle Residency, ME  
Byrdcliffe Colony Residency, Woodstock, NY  
2009 Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, VT

### **Grants and Awards**

- 2015 Major Grant for International Development & Engagement, UNH, Durham, NH  
2013 McConnell Fund, UNH, Durham  
2010 Milton & Sally Avery Award, Byrdcliffe Colony, NY  
2009 Clowes Fellowship Award, Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, VT  
Faculty Development Grant, UNH, Durham, NH  
2006 Liberal Arts Faculty Summer Research Stipends, UNH, Durham, NH  
2005 Patron Award, "The 2005 Northern National Art Competition", Nicolet College Gallery, Rhinelander, WI  
2003 Liberal Arts Faculty Summer Research Stipends, UNH, Durham, NH  
2002 Graduate School Summer Faculty Fellowship, UNH, NH  
2001 John W. Hatch Art Faculty Development Fund, Dept. of Art and Art History, UNH, Durham, NH

- 1991 “Best Painter” award, Class of 1991, Queens College, City University of New York, NY  
 Honors in Studio Art, Queens College, City University of New York, NY  
 1989 Provost Scholarship, Queens College, City University of New York, NY

### **Solo Exhibitions**

- 2018 *Formation*, Oxbow Gallery, Northampton, MA  
 2017 *Curious Vision*, George Marshall Store Gallery, York, ME  
 2016 *Itinerant Pictures*, Oxbow Gallery, Northampton, MA  
*Passages*, McCoy Gallery, N. Andover, MA  
 2015 *Roam*, Oxbow Gallery, Northampton, MA  
*Forming Visions*, Zondervan Library, Taylor University, Upland, IN  
 Wright State University, Dayton, OH (with Shiao-Ping Wang)  
 2013 *Brittany Paintings*, Oxbow Gallery, Northampton, MA,  
 2012 *Mindful Pictures*, George Marshall Store Gallery, York, ME  
 Oxbow Gallery, Northampton, MA  
 2011 Oxbow Gallery, Northampton, MA  
 2009 Oxbow Gallery, Northampton, MA  
 2007 *Painting*, Landau Gallery, Belmont Hill School, Belmont, MA  
*Painted Texture as Color*, The Clown Gallery, Portland, ME  
*Recent Painting*, Oxbow Gallery, Northampton, MA  
 2006 *Landscape and Still Life*, Three Graces Gallery, Portsmouth, NH  
 2005 *Recent Works*, The Salmon Falls Village Gallery, Rollinsford, NH  
*Recent Works*, Hunter Gallery, Drury and Grosvenor Center for the Arts, St. George’s School, Middletown, RI  
 2004 *Garlic and Leaves*, Campus Center Gallery, University of New England, Biddeford, ME  
 1999 *Bowery Gallery*, New York, NY  
 1998 *Searching for Personal Vision*, Sullivan County Museum, Hurleyville, NY  
 1997 *Bowery Gallery*, New York, NY (with Dik Liu)  
 1993 *MFA Thesis Exhibition*, Klapper Hall Gallery, Queens College, Flushing, NY

### **Group Exhibitions**

- 2018 *The Artists Revealed: 2018 Studio Art Faculty Review*, Museum of Art, UNH, Durham, NH  
*The People’s Forest: A Centennial Celebration of the White Mountain National Forest*, Museum of White Mountains, Plymouth, NH  
*RTM2018*, Buoy Gallery, Kittery, ME  
 2017 *Faculty Exhibition*, Museum of Art, UNH, Durham, NH  
*RTM2017*, Buoy Gallery, Kittery, ME  
 2016 *Back to School*, George Marshall Store Gallery, York, ME  
*RTM2016*, Buoy Gallery, Kittery, ME  
 2015 *Artist Review: 2015 Studio Faculty Exhibition*, Museum of Art, UNH, Durham, NH  
*Somewhere*, Common Street Arts Gallery, Waterville, ME  
 2015 Kingston Gallery, “A Department of Makers: University of New

- Hampshire Studio Faculty”, Boston, MA
- 2015 *RTM2015*, Buoy Gallery, Kittery, ME
- 2014 *Confluence of Eastern and Western Art: Chinese-American Art Faculty Exhibition*, Asian Cultural Center, , New York, NY
- 2014 *Faculty Review*, The Art Museum, UNH, Durham, NH
- 2014 *Observed*, Fifth Street Gallery, Dayton, OH
- 2014 *Here by the Sea: Contemporary Art of the Piscataqua*, Sarah Orne Jewett House and Museum, S. Berwick, ME
- 2014 Barn Gallery, Ogunquit Art Association, Ogunquit, ME
- 2014 *RTM2014*, Buoy Gallery, Kittery, ME
- 2014 Levy Gallery, New Hampshire Art Association, Portsmouth, NH
- 2014 *Winter Expectations*, George Marshall Store Gallery, York, ME
- 2013 *La Lumière Fantastique: Brittany Shines in Baltimore*, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD
- 2013 *Works by White Mountain National Forest Artists in Residence, Past and Present*, Patricia Carega Gallery, Center, Sandwich, NH
- 2013 *Artists and Models*, Ogunquit Art Association, Ogunquit, ME
- 2013 *Exposition des Peintres Americains*, Abbaye de Léhon, Léhon, France
- 2013 *Small Works Invitational*, Prince Street Gallery, New York, NY
- 2013 *Flow*, Lincoln Levy Gallery, Portsmouth NH
- 2012 *12x12 Holiday Show*, Blomfield Gallery, Boston MA
- 2012 Oxbow Gallery, “Outside Art: Plein Air @ the Oxbow,” Northampton, MA
- 2012 Buoy Gallery, “RTM,” Kittery, ME
- 2011 Visual Art Center, “Across the Divide,” Austin, TX
- 2011 First Street Gallery, “Art for Clear Water,” New York, NY
- 2011 George Marshall Store Gallery, “Visual Language,” York, ME
- 2011 University of Wisconsin-Whitewater, “Across the Divide,” Whitewater, WI
- 2011 George Marshall Store Gallery, “From the Garden to the Kitchen,” York, ME
- 2010 Oxbow Gallery, “All That Glitters,” Northampton, MA
- 2010 Museum of Art, UNH, “Artist Review: 2010 Studio Faculty Exhibition,” Durham, NH
- 2010 Kleinert/James Arts Center, “Eleventh Annual 5 by 7 Show,” Woodstock, NY
- 2010 College of William & Mary, “The Art of Observation,” Williamsburg, VA
- 2010 Washington Art Association, “Eight Views,” Washington Depot, CT
- 2009 Stockton College Art Gallery, “Intimate Frontiers,” Pomona, NJ
- 2009 Susan Maasch Fine Art, “Gallery Artists,” Portland, ME
- 2008 Museum of Art, UNH, “Art Faculty Review,” Durham, NH
- 2008 Cooper Jackson Gallery, Portland, ME
- 2008 Susan Maasch Fine Art, “Landlocked: The Contemporary Landscape,” Portland, ME
- 2007 Three Graces Gallery, “The Teeny Tiny Art Show,” Portsmouth, NH
- 2007 Cooper Jackson Gallery, Portland, ME
- 2006 Nahcotta Gallery, Portsmouth, NH
- 2006 Coolidge Center for the Arts, Portsmouth, NH
- 2006 Lycoming College, “Across the Divide,” Williamsport, PA

- 2006 Sideshow Gallery, "The 9th Annual Mermaid Show," Brooklyn, NY
- 2006 Coney Island Museum, "The 9th Annual Mermaid Show," Brooklyn, NY (Carri Skoczek, Curator)
- 2006 Reed Whipple Cultural Center Gallery, "Across the Divide", Las Vegas, NV
- 2006 University Museum, Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, "Observation and Fabrication," Edwardsville, IL
- 2005 Haley Farm Gallery, "Diversity," Kittery, ME
- 2005 Salmon Falls Village Gallery, "Salmon Fall Mill Artists," Rollinsford, NH
- 2005 The Art Gallery, UNH, "The Artists Revealed: 2005 Studio Art Program Exhibition," Durham, NH
- 2005 Family Tree Gallery, "Italian Paintings by UNH Masters," Portsmouth, NH
- 2005 Nicolet College Gallery, "The 2005 Northern National Art Competition," Rhinelander, WI
- 2005 Salmon Falls Village Gallery, "Variations on Landscape," Rollinsford, NH
- 2004 Mills Pond House Gallery, "Juried Fine Arts," St. James, NY
- 2004 Columbia Art League, "Chinese Artist in the Academia," Columbia, MO
- 2004 St. Louis Community College, "Chinese Artist in the Academia," St. Louis, MO
- 2004 Coolidge Center for the Arts, Portsmouth, NH
- 2004 Nahcotta Gallery, Portsmouth, NH
- 2003 Salmon Falls Mill, "Art Works," Rollinsford, NH
- 2003 Family Tree Gallery, "Food for Thought," Portsmouth, NH
- 2003 Coolidge Center for the Arts, Portsmouth, NH
- 2003 Nahcotta Gallery, Portsmouth, NH
- 2002 Kentler International Drawing Space, "Drawing for Peace Show," Brooklyn, NY
- 2001 Delaware College of Art and Design, "Visibly Told: Contemporary Narrative Images", Wilmington, DE
- 2001 The Art Gallery, University of New Hampshire, "2001 Art Faculty Review," Durham, NH
- 2001 MCS Gallery, "The Still Life," Easton, PA
- 2001 George Marshall Store Gallery, "Good Enough to Eat," York, MA
- 2001 MCS Gallery, "A Few Artists," Easton, PA
- 2000 The Art Gallery, UNH, "The Artists Revealed: 2000 Studio Art Program," Durham, NH
- 2000 MCS Gallery, "Regional Show," Eastern, PA
- 1999 Bowery Gallery, "Gallery Artist," New York, NY
- 1999 New Arts Program, "The 9th Exhibition of Small Works," Kutztown, PA
- 1999 Feral Art Gallery, "Saloon Show III," New York, NY
- 1998 Artists Space, "1998 Night of 1,000 Drawings," New York, NY
- 1998 Bowery Gallery, "Gallery Artist," New York, NY
- 1998 New Arts Program, "The 8th Exhibition of Small Works," Kutztown, PA

- 1998 Moravian College, "Studio Art Faculty Exhibition," Bethlehem, PA
- 1998 Cedar Crest College, "Intimate Drawings: Drawings on Paper and Off," Allentown, PA (Linda Weintraub, Juror)
- 1998 Gallery II, Blair Academy, "Art from SoHo," Blairstown, NJ
- 1997 Mallette Art Gallery, "Still Life," Garden City, NY
- 1997 Mallette Art Gallery, "Small Works," Garden City, NY
- 1997 Bowery Gallery, "Gallery Artists," New York, NY
- 1997 Moravian College, "The Lehigh River: Then and Now," Bethlehem, PA
- 1997 Bowery Gallery, "Gallery Artists," New York, NY
- 1996 Bowery Gallery, "Works on Paper by Gallery Artists," New York, NY
- 1996 Bowery Gallery, "National Competition," New York, NY (Gabriel Laderman, Juror)
- 1996 Broward Community College, "Wheel, An All-Media National Exhibition," Davie, FL
- 1995 Appalachian State University, "The Halpert Biennial," Boone, NC (Jim Zimmer, Juror)
- 1995 Bowery Gallery, "National Competition," New York, NY (Jane Freilicher, Juror)
- 1994 Bowery Gallery, "National Competition," New York, NY (Natalie Charkow, Juror)
- 1994 National Academy of Design, "The 169th Annual Exhibition," New York, NY
- 1994 Heckscher Museum, "The 39th Annual Long Island Artists' Exhibition," Huntington, NY (Emily Mason and Wolf Kahn, Jurors)
- 1994 Hunter College, "MFA Exhibition" at CAA Conference," New York, NY
- 1993 Bowery Gallery, "National Competition," New York, NY (Rosemarie Beck and Lois Dodd, Jurors)

### **Reviews**

- 2007 "Painting that reveal beauty in the ordinary," Daily Hampshire Gazette, MA
- 2005 Margaret McCann, "Brian Chu: Recent Works", *Art New England*, p. 35, October/November, 2005
- 2005 Margaret McCann, "A Distinct Impression, Brian Chu's Recent Works at Salmon Falls Mills", *The Wire*, p. 25, July 20-26, 2005
- 2004 Rebecca Cox, "Finding Memory in a Leave", *The Wire*, p. 16, March 17-23, 2004
- 2001 Victoria Donohoe, "The Still Life: 35 Visions Are Diverse". *The Philadelphia Inquirer, The Inquirer*, June 17, 2001
- 2001 Stuart Nudelman, "Still Life Exhibit at G. Marshall Store Gallery Draws Raves", *York County Coast Star*, Living/Arts, p. 2C, March 7, 2001
- 2000 Geoff Gehman, "Artists Show Muscle in Regional Show", *The Morning Call*, F10, August 27, 2000

- 1998 Chien-Shiu Lin, "Brian Chu's Painting Exhibition Opens Today: A Challenge of visual sensation", *World Journal*, December 18, 1998
- 1998 Linda Gold, "Brian Chu: Searching for A Personal Vision", Sullivan County Museum, *SAS Newsletter*, October, 1998
- 1997 Belinda Chang, "A Drawing Class Changed the Life of Brian Chu", *World Journal Weekly*, March 9, 1997
- 1997 Tien-Yu Fu, "Bowery Gallery Presents An Exhibition of Brian Chu and Dik Liu", *World Journal*, January 18, 1997
- 1997 Tien-Yu Fu, "Brian Chu's Exhibition in SoHo Demonstrates His Love of landscape, city and people", *World Journal*, January 13, 1997

### **Catalogs and Publications**

- 2014 *Collision and Confluence: An Exhibition of Chinese-American Art Faculty*, exhibition catalog, Center for Chinese Art at William Paterson University, NJ
- 2011 *Across the Divide*, exhibition catalogue, Grossman Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater & University of Texas at Austin
- 2011 Cover of *Zoland Poetry*, No 5, Zoland Books/Streerforth Press, Cambridge, MA
- 2010 *The Artists Revealed: 2010 Studio Faculty Exhibition*, Museum of Art, UNH
- 2009 *Intimate Frontiers*, exhibition catalog, Richard Stockton College, Pomona, NJ
- 2005 Cover, *Nutrition Reviews*, Vol. 63, The International Life Sciences Institute, Washington, DC

### **Presentation, Workshop, and Lectures**

- 2016 Juror for "Wet Paint Out", New Hampshire Art Association (6/24/2016)
- 2016 Juror for Lake Region Art Association (7/21/2016)
- 2016 Juror for "New England Village: Rethinking Regional Identity", Sarah Orne Jewett House and Museum, South Berwick, ME
- 2016 Juror for White Mountain National Forest Artist-In-Residence selection
- 2015 "My subject: landscape and influences", NHAA
- 2015 Exhibition Artist talk, Oxbow Gallery, Northampton, MA
- 2015 Exhibiting Artist Talk, Wright State University, Dayton, OH
- 2014 "Contemporary Art in a Western-Chinese Cross Cultural Context: A Comparative Study Symposium", William Paterson University, NJ
- 2014 Visiting Artist, Southern Illinois U. at Edwardsville, IL
- 2014 Art Alliance of Northern NH - Youth Arts Summer Program workshop, Lincoln, NH
- 2014 Juror for White Mountain National Forest Artist-In-Residence selection
- 2014 Juror for "Here by the Sea: Contemporary Art of the Piscataqua", Sarah Orne Jewett House and Museum, South Berwick, ME
- 2014 Juror for exhibition "New On The Scene", NH Art Association
- 2013 Artist Talk, WMNF Artist-in-Residence, Patricia Ladd Carega Gallery, Center Sandwich, NH
- 2012 Presentation, WMNF Artist-in-Residence, Patricia Ladd Carega Gallery, Center Sandwich, NH
- 2012 Artist Talk, National Forest Headquarter, Campton, NH
- 2012 Workshop Plein Air Landscape, Bartlett, NH

- 2012 Juror of Landscape for NH Art Association
- 2011 Book cover for Zoland Poetry No 5, Zoland Books/Streerforth Press
- 2009 Gallery Talks (one in Chinese to Chinese community), Stockton College Art Gallery, Pomona, NJ
- 2009 *Plein air Landscape workshop*, presented on North Country Professional Development Day for teachers, Whitefield, NH
- 2009 Slide lecture, SUNY Plattsburgh, Plattsburgh, NY
- 2009 *The Art of Chinese Writing* Workshop, Pease Public Library, Plymouth, NH
- 2008 UNH Museum of Art, Art Break: *A Conversation: Gabriel Laderman, Unconventional Realist/Passionate Educator*, Durham, NH
- 2008 *Plein air Landscape workshop*, NH Arts In Education Partnership Conference, Bretton Woods, NH
- 2004 Gallery talk: My work, University of New England, Biddeford, ME
- 2000 Slide lecture: My work, Seton Hall University, South Orange, NJ