

Cameron A. Kuntz

BIO & EXHIBITION HISTORY

Cameron Kuntz was born in Hamilton, Ontario in 1955. He took his inspiration for his first series of paintings and drawings from the streets of his native city. His works in oil and coloured pencil depicted the overlooked urban landscapes, which, he felt, reflected local culture. In 1979, his first piece was chosen in a juried exhibition and two solo exhibitions of this series followed.

Moving to Toronto in 1982, Kuntz took a commercial art course at George Brown College and began a career as a graphic designer - starting his own company in 1991. Kuntz maintained his connection with the local art scene by becoming an active member and then chair of Toronto Community Videotex (TCV) and being one of the first residents and a member of Arcadia Housing Cooperative.

In 1998 Kuntz moved to the Peterborough area and with his wife Margaret started a B&B healing retreat. As well as continuing his own design business Kuntz has written for graphic arts magazines, published a local wellness guide, designed a cookbook and poetry books, sat on the board at Artspace and has returned to his first love – painting. He is currently working on a new series, exploring spirituality through mixed media as well as finding other means of self-expression through poetry, music and photography.

His works are in private collections across Canada.

SOLO SHOWS

Mary Winspear - Sidney, March 2015
Gage Gallery – Victoria, February 2015
Arcadia Art Gallery – Toronto, August 2012
You Me Gallery – Hamilton, November 2011
Artspace – Peterborough, October 2009
Rosberg Gallery – Niagara Falls: January 1983
Studio 3 Gallery – Hamilton: May/June 1982

GROUP SHOWS

"The Look Show" Bay Centre – Victoria, March 2015
"Small Expressions" Tulista Park Gallery – Sidney, March 2015
"Anything But Grey" Gage Gallery – Victoria, January 2015
"The Backroom" Gage Gallery – Victoria, October 2014
"Erring On The Mount" Mount St. Joseph – Peterborough, May 2014
"omg at youme" You Me Gallery – Hamilton, December 2013
"SWARM" Hamilton Artist's Inc. – Hamilton, November - December 2013
"Phoenix Rising " Origo Gallery – Toronto, January 2013
"omg at youme" You Me Gallery – Hamilton: December 2012
Arcadia Art Gallery – Toronto: Transparent Landscapes, July 2012
Artspace – Peterborough: "50/50" show, April 2012
Art Gallery of Peterborough: It's ALL About ART – November 2011
Art Gallery of Peterborough: It's ALL About ART – November 2010
Artspace – Peterborough: "50/50" show, May 2010
The Blue Tomato – Peterborough: The Plastic Show, June 2009
Artspace – Peterborough: "50/50" show, May 2008
Artspace – Peterborough: "50/50" show, May 2007
Artspace – Peterborough: "50/50" show, May 2006
Akin Gallery – Peterborough: "Lessons in Life", August 2003
Arcadia Art Gallery – Toronto: Group Show for Arts Week, September 2002
"Art at the Airport" – March 1982 - group show sponsored by the Hamilton and Region Arts Council
Studio 3 Gallery – Hamilton: "History of Hamilton - A Photographic Retrospective", January 1982

JURIED EXHIBITIONS

Kawartha Autumn Studio Tour (Art Gallery of Peterborough) – September 2012
Kawartha Autumn Studio Tour (Art Gallery of Peterborough) – September 2010
Agnes Jamieson Gallery – Minden: "Canadian Landscape Juried Exhibition", July/September 2010
Carnegie Gallery – Dundas: "Art in the Valley", November 1982
Burlington Cultural Centre – Burlington: "13th Annual Juried Exhibition", November 1981
Burlington Cultural Centre – Burlington: "12th Annual Juried Exhibition", November 1980
Hamilton Place – Hamilton: "1st Annual Hamilton Place Juried Exhibition", November 1979