

BIOGRAPHY

EMMY SKENSVED

- 1981 Born in Kingston, Canada.
- 2007 MFA, University of Waterloo, Waterloo, Canada.
- 2005 AOCAD, Ontario College of Art and Design (OCAD), Toronto, Canada/Florence, Italy
Emmy Skensved lives and works in Berlin

Solo Exhibitions

- 2009 *FRAMEWORK*, SEPTEMBER Berlin
Spiegelblank, Kulturpalast Wedding International, Berlin, Germany
- 2007 *Borderlines*, Greener Pastures Contemporary Art, Toronto, Canada
Borderlines, University of Waterloo Art Gallery, Waterloo, Canada
- 2006 *Luxury Good*, LE. Gallery, Toronto, Canada
- 2005 *Killer Valentines*, LE. Gallery, Toronto, Canada

Group Exhibitions (Selection)

- 2010 The Forgotten Bar, Berlin
- 2009 *The New Omega Workshops*, SEPTEMBER, Berlin, Germany
Helter Skelter, Kulturpalast Wedding International, Berlin, Germany
Civic Footprint, Red Bull 381 Projects, Toronto, Canada
Frameworks Timeraiser, The Fermenting Cellar, Toronto, Canada

- 2008 – 2009 RBC Painting Competition (traveling exhibition in Canada): National Gallery of Canada, Ottawa, Musée d'Art Contemporain de Montréal, Montréal, Museum London, London, The Power Plant, Toronto, The Rooms, Saint John's, Mendel Art Gallery, Saskatoon, Art Gallery of Alberta, Edmonton, Contemporary Art Gallery, Vancouver
- 2008 Greener Pastures at NADA Art Fair, Miami, USA
Anonyme Zeichner, art event at: LISTE Basel, Switzerland, Künstlerhaus Bethanien, Berlin, Germany, Frühsorge Contemporary Drawings, Berlin, Germany, Galerie in der Stadscheune, Otterndorf, Germany, meinblau e.V., Berlin, Germany
- 2007 *What's Been Done*, Artlab, University of Western Ontario, Canada
- 2006 *LE. Trois*, LE. Gallery, Toronto, Canada
 Toronto International Art Fair, Toronto, Canada
 Artery Gallery, Kitchener, Canada
Disconnected, Modern Fuel ARC, Kingston, Canada
- 2005 *Debt*, The Other Gallery, Banff, Canada
On A Whim, Tatar Gallery, Toronto, Canada
Start, Studio 21, Halifax, Canada
- 2004 Arrivo/Partenza, Florence, Italy

Scholarships and Awards

- 2008 Canada Council for the Arts Project Grant
 Royal Bank of Canada Painting Competition finalist
- 2007 Toronto Arts Council Emerging Artists Grant
 Presidents Graduate Scholarship
- 2006 Ontario Graduate Scholarship

- Win Shantz Travel Scholarship
- 2005 401 Richmond Career-Launcher Studio Prize
OCAD Drawing & Painting Medalist Scholarship
Dorothy Hoover Award
- 2004 Takao Tanabe Scholarship
- 2001-2004 Aiming for the Top Scholarship

Projects, Collections and Commissions

- 2008 Collection of the Canadiana Foundation, Ottawa, Canada
- 2007 Artist's Project, YYZINE, YYZ Artist's Outlet, Toronto, Canada
- 2006 Collection of 401 Richmond, Toronto, Canada
- 2005 Commissioned Wall painting, OCAD, Toronto, Canada

Residencies

- 2005 Canadian Art Colleges Collaborative Residency, Banff Centre for the Arts, Banff, Canada

Press

- 2007 Dault, Gary Michael, Dazzling Canvases Aren't Painted, The Globe and Mail,
December 22, 2007, Toronto, Canada
- 2006 Dault, Gary Michael, Navigation Through Changing Waters, The Globe and Mail,

December 2, 2006, Toronto, Canada

Sengara, Lorissa [Editor's Choice: Toronto: Emmy Skensved], Canadian Art Online, November 7, 2005, Toronto, Canada

Dault, Gary Michael, "Twinkle, Twinkle Steel Stars", The Globe and Mail, November 19, 2005, Toronto, Canada

Dault, Gary Michael, [Art With Little Afterglow], The Globe and Mail, July 30, 2005, Toronto, Canada

Barnard, Elissa, [Emerging Artists off to a Great Start], The Chronicle Herald, April 16, 2005, Halifax, Canada