Alexis Elton

EDUCATION

2003 The School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL, BFA in sculpture 2001 Munson Williams Proctor Institute, Utica, NY, Associate's Degree in Fine Art

EXHIBITIONS

2024 GEOHAPTICS: Sensing Climate, 516 Arts, Albuquerque, NM

2022-2023 An/Aesthetics, Rosekill Art Farm, Kington, NY

2020 Outdoors In, Unison Art Center, New Paltz, NY

2019 Composed to Decomposed: Sequential Response Transformations,

Unison Art Center, New Paltz, NY

2019 Composed to Decomposed, Unison Art Center, New Paltz, NY

2019 Deep Time Lab, University of New Mexico Art Museum, Albuquerque, NM

2018 What's Next, Unison Art Center, New Paltz, NY

2018 POST-EARTH, Art Index Center, Newark, NJ

2017 Fresh Air, Byrdcliffe Kleinert/James Center for the Arts, Woodstock, NY

2014 Rooting India: The Knowledge Project, Kochi-Muziris Biennial,

Yousuf Art Gallery, Kochi, India

2014 Collaborator, 5 X 5 Nonuments, Washington, DC

2012 Cut, Museum of Imagination, Hudson, NY

2008 Habitat for Artists, Beacon, NY

2008 Drawing Revealed, Garrison Art Center, Garrison, NY

2007 My Space, A Place for Friends, Phillips de Purry, & Co., New York, NY

2006 Waves of Light, The Pocketbook Factory, Hudson, NY

2006 BAU 21, Beacon, NY

2006 The Curated Office, DBB & Associates, Wappingers Falls, NY

2005 Foresite-explorations of site/non-site, Vanbrunt Gallery, Beacon, NY

2005 Kingston Biennial, Kingston, NY

2005 Tales from a Dark Alley, Third Rail Studio, New Rochelle, NY

2005 Via: Beacon, Dye Works Gallery, Garnerville, NY

2005 The Usual Suspects, Spire Studios, Beacon, NY

2005 Flock, Spire Studios, Beacon NY

2004 Land Grant, Collaborative Concepts Gallery, Beacon, NY

2003 The School of the Art Institute of Chicago BFA exhibition, Chicago, IL

2002 Group Show, Base Space, School of the Art Institute of Chicago

RESIDENCIES

2023 Artist in research affiliated with the American Museum of Natural History at

Southwest Research Station (SWRS), Portal, Arizona

2021 Oak Spring Foundation, Upperville, VA

2020 Oak Spring Foundation, remote, Stony Point, NY

2018 Ucross Foundation, Ucross, WI

2016 Byrdcliffe, Woodstock, NY

2016 Catwalk/Catslair Institute, Catskill NY

2015 Burnside Farm, Detroit, MI

2014 Santa Fe Art Institute, Santa Fe, NM

2013 Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, VT

2004 - 2005 Collaborative Concepts, Beacon, NY

UPCOMING

2024 Artist residency, Watershed Art & Ecology, Chicago, IL

2024 Exhibition, Watershed Art & Ecology, Chicago, IL

AWARDS & HONORS

- 2018 Ucross Fellow, Ucross, WI
- 2014 Joan Mitchell Foundation & Santa Fe Art Institute, NM
- 2013 Fellowship, Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, VT
- 2006 Commencement Speech, Pratt at Munson Williams Proctor Institute, Utica, NY
- 2004 Special Opportunity Stipend, New York Foundation For the Arts, NY
- 2002 Communities Leadership Award, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago, IL
- 2001 Merit Scholarship Award, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago, IL
- 2001 Tim McDermid Honors Sculpture Award, Munson Williams Proctor Institute School of Art, Utica, NY
- 2000 2001 Museum of Munson Williams Proctor Institute Scholarship, Utica, NY

TEACHING & OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2022-present Visiting Faculty Bennington College, Center For Advancement in Public Action,
- Bennington, VT
- 2023 Visiting Artist, Scripps College, Claremont, CA
- 2022 Visiting Artist, Wayne University, Detroit MI
- 2022 Visiting Artist, SUNY New, New Paltz NY
- 2022 Scent Engagement, Artbook @ MoMA PS1, Printed Matter's NY Art Book Fair, NY, NY
- 2022 Visiting Artist, University of Oregon, Fuller Institute for Productive Landscapes, Overlook Field School, Waverly, PA
- 2022 Teaching Artist Residency, Arts Horizons, Skillman Middle School, Long Island City, NY
- 2021 Teaching Artist Residency, Manitou School, Cold Spring, NY
- 2021 Distilling workshop, for Permaculture Design corse, Regenerative Earth Design, Upperville, VA
- 2021 Teaching Artist Residency, Manitou School, Cold Spring, NY
- 2020 Visiting Artist Bennington College, Bennington, VT
- 2020 Project Manager, Rockland Farm Alliance, New City, NY
- 2019 Teaching Artist Residency, Arts Horizons, East Fordham Academy for Arts Middle School, Bronx, NY
- 2019 Artist on Olana, Hudson, NY
- 2019 College Art Association Conference panel and performance, Land Art Reconsidered, New York, NY
- 2019 Visiting Artist, SUNY New, New Paltz NY
- 2018 Sheridan Girls School, Visiting artist, experiential scent and writing workshop, Sheridan, WY
- 2016 Visiting Artist, Bennington College, Bennington, VT
- 2016 Visiting Artist, Teacher Mill Street Loft Dutchess Arts Camp, River Arts, Beacon, NY
- 2009- 2015 Co-operator and manager of Jubilee Farm, Chimayo & Las Trampas, NM
- 2008 2013 SITE- Sante Fe Preparator, Santa, Fe,NM
- 2009 2015 Farm and Art programs for Santa Fe Waldorf School, Gemini Farm & Jubilee Farm, NM
- 2015 Woman & Creativity Presenter, Food As Art issue Edible Santa Fe, Santa Fe Art Institute, NM
- 2014 SFAI 140 Presenter
- 2014 Seed Saving & Visual Art workshops (Kindergarten grade 8).
- La Tierra Montessori School at Moving Arts, Espanola, NM
- 2014 Squash Painting in the Field workshops (grades 3 4), Santa Fe Waldorf School, NM
- 2013 Visiting Artist, Mill Street Loft Dutchess Arts Camp, River Arts, Beacon, NY
- 2004 Set design and construction, Arsenic & Old Lace, Byram Hills High School, Armonk, NY
- 2003 Teacher's assistant to advanced foundry class, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, IL
- 1999 Counselor, teacher and teacher's assistant, The Studio School, New York, NY
- 1998 Internship, Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, NY

COLLECTIONS

Hudson Valley Center for Contemporary Art, Peekskill, NY Private collections

PUBLICATIONS

2019 Contra Viento Journal

2018 Chronogram

2016 Edible, Santa Fe, NM

2015 Seed Broadcast, Santa Fe, NM

2015 Edible, Santa Fe, NM

2014 Alibi, Albuquerque, NM

2014 Pyragraph, Albuquerque, NM

2013 Albuquerque Journal, NM

2013 New York Magazine, NY

2012 Trend, Santa Fe, NM

2005 Kingston Sculpture Biennial Catalogue, Rivertown, NY