

Charlotte Smith

ARTIST'S STATEMENT

Painting and making art is a meditative activity for me. Some of these repetitive painting processes include dripping, blowing, layering and piling. Many pieces combine all of these techniques. Playing with paint and other materials is more interesting to me than creating images. My recent paintings and installations continue my exploration of materials, shapes and painting processes. Paint drops stack up and form complex piles and rhythms. These pieces are a new and strange form of abstract pointillism. The strangeness and density of the stacked dots intentionally draw in the viewer. These new pieces are purposefully obsessive. The stacks of paint dots in the installation pieces spill off the wall and become sculpture. They don't just push the boundaries between painting and sculpture; they eliminate them.

EDUCATION

2000-2004	Member – 500x Artist's Cooperative – Dallas, TX
1999	Masters of Fine Arts – University of North Texas – Denton, TX

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2015	Charlotte Smith: NOW AND THEN – CAMIBAart Gallery – Austin, TX
2014	Painted Rhetoric – Anya Tish Gallery – Houston, TX
2013	Fall – Cris Worley Fine Arts – Dallas, TX
2012	Luscious – George Billis Gallery – Los Angeles, CA dot, dot, dot – Galveston Art Center – Galveston, TX
2011	Push – Cris Worley Fine Arts – Dallas, TX Worthwile II – Artspace 111 – Fort Worth, TX Somewhere on the Fringe – Anya Tish Gallery – Houston, TX
2009	PanAmerican ArtProjects – Dallas, TX Hard Candy – Anya Tish Gallery – Houston, TX
2008	Charlotte Smith – George Billis Gallery – Los Angeles, CA
2007	Inside OUT – PanAmerican ArtProject – Dallas, TX Charlotte Smith: Recent Works – Anya Tish Gallery – Houston, TX



2006	Charlotte Smith – George Billis Gallery – Los Angeles, CA Pop Up – PanAmerican ArtProjects – Dallas, TX
2005	Bunch – Anya Tish Gallery – Houston, TX Pile Up: Charlotte Smith – Art Museum of Southeast Texas – Beaumont, TX
2004	Charlotte Smith - Out There – PanAmerican Art Projects – Dallas, TX
2003	Bubblelicious – Karen Mitchell Frank Gallery – Dallas, TX More or Less – 500x Gallery – Dallas, TX
2002	<i>Just Dots</i> – Four Walls Gallery – Fort Worth, TX <i>Sleeve</i> – 500x Gallery – Dallas, TX
2001	Feisty – 500x Gallery – Dallas, TX
1999	Once in a Blue Moon – MFA Show – Denton, TX
1997	Charlotte Smith: Recent Paintings and Drawings – Denton TX

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2015	Ambassadors: New work by Anna Elise Johnson & Charlotte Smith – Cris Worley Fine Arts – Dallas, TX
2014	Wall Dependent? – O2 Gallery at the Flatbed Building – Austin, TX – Curator: CAMIBAart Creative Differences: 35 years at 500x – 500x Gallery – Dallas, TX
2013	Biennial: Origins in Geometry – MADI Museum of Geometric Art – Dallas, TX – Juror: Clint Willour Dimensions Variable – Anya Tish Gallery – Houston, TX
2012	Suddenly this Summer – Cris Worley Fine Arts – Dallas, TX Sky Blue Sky – Artspace 111 – Fort Worth, TX Obsessive Worlds – Art Museum of Southeast Texas – Beaumont, TX – a traveling show with catalog
2011	The Crew – Artspace 111 – Fort Worth, TX On a Wire – Cris Worely Fine Arts – Dallas, TX Assistance League of Houston Celebrates Texas Art – Williams Tower Gallery – Houston, TX – Juried
2010	Eos Rising – Cris Worely Fine Arts – Dallas, TX Art in the Metroplex – Texas Christian University – Fort Worth, TX – Juror: Polly Apfelbaum Epic Epoch – Cris Worley Fine Arts – Dallas, TX
2009	Texas Biennial – Austin, TX Synthetic Landscape – The McKinney Avenue Contemporary – Dallas, TX The Back Room Invitational – Bath House Cultural Center – Dallas, TX



2008

Candy Land – PanAmerican ArtProjects – Dallas, TX
ON_game – University of Texas at Dallas – Dallas, TX

Obsessive Compulsive - Huntington Beach Art Center - Huntington Beach, CA

Superficial: An exhibition about the surface of painting – Museum of South Texas – Corpus Christi, TX

Salon du Fit – Bath House Cultural Center – Dallas, TX

Fierce - Plano Contemporary Gallery - Plano, TX

Gallery Artists, Recent Works - Anya Tish Gallery - Houston, TX

Your Favorite Artist Was a Member, 30 Years at 500X - 500X Gallery - Dallas, TX

Assistance League of Houston Celebrates Texas Art – Williams Tower Gallery – Houston, TX – Juror:

Dr. Kevin Salatino, Los Angeles County Museum of Art

The Wall dependent Object - Williams Tower Gallery - Houston, TX

2007 Assistance League of Houston Celebrates Texas Art – Williams Tower Gallery – Houston, TX – Juror: Carter Foster, Curator of Drawings, Whitney Museum, NY

Five x Seven - Conduit Gallery - Dallas, TX

Art in the Metroplex – Texas Christian University – Fort Worth, TX – Juror: Michael Duncan, critic and independent curator, corresponding editor for Art in America

Summer Group Show – Anya Tish Gallery – Houston, TX

Denton Visual Art Center - Denton, TX

Cool – PanAmerican Art Projects – Dallas, TX

2006 The Grand Re-opening of the Art Museum of South TX – Museum of South Texas – Corpus Christi, TX

Critics Choice – Contemporary Art Center – Dallas, TX

Show Offs II – William Campbell Contemporary – Fort Worth, TX

The White Show - Anya Tish Gallery - Houston, TX

Patternage – Continental Lofts – Dallas, TX Organic Edge – 414 Gallery – Fort Worth, TX

Shine 2006, Fire and Ice – Arlington Museum of Art – Arlington, TX

2005 Holiday Group Show – George Billis Gallery – Los Angeles, CA

Layered, Stacked, & Assembled - Arlington Museum of Art - Arlington, TX

Texas Biennial – Austin, TX

Members Show – The MAC – Dallas, TX

A Friend in Deed – Barry Whistler Gallery – Dallas, TX

Critics Choice - Contemporary Art Center - Dallas, TX

Wish - Contemporary Art Center - Dallas, TX

2004 OBJECTification – University of Texas at Arlington – Arlington, TX

5x7 – Dunn & Brown Contemporary – Dallas, TX

Red Hot, Red Dot - Women & Their Work - Austin, TX

Art in the Metroplex - Templeton Art Center, Texas Christian University - Fort Worth, TX

The Salon du Fit Show – Dallas Bath House Cultural Center – Dallas, TX

The Summer Show & Critic's Choice – Dallas Center for Contemporary Art – Dallas, TX

Rock, Scissors, Paper – Williams Tower Gallery – Houston, TX

The Summer Show – Anya Tish Gallery – Houston, TX

Light Up the Night – Dallas Museum of Art – Dallas, TX

The Assistance League of Houston, Celebrates Texas Art – Williams Tower Gallery – Houston, TX – Juror: Jennifer Gross, Curator of Contemporary Arts at Yale Art Gallery in New Haven, CT



2003 500X Celebrates 25 Years – 500X Gallery – Dallas, TX

Art in the Metroplex – Templeton Art Center – Fort Worth, TX

The Rockwall Juried Art Competition – Rockwall, TX – Juror: Ted Pillsbury, Director of the Meadows

Museum of Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX

Five by Seven – Dunn & Brown Contemporary – Dallas, TX

Members' Show – McKinney Avenue Contemporary – Dallas, TX

Beyond the Image - Anya Tish Gallery - Houston, TX

Members' Show – Dallas Center for Contemporary Art – Dallas, TX

Framing 100 Years of the Dallas Museum of Art - Dallas Museum of Art - Dallas, TX

2002 Season Opener – 500X Gallery – Dallas, TX

Members' Show – Dallas Center for Contemporary Art – Dallas, TX

Assistance League of Houston Celebrates Texas Art – Williams Tower Gallery – Houston, TX – Juror:

James Rondeau, Associate Curator of Contemporary Art, Art Institute of Chicago

Wish – Dallas Center for Contemporary Art – Dallas, TX

2001 Red Hot, Red Dot – Women & Their Work – Austin, TX

The MAC 2001 Juried Exhibition – McKinney Avenue Contemporary – Dallas, TX – Juror: Annette

DiMeo Carlozzi, Curator at the Blanton Museum of Art, Austin

Diaphanous - NRH Gallery - North Richland Hills, TX

New Works - 500X Gallery - Dallas, TX

2000 Catchy Title – 500X Gallery – Dallas, TX

Expo 2000 - 500X Gallery - Dallas, TX - Juror: Benito Huerta

1999 New Talent – Cora Stafford Gallery – Denton, TX

1998 Taos – Sculpture in the Environment – Taos, NM

1997 30th Annual Juried Fine Arts Awards Exhibition – Denton, TX

SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS and GRANTS

2002	Houston, TX – Juror: James Rondeau, Associate Curator of Contemporary Art, Art Institute of Chicago Award – Members' Show – Dallas Contemporary Art, Dallas, TX
2000	1 st Place Award – Expo 2000 – 500X Gallery, Dallas, TX – Juror: Benito Huerta
1997	Award – 30 th Annual Juried Fine Arts Award – Denton, TX



BIBLIOGRAPHY

2015	Book; Goodrow, Gerard. Global Corporate Collections. DAAB Media.
2014	Book; Edwards, Jim & Michael Paglia. Texas Abstract: Modern/Contemporary. Fresco Books.
2013	Art & Seek. October 2013
2012	Modern Houston. February 2012
2010	Book; Anspon, Catherine. Texas Artists Today. Marquand Books. Seattle
2008	Newspaper; Walsh, Daniella. Obsessive Compulsive in Huntington Beach is a Feast of Artistic Invention. OC Register. April 5, 2008. Huntington Beach, CA Magazine; Stacy, Greg. Obsessive Compulsive. OC Weekly. April 10, 2008. Huntington Beach, CA
2007	Newspaper; Terranova, Charissa. Dragon Street Doings. Dallas Morning News. September 13, 2007. Dallas, TX
2006	Newspaper: Terranova, Charissa. Pop Goes the Easel. Dallas Morning News. June 1, 2006. Dallas, TX Newspaper; Organic Edge. Fort Worth Star Telegram. Fort Worth, TX
2005	Magazine; Aguilera, Rodrigo. Charlotte Smith's Color Harmonies. Visual Arts Magazine. Houston, TX Magazine; Cohen, Rebecca S. Texas Biennial 2005. Art Lies. Volume 46. Spring 2005. Houston, TX Online Magazine; Compton, JR. The Texas Biennial. Glasstire. April 2, 2005
2004	Newspaper; Paintings Examine Texture & Light. Fort Worth Star Telegram. August 7, 2004 Catalogue; The Solace of Fetish Form and repetition. Terranova, Charissa N. Catalogue for Objectifications at University of Texas Arlington
2003	Magazine: Beyond the Image. Art Lies. July 2003. Houston, TX Newspaper; The Art of Collecting. Park Cities People. December 18, 2003. Dallas, TX Newspaper; Art Smart. Paper City. March, 2003. Dallas, TX
2002	Newspaper; Charlotte Smith: Just Dots. Fort Worth Star Telegram. October 2002. Fort Worth TX Magazine; Charlotte Smith: Just Dots. Art Lies. Houston, TX

SELECTED PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Museum of South East Texas – Beaumont, Texas
Art Museum of South Texas – Corpus Christi, Texas
Neiman Marcus – multiple locations including Houston, Austin, San Antonio, Atlanta
Texas Back Institute – Dallas, Texas
Marla Barlow, Curator of Photography, Metropolitan Museum of Art New York
Tony Chaveaux, Deputy Director of Grants and Awards of the National Endowment for the Arts