

# James Gortner

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## EDUCATION

2010 MFA, Columbia University  
2001 BA, Hawaii Pacific University

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2023 "Terra Incognita", Atamian Hovsepian Curatorial Practice, NY  
2019 "Myths & Mirrors", Lyons Wier Gallery, NY  
"Eternal Flame", VillageOne Gallery, NY  
2017 "Dimensions Variable", Lyons Wier Gallery, NY  
"Force Field", Fernando Luis Alvarez Gallery, CT  
2016 "Ground Breakage", Fernando Luis Alvarez Gallery, CT  
2015 "Transformer", Lyons Wier Gallery, NY  
"Games", Fernando Luis Alvarez Gallery, CT  
2013 "The Lovers", Lyons Wier Gallery, NY  
2007 "Portraits Made In Darkside", Dittrich & Schlichtum Gallery, Berlin

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2025 DRAW, Museum of Contemporary Art (MAC), Chile  
Winter Group Show, Westbeth Gallery, NY  
Summer Group Show, Galleri Ramfjord, Oslo  
2024 American Vision, Galleri Ramfjord, Oslo  
Stretched Out, VillageOne Gallery Art, NY  
2023 "Dads", Westbeth Gallery, NY (Curator)  
Notes On Experimentation, Mana Contemporary, NJ  
Winter group show, Westbeth Gallery, NY  
New Group Show, Atamian Hovsepian Curatorial Practice, NY  
2022 Winter group show, Westbeth Gallery, NJ  
2021 Opening Show, Amelchenko Gallery, NJ  
Art Miami, Modern Fine Art  
Art Palm Beach, Modern Fine Art  
2020 Double Trouble, Village One Gallery, NY  
Hamptons Virtual Art Fair, Hamptons, NY  
2019 RW Norton Museum, LA  
Summer Group Show, Lyons Wier Gallery, NY  
Art New York, Zemack Contemporary, NY  
Art Palm Beach, Fernando Luis Alvarez Gallery, FL  
2018 Summer Group Show, Lyons Wier Gallery, NY MIA in MIA,  
Lyons Wier Gallery, NY

2017 Art Miami, Lyons Wier Gallery, FL  
ESKFF, Mana Contemporary, NJ

2016 Summer Group Show, Lyons Wier Gallery, NY  
BSMT Group Show, Mana Contemporary, NJ  
Art Miami, Lyons Wier Gallery, FL  
Houston Art, Fernando Luis Alvarez Gallery, TX  
Art Hamptons, Fernando Luis Alvarez Gallery, NY  
Art Palm Beach, Fernando Luis Alvarez Gallery, FL

2015 1st & 4th floor Exhibition Spaces, Mana Contemporary, NJ  
Thank You Connecticut, Fernando Luis Alvarez Gallery, CT  
Auxiliary Space, Lyons Wier Gallery, NY

2014 Art Miami, Lyons Wier Gallery, FL  
Downtown Fair, Lyons Wier Gallery, NY  
MIA in MIA, Lyons Wier Gallery, NY  
Auxiliary space, Lyons Wier Gallery, NY.

2013 Returning Reality, Lyons Wier Gallery, NY  
Summer Session, Lyons Wier Gallery, NY  
Art South Hampton, Lyons Wier Gallery, NY  
Art Windward, Lyons Wier Gallery, FL

2011 Nouveau Art Nouveau, Tape Modern No.21, Berlin

2010 Columbia Thesis Exhibition, Fisher Landau Center for the Arts, NY  
B-sides, Kara Walker Project Space, NY  
Lidl vs Netto, Marzahner Promenade, Academy of Economics, Berlin  
At Least a Hundred Words, Pool Gallery, Berlin  
Feast of Fools, Second-Floor, NY

2009 Group Exhibition, Miriam & Ira D. Wallach Gallery Columbia University, NY

2007 Art Cologne, Dittrich & Schlichtum Gallery, Cologne

2006 Pool Artist Group Show: You Must Create, Dittrich & Schlichtum Gallery, Berlin

## SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY

2023 Melissa Kravitz Hoeffner, "Roosevelt Island's Annual Pop-Up Pool Party Returns With A Rainbow Deck", Time Out New York, June.

2020 Nicole Gordon Levine, "James Gortner: An Artist Who Brings Paintings To Life" Beautiful Bizarre Magazine, Oct.

2019 "Summer Session", New American Art Collector Magazine, July.

2017 New American Paintings (Northeast).  
Patricia A. Hines, "What's Old Is New: Abstract Artist Makes New Work With Old Paintings", Stamford Advocate, Oct.  
"James Gortner And Iris Apfel: Collectors, Creators, Reinventors", Twyla.com, Art Connects Us, Summer.

2016 Interview by Brainard Carey, "James Gortner", Yale Radio, June 27.

2015 Susan Dunne, "GAMES Exhibition Straddles the Line Between Painting, Sculpture, and Collage", Hartford Courant, November.  
Darby & Friends, WGCH radio interview, September.  
Nicole Gordon Levine, "James Gortner Exclusive", stylabl.com, June.

2014 Margaux Gali, "James Gortner: Diamond in the Rough", Veoir Magazine, September.

2013 NaShish Scott, "The Lovers At Lyons Wier Gallery", Quiet Lunch Magazine.

2011 Tema Stauffer, "The Mana Log: James Gortner", Mana Contemporary.

2010 Joshua J. Friedman, "An Artspace Odyssey", Columbia Magazine, May.

2009 "Art gets gifted", Columbia Spectator, October.

2008 Louise Jarvis Flynn, "White Album: Meet New York's New Avant Garde", Men's Journal, July.

2007 Von Sophie Von Maltzahn, "Geschichten aus dem Crack-Haus" (Faces of a Crack House), Art market, Berliner Newspaper, October 12.  
"Interview with James Gortner", Galore Magazine Germany, March.  
Eva Turbl, "Heads: James Gortner", IQ Style Magazine Germany, October.

## TEACHING

2017 Art Students League, NY  
2010 Adjunct Art Professor, Columbia University, NY  
2009 Assistant Art Professor, Columbia University, NY

## COLLECTIONS

Jiang Zemin, 5th President of China  
Reese Witherspoon, Actress  
Wooster Street Art Collective  
Jimenez-Colon Collection  
Eileen Kaminsky S. Family Foundation  
various private collections