

## Jiannan Wu

Born 1990, Dalian, China

Lives and works in New York

### Education

2016 MFA in Sculpture, New York Academy of Art, New York City, NY

2014 BFA in Sculpture, China Academy of Art, Hangzhou, China

Elected Member of National Sculpture Society

Invited Member of American Medallion Sculpture Association

World Economic Forum Global Shaper, Dalian Hub

Faculty at New York Academy of Art

### Solo Exhibitions

2020

*Collisions*, Time Arts Gallery, New York, New York

*Reliefs*, Joseph R. and Paul W. Gates Gallery, West Nottingham Academy, Colora, Maryland

2018

*Metroland*, Amerasia Bank Art Gallery, Flushing, New York

### Selected Group Exhibitions

2022

Art Herning 2022, Gallery Poulsen, Denmark

*Contemporary Perspectives* - Jiannan Wu, Jingyi Wang & Zhou Chen Gallery Poulsen, Copenhagen, Denmark

2021

*Artists for Artists*, The Sotheby's, New York, New York

*Jahreesgaben 2021*, Bonner Kunstverein Museum, Bonn, Germany

*A Tale of Two Cities*, Enjoy Art Museum, Beijing, China

*The Intouchables*, Gallery Poulsen, Copenhagen, Denmark

*The Holding Environment, Chapter ?*, Bonner Kunstverein Museum, Bonn, Germany

*The Push*, High Line Nine, New York, New York

*The Holding Environment, Chapter ?*, Bonner Kunstverein Museum, Bonn, Germany

*Memento Mori*, Sugarlift, New York, New York

*Parallels&Peripheries*, New York Academy of Art, New York, New York

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2020

*Apocalypse Now-New Art from New York and Other Places*, Gallery Poulsen, Copenhagen, Denmark

*Artists for Artists*, New York Academy of Art, New York, New York

*2020 Vision*, Southampton Arts Center, Southampton, New York

*Summer Exhibition*, New York Academy of Art, Online Exhibition

2019

*Exhibition and Silent Auction featuring artworks of Jiannan Wu and his Whittle Students*, Whittle School & Studios, Shenzhen, China

*The 13th National Exhibition of Fine Arts*, Chongqing Contemporary Art Museum, Chongqing, China

*Aestas*, Dacia Gallery, New York, New York

*Summer in Manhattan*, CHENG Gallery, New York, New York

*Summer Exhibition*, Wilkinson Gallery, New York, New York

*We All Belong*, The Church of the Heavenly Rest, New York, New York

*Cross-Cultural Practice*, New York City College of Technology, New York, New York

*Phantasmagoria*, New York Academy of Art, New York, New York

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2018

*Optimism*, EFA Project Space, New York, New York

*Take Home A Nude*, The Sotheby's, New York, New York

*Emerging*, Elizabeth Foundation for the Arts, New York, New York

*DRAW*, Sugarlift, New York, New York

*New York State of Mind--Art America Dalian 2018*, X Gallery, Dalian, China

*Summer Exhibition*, Flowers Gallery, New York, New York

*Texture Temperature Weight--AMSA Member Exhibition*, Medialia Gallery, New York, New York

*Season Opening*, Accesso Galleria, Pietrasanta, Italy

*New Youth:China-America Young Artists Exhibition*, Metropolitan Pavilion, New York, New York

*Beyond Figuration--Art America Beijing 2018*, Chengxi Contemporary Art Center, Beijing, China

2017

*Power of Silence*, Art Lines Gallery, Hackensack, New Jersey

*The Drawing Exhibit*, Clubhouse Gallery, West Hartford, Connecticut

*Take Home a Nude*, Sotheby's New York, New York

*Single Fare 4*, Highline Stages, New York, New York

*Materials Matters Sculpture Show*, Accesso Gallery, Pietrasanta, Italy

*Season Opening*, Accesso Gallery, Pietrasanta, Italy

*Carrara Residency Merit Award Celebration*, ABC Stone, New York, New York

*WAVELENGTH II*, The Hole Gallery, New York, New York

*Emerging Artist 2017*, Clubhouse Gallery, West Hartford, Connecticut

2016

*Picturing the Unprintable*, Flux Factory, New York, New York

*Graduate 2016*, Gallery Poulsen, Copenhagen, Denmark

*MFA National Competition Winner Exhibition*, First Street Gallery, New York, New York

*Summer Exhibition*, Flowers Gallery, New York, New York

*MFA Thesis Exhibition 2016*, New York Academy of Art, New York, New York

*Giverny Residency Exhibition*, New York Academy of Art, New York, New York

*Rover 2016 Art Show*, Starr Space Gallery, New York, New York

*The Westminster Kennel Club 140<sup>th</sup> Annual Dog Show*, Pier 92/94, New York, New York

*Cross-Culture Dialogue: Sino-American Art Students Exhibition*, Jacob K. Javits Convention Center, New York, New York

*"RE-"*, Flux Factory Gallery, New York, New York

2015

*Deck the Walls*, Wikinson Gallery, New York, New York

*Fall Small Works Salon Show*, Greenpoint Gallery, New York, New York

2014

*China Academy of Art Graduation Exhibition*, China Academy of Art Gallery, Hangzhou, China

2013

*China Academy of Art Sculpture Exhibition*, China Academy of Art Gallery, Hangzhou, China

*EXISTENCE—Department of Sculpture Optional Exhibition*, Hangzhou, China

*China Academy of Art PER—Design Sculpture Exhibition*, China Academy of Art Gallery, Hangzhou, China

## Art Fairs

## Giannan Wu

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- 2021 *Art Miami*, The Art Miami Pavilion, Miami, Florida
- 2020 *Art Xiamen Online Fair*
- 2019 *Art Miami*, The Art Miami Pavilion, Miami, Florida
- 2019 *Art Shenzhen*, Shenzhen Convention and Exhibition Center, Shenzhen, China
- 2019 *Art New York*, Pier 94, New York, New York
- 2018 *Art Miami*, The Art Miami Pavilion, Miami, Florida
- 2017 *Art Herning*, MCH Herning Congress Center, Herning, Denmark
- 2016 *Accessible Art Fair New York*, The National Arts Club, New York, New York

### Selected Awards/ Honors

- 2021 100 Best 2020, Creative Quarterly 59
- 2020 The Best Original Sculpture in 2019 for work "The Curious Case", Sculpture Magazine of China
- 2020 Special Mention for work "New York New York", MOZAIK Future Art Awards
- 2020 AACYP Top 30 under 30, All America Chinese Youth Federation
- 2020 Best of Show Award for work "Country Love: New Look", Creative Quarterly 59 Competition
- 2020 Winner for work "Country Love: That's All Your Fault", Creative Quarterly 59 Competition
- 2019 Winner, "Dalian Gift"--The first Dalian Cultural Creativity and Tourism Souvenir Competition
- 2019 Finalist, 14th International Art Renewal Center Salon Competition
- 2019 Grantee, The Elizabeth Greenshields Foundation Grant
- 2017 Dexter Jones Award by National Sculpture Society
- 2016 Winner, MFA National Competition
- 2016 Compleat Sculptor Award
- 2016 Finalist, IMAGINE: the Genesis Prize Design Competition
- 2016 Nominee, Outstanding Student Achievement in Contemporary Sculpture Award
- 2016 Curator Selected Award, Cross Cultural Dialogue: Sino-American Art Students Exhibition
- 2015 Runner-up, the Westminster Kennel Club 140th Annual Dog Show Poster Contest
- 2014 Bronze Award, China Academy of Art Graduation Exhibition
- 2011 Finalist, the Third Chinese University Art Exhibition

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### Curated Exhibitions

2021

*A Tale of Two Cities*, Enjoy Art Museum, Beijing, China

2018

*New York State of Mind--Art America Dalian 2018*, X Gallery, Dalian, China

*Beyond Figuration--Art America Beijing 2018*, Chengxi Contemporary Art Center, Beijing, China

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### Residencies

- 2019 West Nottingham Academy Eric Fischl '66 Artist-in-Residence Teaching Program, Colora, Maryland
- 2019 Whittle School & Studios Residency, Shenzhen, China
- 2016 Con Artist Winter Residency, New York, New York
- 2016 ABC Stone Carrara Merit Award Residency, Carrara, Italy
- 2015 Terra Foundation Residency for American Art, Giverny, France

### Selected Publications

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**GALLERY POULSEN**  
CONTEMPORARY FINE ARTS - COPENHAGEN

*Manifest*, International Drawing Annual 14 (IDNA 14), 2020, p. 153.

*Friend of The Artist*, Volume 12, 2020, pp. 168-171.

*EcoTheo Review*, Autumn 2020 Issue, front and back covers.

*Creative Quarterly*, 100 Best Annual 2020, p. 14.

*Creative Quarterly*, Issue 59, 2020, pp. 21, 23.

*BLANK Magazine*, September 2020 Issue, pp. 62, 75.

*Planet China*, Vol. 10, pp. 42-51.

*International Realism*, 14th International ARC Salon, 2020, p. 393

*Along Magazine*, 2020 Spring Issue, pp. 4-5.

*(t)here Magazine*, 2015, Vol. 15.

"Work Selfie in Sculpture Collection", *China Academy of Art Press*, 2014

"Pinwu", *China Academy of Art Press*, 2013