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## *About the Artist: Jeremy Mann*

“Through the arrangement of shapes, of detail, of form, line and balance, I attempt to capture an uncategorized reality before me in a personal style which reflects the way I’ve come to view the world. Finding that harmony of physical mark making to illicit the illusion of a realistic memory of emotion is a constant internal and external battle that I thrive at being in the middle of.”

- Jeremy Mann

Jeremy Mann has distinguished himself among his peers through his “unique talent to transform a familiar place or anonymous figure into a painting imbued with something alchemical and at times otherworldly.” These words come from an article written about Jeremy Mann in *American Artist* magazine in which Mann is named as one of the “25 Artists of Tomorrow.” His journey began at Ohio University in Athens, Ohio where he obtained his B.F.A. in painting and graduated Summa Cum Laude. Mann later earned his M.F.A. from the Academy of Art University in San Francisco, California and he graduated as Valedictorian. After graduating from the Academy of Art University, Mann eventually joined the university staff as an instructor.

Through his gritty urban scenes and his moody, ethereal figurative works, Mann never fails to captivate and transport the viewer. “There’s an energy in the pieces, whether it’s the dense cityscapes that are a common subject in his work, or whether it’s simply the lines from his paint. The physical motion is very clear. But the clarity and serenity they evoke comes from a scene of chaos. In his studio, he curses heavily, sometimes dances, throws things at the wall, and gets giddy over certain strokes”(excerpt from an interview with Mike Steyels, writer for *Creators* by VICE, 2016).

Mann has perfected his use of ink rollers and printing squeegees to create uniquely orchestrated compositions. Behind each work of art the artists’ mayhem is concealed by the sophistication and precision of the arrangement. Mann is consistently on the move as he works, wiping ink rollers, ridding them of excess paint, upon his shirt, and scrapping paint off of the panel revealing

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reflections, headlights, or windows. While the finished product reads as an extremely busy yet somehow serene atmosphere.

“I can get claustrophobic around too many people, a natural syndrome for many studio artists, and cities are the epicenter of ‘too many people,” says Mann, “At what point people decided to stop making beautiful buildings and erect hard edge rectangular tombs confuses me. So, in an effort to confront my demons in the safety of my own studio, I paint cityscapes, pretending to the public that they are studies of artistic fundamentals like perspective, balance, shapes, and values” (excerpt from Mann’s interview with *Hi-Fructose*, 2016).

While Mann frees his cityscapes from the hustle and bustle of humanity, his figurative works emphasize beauty. He personally selects his models and puts together striking photo shoots, using only film photography, to collect material for his paintings. In addition to beauty, Mann reveals isolation, reflection, and dejection through visual cues, creating a conversation between the viewer and subject.

## Education:

Academy of Art University, MFA Painting, 2008  
Ohio University BFA Painting 2002, Cum Laude

## Selected Solo Exhibitions:

2017 NOV - “Solo Exhibition” - The Principle Gallery, Alexandria, VA  
2017 APR - “Solo Exhibition” - Evoke Contemporary, Santa Fe, NM  
2016 OCT - “Jeremy Mann” - The Oh Be Joyful Gallery, Crested Butte, CO  
2016 AUG - “Jeremy Mann” - The John Pence Gallery, SF, CA  
2016 MAR - “Solo Exhibition” - The Maxwell Alexander Gallery, Culver City, CA  
2015 NOV - “Solo Exhibition” - The Principle Gallery, Alexandria, VA  
2015 JUL - "Solo Exhibition" - The John Pence Gallery, SF, CA  
2014 OCT - "Solo Exhibition" - Barbara Frigerio Contemporary, Milano, Italy  
2014 JAN - "Solo Show" - The Principle Gallery, Alexandria, VA  
2013 JUN - "Solo Show" - The John Pence Gallery, SF, CA  
2012 NOV - "Solo Show" - The Principle Gallery, Alexandria, VA  
2012 JUL - "Solo Show" - The John Pence Gallery., SF, CA

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2011 FEB - "Jeremy Mann - Urban Tones" - The Christopher Hill Gallery, St. Helena, CA

2010 JUN - "Solo Show" - John Pence Gallery, San Francisco, CA

2009 SEP - "Compositions" - The Christopher Hill Gallery, St. Helena, CA

2009 JUN - "Solo Show" - John Pence Gallery, San Francisco, CA

## Selected Dual and Tri-Artist Exhibitions:

2016 DEC - "Jeremy Mann, Greg Gandy, and Timothy Wilson" - Gallery 1261, Denver, CO

2014 SEP - "Jeremy Mann and Valerio D'Ospina" - The Christopher Hill Gallery, St. Helena, CA

2014 JUN - "Three Figures" - Maxwell Alexander Gallery, Culver City, CA

2011 JUN - "Jeremy Mann and Lindsey Kustus" - The Studio Gallery, SF, CA

2010 NOV - "Jeremy Mann and Greg Gandy" - Principle Gallery, Alexandria, VA

2009 NOV - "City Views" - w/ Greg Gandy - Principle Gallery, Alexandria, VA

2008 MAY - "Jeremy Mann and Greg Gandy" - Studio Gallery, San Francisco, CA

## Selected Group Exhibitions:

2018 APR - "City Limits" - Principle Gallery, Alexandria, VA

2016 APR - "The Moleskine Project 4" - Spoke Art, SF, CA

2016 APR - "Nexus" - Abend Gallery, Denver, CO

2016 MAR - "Cityscapes" - The John Pence Gallery, SF, CA

2016 JAN - "The LA Art Show" - The Maxwell Alexander Gallery, Culver City, CA

2015 NOV - "Paintguide" - The Unit London, London, UK

2015 NOV - "Renaissance of Realism" - Gallery 1261, Denver, CO

2015 AUG - "Unfurl" - Gallery 1261, Denver, CO

2015 AUG - "Infra:REAL" - Jonathan LeVine Gallery, NY, NY

2015 MAY - "Monochromatic" - Evoke Contemporary, Santa Fe, NM

2015 APR - "The Moleskin Project 3" - Spoke Art, SF, CA

2015 MAR - "Figurative" - Gallery 1261, Denver, CO

2015 JAN - "LA Art Show" - w/ Maxwell Alexander Gallery - LA, CA

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- 2014 AUG - "Drawings" - The John Pence Gallery, SF, CA  
2014 JUN - "Tehran Iran Art Fair" - VIA the Barbara Frigerio Gallery Tehran, Iran  
2014 JUL - "Summer in San Francisco" - The John Pence Gallery, SF, CA  
2014 MAY - "Figures" - The John Pence Gallery, SF, CA  
2013 DEC - "The Moleskin Project 3" - Spoke Art, SF CA  
2013 DEC - "One Year Anniversary" - The Maxwell Alexander Gallery, Culver City, CA  
2013 SEP - "The International Masters of Fine Art Exhibition" - Greenhouse Gallery, San Antonio, TX  
2013 APR - "Still Life" - The Principle Gallery, Alexandria, VA  
2012 NOV - "Converge" - 25CPW Gallery, New York, NY  
2012 DEC - "The Moleskin Project 2" - Spoke Art, SF CA  
2012 NOV - "The Safehouse Show 6" - The Safehouse, SF, CA  
2012 MAR - "The Safehouse Show 4" - The Safehouse, SF, CA  
2011 NOV - "The Safehouse Show 3" - The Safehouse, SF, CA  
2011 JUN - "The Safehouse Show 2" - The Safehouse, SF, CA  
2011 MAR - "The Safehouse Show 1" - The Safehouse, SF, CA  
2010 DEC - "WonderlandSF - WonderlandSF, San Francisco, CA  
2010 NOV - "Tiny" - The Studio Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
2010 SEP - "Drawings Exhibition" - Principle Gallery, Alexandria, VA  
2010 AUG - "Cityscapes" - The Studio Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
2010 AUG - "Cityscapes" - John Pence Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
2010 FEB - "The Human Figure" - John Pence Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
2010 FEB - "Chillin Productions Group Show" - 111 Minna Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
2010 JAN - "Eat Drink and Be Merry" - John Pence Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
2009 DEC - "Mezzanine" - San Francisco, CA  
2009 OCT - "Tiny" - The Studio Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
2009 AUG - "Terrain" - The Studio Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
2009 JUN - "City Views" - The Studio Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
2009 APR - "Salon International" - Greenhouse Gallery, San Antonio, TX  
2009 FEB - "Trompe L'Oeil" - John Pence Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
2009 NOV - "Tiny" - Studio Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
2008 SEP - "Cityscapes" - John Pence Gallery, San Francisco, CA

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2008 JUL - "Cityscapes" - Christopher Hill Gallery, St. Helena, CA  
2008 MAY - "Salon International" - Greenhouse Gallery, San Antonio, TX  
2007 AUG - "City Streets" - The Studio Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
2007 JUL - "Mischief" - The Studio Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
2007 MAY - "Academy Of Art University Spring Show" - \*Juried\* AAU, San Francisco, CA  
2007 MAY - "Salon International" - \*juried\* Greenhouse Gallery, San Antonio, TX  
2006 NOV - "Leave 'em Wanting More" - 1300 Gallery, Cleveland, OH  
2006 SEP - "The Romolo Project" - 15 Romolo, San Francisco, CA  
2006 JUN - "Pop-O-Matic" - The Pop Shop, Lakewood, OH  
2005 MAY - "Pop The Top" - The Pop Shop, Lakewood, OH  
2005 APR - "50/50 Show" - 1300 Gallery, Cleveland, OH

## Documentary:

"A Solitary Mann" - 40 minute feature film - Director: Loic Zimmermann -  
Don't' Come Knocking Pictures