SPENCER FINCH

Born 1962 in New Haven, CT Lives and works in New York

Education

Rhode Island School of Design, Providence Hamilton College, Clinton, NY Doshisha University, Kyoto, Japan

Selected Solo Exhibitions

2025 Galerie Nordenhake Berlin, Germany (upcoming)

2024 Sunset in a Cup, Galerie Nordenhake, Stockholm, Sweden H2O, James Cohan Gallery, New York, USA

2023 Forever is composed of Nows, Lisson Gallery, Shanghai, China La Grande Jatte, Rhona Hoffman Gallery Chicago, USA

2022 Lux and Lumen: Spencer Finch, Hill Art Foundation, New York, USA We send the wave to find the wave, James Cohan, 52 Walker Street, New York, USA

2021

This room needs flowers, The Madoo Conservancy, Sagaponack, New York, USA The Enigma of Color, Galerie Nordenhake, Berlin, Germany Only the hand that erases writes the true thing, Lisson Gallery, London, UK

2020

Woodcutter. Cut from me my shadow, Lisson Gallery, East Hampton, USA looking around, gazing intently, beholding, Rhona Hoffman Gallery, Chicago, USA

2019

Botanica, Galerie Nordenhake, Mexico City, Mexico As Lightning on a Landscape, Arcadia University, Spruance Gallery, Glenside, USA Wind (Through Emily Dickinson's Window), College of Visual & Performing Arts, University of Massachusetts, North Dartmouth, USA No Ordinary Blue, Lisson Gallery, London, UK

2018

The brain is deeper than the sea, James Cohan Gallery, New York, USA Fifteen stones (Ryōan-ji), Fundació Mies van der Rohe, Barcelona, Spain

Me, Myself and I (A Group Show), Berggruen Gallery, San Francisco, USA Moon Dust (Apollo 17) Baltimore Museum of Art, Baltimore, USA

2017

Spencer Finch: Great Salt Lake and Vicinity, Utah Museum of Fine Art, The University of Utah, Salt Lake City, USA The eye you see is not an eye because you see it, it is an eye because it sees you, Galerie Nordenhake, Berlin, Germany Spencer Finch, Lisson Gallery, Milan, Italy Spotlight, Norton Museum of Art, West Palm Beach, USA The Western Mystery, Seattle Art Museum, Seattle, USA Cosmic Latte, Mass MOCA, North Adams, USA

2016

My business is circumference, James Cohan Gallery, New York, USA Lost Man Creek, Public Art Fund, Brooklyn, USA The Opposite of Blindness, Lisson Gallery, London, UK Saturated Sight, Rhona Hoffman Gallery, Chicago, USA

2015

Fathom, James Cohan Gallery, New York, USA

2014

Ulysses, Marfa Contemporary, Marfa, TX, USA* The Skies can't keep their secret, Turner Contemporary, Margate, UK A Certain Slant of Light, The Morgan Library, New York, USA Color/Temperature, Hanes Gallery, Wake Forest University, Winston-Salem, USA

2013

Where Our Brain and the Universe Meet, Galerie Nordenhake, Berlin, Germany Study for Disappearance, Rhona Hoffman Gallery, Chicago, USA Peindre L'Air, FRAC Basse-Normandie, Caen, France Fathom, James Cohan Gallery, New York, USA Following Nature, Indianapolis Museum of Art, Indiana, USA

2012

I'll Tell You How The Sun Rose, Galerie Nordenhake, Stockholm, Sweden Painting Air: Spencer Finch, Museum of Art Rhode Island School of Design Museum, Providence RI, USA* Not Precisely Knowing, Not Precisely Knowing Not, Lisson Gallery, London, UK

2011

Rome Project, Erica Fiorentini Arte Contemporanea, Rome^{*} Rome (Pantheon, Noon, June 14, 2011), Museum of Contemporary Art San Diego Lunar, The Art Institute of Chicago, USA Seeing Unseen, Galerie Yvon Lambert, Paris, France Between the light – and me –, Emily Dickinson Museum, Amherst MA, USA

2010

Spencer Finch: My Business, with the Cloud, Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington DC, USA The Evening Star, Pallant House Gallery, West Sussex, UK Amabilis Insania, Galerie Nordenhake, Berlin, Germany Between The Moon and the Sea, FRAC des Pays de la Loire, Carquefou, France Good Morning Midnight, Galleri Opdahl, Stavanger, Norway

2009

Dutch Grey, Wall House #2, Groningen, Netherlands The Brain—is wider than the Sky, Postmasters Gallery, New York, USA Light, Time, Chemistry, Rhona Hoffman Gallery, Chicago, USA As if the sea should part and show a further sea, Queensland Art Gallery/Gallery of Modern Art, Brisbane, USA*

2008

Gravity Always Wins, Dundee Centre for Contemporary Art, Dundee, Scotland The Common Guild, Glasgow, Scotland Lux and Lumen, Lisson Gallery, London, UK First Sight, Dunedin Public Art Gallery, Dunedin, New Zealand Art Unlimited, Art Basel, Basel, Switzerland*

2007

In Praise of Shadows, Galerie Nordenhake, Berlin, Germany What Time is it on the Sun?, MASS MoCA, North Adams, USA* A Certain Slant of Light, Postmasters Gallery, New York, USA One Way, Or Another, Brandström-Stene Galleri, Stockholm, Sweden

2006 Somewhere Else, Galleria Suzy Shammah, Milano, Italy H2O, Rhona Hoffman Gallery, Chicago, USA

2005

The Cave of Making, Galerie Yvon Lambert, Paris, France Through a Glass, Darkly, Mala Galerie, Museum of Modern Art Ljubljana, Ljubljana, Slovenia* The Importance of Elsewhere, Stephen Wirtz Gallery, San Francisco, USA Prussian Blue, Galerie Nordenhake, Berlin, Germany

2004

As Much of Noon that I can Take Between my Finite Eyes, Postmasters, New York, NEW YORK, USA

2003

Mars Black, Portikus, Frankfurt am Main, Germany* Paris Texas, Artpace, San Antonio, Texas, USA Brandström-Stene Galleri, Stockholm, Sweden Le Jardin, Gattieres, France

2002 Postmasters Gallery, New York, USA

2001 Galerie Yvon Lambert, Paris, France Bildhuset, Stockholm, Sweden Rhona Hoffman Gallery, Chicago, IL, USA

2000 Postmasters Gallery, New York, USA

1999 Bildhuset, Stockholm, Sweden Wandering lost upon the mountains of our choice, Postmasters Gallery, New York, USA

1998 From an Occult Diary, Galleri Andreas Brandström, Stockholm, Sweden

1997 Matrix 133, Wadsworth Athenaeum Hartford, CT, USA* Periscope (for August Strindberg), Minbyrån Artnode, Stockholm, Sweden Postmasters Gallery, New York, USA

1996 Galleri Roger Björkholmen Stockholm, Sweden

1995 Collective Gallery, Edinburgh, Scotland Gallerie Adlercreutz-Björkholmen, Stockholm, Sweden Postmasters Gallery, New York, USA

1994 Nordanstad Gallery New York, USA Postmasters Gallery, New York, USA

1993 Literal Truth, Real Art Ways, Hartford, USA

1992 Tomoko Liguori Gallery, New York, USA

Selected Group Exhibitions

2025 Something Blue, The Gund, Ohio, USA

2024

The Nine Rules of Tremulation, curated by Daniel Birnbaum and Jacqui Davies, no name, Paris, France Inaugural Exhibition, The Campus, Hudson, USA The Superfluity of Things, James Cohan Gallery, 52 Walker Street, New York, USA Arcadia and Elsewhere, James Cohan Gallery, New York, USA Alchimie de la rencontre, Collection Lambert, Avignon, France

2023

Rules & Repetition, Wadsworth Atheneum Museum of Art, Hartford, USA Color Code, McEvoy Foundation for the Arts, San Francisco, USA The Inner Island, Fondation Carmignac, Villa Carmignac, Porquerolles Island, France

2022

To Light, Shadow and Dust, Galerie Nordenhake Berlin, Germany Soundwaves: Experimental Strategies in Art + Music, Moody Center for the Arts, Rice University, Houston, USA That other world, the world of the teapot. Tenderness, a model, Kestner Gesellschaft, Hannover, Germany

3+1 Contemporary Art, Lisbon, Portugal

2021

Flowers in Art, Arken Museum of Modern Art, Ishøj, Denmark Inventing Nature – Pflanzen in der Kunst, Kunsthalle Karlsruhe, Germany

2020

Imperfect Clocks, Chart Gallery, New York, USA Color Field, University of Houston, Houston, USA Wayfinding: Contemporary Artists, Critical Dialogues, and the Sidney R. Knafel MapCollection, Addison Gallery of American Art, Andover, USA Fieldwork, Kalmar Konstmuseum, Kalmar, Sweden Spectrum, Lisson Gallery, New York, USA NEXUS: Contemporary Art from Leading Miami Collections, Lowe Art Museum, Coral Gables, USA

2019

Troy: myth and reality, British Museum, London, UK* Whitman at 200, Art and Democray, Spencer Finch: When You Look on the River and Sky, site-specific work for RiverLink ferry, Philadelphia, USA James Cohan: Twenty Years, James Cohan Gallery, New York, USA Summer Winds, University Art Gallery at UMass Dartmouth, Dartmouth, USA Science Fiction, Berman Museum of Art, Collegeville, USA Color Field, Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art, Bentonville, AR; The Baker Museum, Naples, USA The other side of the wind, Galerie Martine Aboucaya, Paris, France

2018

Peindre la Nuit, Centre Pompidou Metz, Metz, France Experience Traps, Middelheim Museum, Antwerp, Belgium Art Capital: Art for the Elizabeth Line, Whitechapel Gallery, London, UK Grids, James Cohan Gallery, New York, USA

2017

What does art do at hospitals?, Køs Museum, Copenhagen, Denmark Time as Landscape: Inquiries of Art and Science, Cornell Fine Arts Museum, Rollins College, Orlando, USA Becoming: 25 Hotchkiss Artists, Tremaine Art Gallery, Lakeville, USA The Western: An Epic in Art and Film, Denver Art Museum, Denver, Montreal Museum of Fine Arts, Montreal, USA

Installation Art, Museion, Bolzano, Italy

2016

40 Years, Rhona Hoffman Gallery, Chicago, USA Fish Tank, LIU Humanities Gallery, Brooklyn, USA New to the Cantor, Cantor Art Center, Stanford, USA

2015

Artificial Climates, La Foundation EDF, Paris, France

Drifting in Daylight: Art in Central Park, Creative Time and Central Park Conservancy, Central Park, USA

The Authority of Death, Jensen Gallery, Sydney, Auckland, New Zealand

Another Minimalism: Art After California Light and Space, The Fruitmarket Gallery, Edinburgh, Scotland

Unlimited, Art Basel, Basel, Switzerland

Zero to One on Paper, Ratio 3, San Francisco, USA

City Lives, Shirley Fiterman Art Center at BMCC, New York, USA

Codes Of Culture, Gallery SKE, New Delhi, India

Lekker Licht, Centraal Museum, Utrecht, Netherlands

Another Minimalism: Art after California Light and Space, The Fruitmarket Gallery, Edinburgh, Scotland

2014

Walden, revisited, DeCordova Sculpture Park and Museum, Lincoln, USA At the Hub of Things: New Views of the Collection, Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, Washington, USA Into the Field, The Model, Sligo, Ireland Art in Embassies, Winfield House, London, UK Genius Loci – Spirit of Place, 14th International Architecture Biennale, Venice, Italy Drawn, Galerie Nordenhake, Berlin, Germany The Fifth Season, James Cohan Gallery, New York, USA Four Decades, Drawings and Works on Paper, John Berggruen Gallery, San Francisco, USA Head in the Clouds, Musée de La Poste, Paris, France* The Five Senses, Scottsdale Museum of Contemporary Art, Scottsdale, USA*

2013

Enlighted: Electric light as the fairy of art, Artipelag Konsthall, Gustavsberg, Sweden* Back to Kansas, SFMOMA, Project Los Altos, USA Scattered Showers – Forms of Weather, Frankfurter Kunstverein, Frankfurt/Main, Germany Spencer Finch & Byron Kim: Day and Night, James Cohan Gallery, Shanghai, China

Forever – is composed of Nows, Poetry Foundation, Chicago, USA Silent Beaches, St. John's University, USA* Phos: Light Today, Colorado Photographic Arts Center, Lakewood, USA Drawing Line into Form: Works on Paper by Sculptors, Tacoma Art Museum, USA*

2012

Coquilles Mécaniques, Centre Art d'Art Contemporain, Alsace, France Umstülpung - curated by Günter Umberg, Galerie Nordenhake, Berlin, Germany The Castle in the Air, ZAMEK Cultural Center, Poznan, Poland Light and Landscape, Storm King Art Center, Mountainville, USA NEON, La material luminosa dell arte, MACRO, Rome, Italy Another Victory Over the Sun, Waterloo Art Gallery, Kitchener, Canada

2011

I know About Creative Block and I Know Not To Call It By Name, Lisson Gallery, Milan, Italy More Light, Museum De Fundatie, Zwolle, Netherlands* Continuum_the Perception Zone, Tallinn Art Space Kunstihoone, Tallinn, Estonia Another Victory Over the Sun, Museum of Contemporary Art, Denver and Waterloo Art Gallery, Kitchener, Canada CartoGRAPHIC, Larissa Goldston Gallery, New York, USA Coleccion Art Foundation Mallorca 2011 – Obras Destacadas y Ultimas Adquisiciones, CCA Andratx, Andratx, Mallorca, Spain Space Oddity, CCA Andratx, Mallorca, Spain Wild Sky, Edith-Russ-Haus für Medienkunst, Oldenburg "Another Victory Over the Sun", Museum of Contemporary Art, Denver, USA A Million Miles from Home, Folkstone Triennial, Folkestone, UK* Light in Darkness, Western Bridge, Seattle, USA

2010

The Nameless Hour: Places of Reverie, Paths of Reflection, Anderson Gallery, Richmond, USA* 21st Century: Art in The First Decade, Queensland Gallery of Modern Art, Brisbane, Australia* The New Décor, Hayward Gallery, London, UK*

James Turrell, Olafur Eliasson, Spencer Finch, Simon Dickinson Gallery, New York, USA Time's Arrow, Galerie Nordenhake, Stockholm, Sweden

Haunted: Contemporary Photography/Video/Performance, Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York, USA*

Rudolf Steiner and Contemporary Art, Kunstmuseum Wolfsburg, Wolfsburg, Germany^{*} Open Light in Private Spaces, 1st Biennial for International Light Art. Ruhr 2010, Ruhr, Germany^{*} What are Clouds? Works from the Enea Righi Collection, Museion – Museum for Modern and Contemporary Art, Bolzano, Italy

2009

Earth: Art of a Changing World, Royal Academy of Arts, London, UK Making Worlds, 53rd International Venice Biennale, Venice, Italy* Le Sang d'un Poète, Frac des Pays de la Loire, Carquefou, France Holland Mania, Museum De Lakenhal Leiden, Leiden, Netherlands Carnival Within - An Exhibition Made in America, Uferhallen, Berlin, Germany*

2008

50 Moons of Saturn, T2 Torino Triennale, Turin, Italy* Equivalence: Acts of Translation in Contemporary Art, Museum of Fine Art, Houston, Texas, USA Fear Minus One, Univ. of California, San Diego; University Art Gallery, La Jolla, USA Shaping Space, James Cohan Gallery, New York, USA The Light Project, The Pulitzer Foundation for the Arts, St. Louis, USA* High Resolution: Artists Projects at the Armory, Park Avenue Armory, New York, USA to:Night: Contemporary Representation of the Night, Hunter College Art Gallery - Times Square, New York, USA* Toys R Us, Galleri Brandstrom Stene, Stockholm, Sweden Visions Nocturnes, Centre d'art Contemporain, Noissy-le-Sec, France* A Matter of Time, Andrea Meislin Gallery, New York, USA

2007

Lucky Day, San Francisco Arts Commission Gallery, San Francisco, USA* Ironie der Objekte, MUSEION - Museo d'arte moderna e contemporanea, Bolzano, Italy Return to Cézanne, Collection Lambert, Avignon, France Refract, Reflect, Project - Light Works from the Collection, Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, Washington, DC, USA Licht-Glas-Transparenz, Kunsthalle Osnabrück, Osnabrück, Germany*

2006

Artificial Light, Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond, VA; Museum of Contemporary Art - North Miami (MOCA), Miami, USA*

Light x Eight: The Hanukkah Project, The Jewish Museum of New York, New York City, USA Into Black, Western Bridge, Seattle, USA

Die Couch, Sigmund Freud Museum, Vienna, Austria*

Il faut rendre à Cézanne, Group Show 2006, Yvon Lambert - New York, New York, USA

The Paper Sculpture Show, CAC - Cincinnati Contemporary Arts Center, Cincinnati, USA

Nichts, Schirn Kunsthalle, Frankfurt am Main, Germany*

Backrop, Bloomberg Space, London, UK

Alice Doesn't Live Here Anymore, Galerie Nordenhake, Stockholm, Sweden

2005

Blur of the Otherworldly, Technology Center for Art and Visual Culture, Baltimore The Shadow, Vestsjaellands Kunstmuseum, Soro, Denmark Lichtkunst Aus Kunstlicht, ZKM Karlsruhe, Karlsruhe, Germany * Santa Barbara Contemporary Arts Forum, Santa Barbara, USA In the Neighborhood of Infinity, Sixteen One Gallery, Los Angeles, USA Working on Paper: From Drawings to Ammo, BANK, Los Angeles, USA Meteorologic Phenomena, Wave Hill, New York, USA Colour After Klein, Barbican Art Gallery, London, UK* Art Unlimited, Basel, Switzerland

2004

SchwEDEN, Scandinavian Cultural Center, Berlin, Germany

Nothing Compared to This, Contemporary Arts Center Cincinnati, USA Freud: The Creative Analysis of Analysis, Atrium Gallery, Uconn Storrs, USA Whitney Biennial, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, USA* Astonishing Knowledge, Bard College, Annandale, USA Indivisible Cities, Bill Maynes Gallery, New York, USA Biennial Exhibition, The Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, USA

2003

Paper Sculpture, Sculpture Center, New York, USA Pale Fire, Galerie Nordenhake, Berlin, Germany Photographier, Collection Lambert, Avignon, France Hot Summer Cool, Postmasters Gallery, New York, USA

2002

Aldrich Museum of Art, Ridgefileld, USA (Charles Carpenter Collection) Real Art Ways, Hartford, USA

2001

Small is Beautiful, Galerie Gabriele Maubrie, Paris, France The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly, Denver MOCA Center, USA Waterworks, The Nordic Watercolor Museum, Skärhamn, Sweden Once, then something, Sculpture Center, New York, USA

2000

Art on Paper, Weatherspoon Art Gallery, Greensboro, USA Sea and Sky, Royal Hibernian Academy, Dublin/ Beaver College, Glenside, USA Made You Look, Austin Museum of Art, Austin, USA

1999

Eye Spy, Contemporary Arts Museum, Houston, USA Paradise 8, Exit Art, New York, USA

1998

Sensaround, Pamela Auchincloss Gallery, New York, USA

1997

Onomatopoeia, Studio la Città, Verona, Italy

1996

A Scattering Matrix, Richard Heller Gallery, Santa Monica, USA Between the Acts, C/O Oslo, Oslo, Norway Clarity, Northern Illinois University Art Museum, Chicago, USA The Charles Carpenter Collection, Carnegie Museum of Art Pittsburgh, The Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, USA

1995

Nordanstad Gallery, New York, USA Norfolk 95, Yale/Norfolk Art Program, Yale Summer School of Music and Art, Norfolk, USA

Looky Loo, Scultpure Center, New York, USA Four Views from Earth, Yerba Buena Centre For the Arts, San Francisco, USA

1994

Promising Suspects, The Aldrich Museum of Contemporary Art, Ridgefield, USA The Cave of Making, Exhibition Hall Mánes, Prague, Czech Republic

1993

A Collector's Choice, Washburn Gallery, New York, USA

* Catalogue

Commissions / Public Projects / Performances

2023

Bring me a sunset in a cup, Massachussets Institute of Technology, Schwarzman College of Computing, Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA

2022

A Certain Slant of Light (Columbia Pike), Installation at Columbia Pike, Arlington, USA

2020

Orion, San Francisco International Airport, San Francisco, USA The Secret Life of Glass, Corning Museum of Glass, Corning, USA A Cloud Index, Crossrail Paddington Station, London, UK 2019 When You Look on the River and Sky, Whitman at 200, University of Pennsylvania Libraries, Philadelphia, USA Asteroid, Hall Arts Hotel, Dallas, USA Orion, San Francisco International Airport, San Francisco, USA

2019

London Fog, Installation in display window at Selfridges, London, UK

2018

Thank you, Thank you, Thank you, Fog, Aalborg University, Aalborg, Denmark The Garden in the Brain, Brown University, Providence, USA

2017

Seattle Art Museum, Olympic Park Pavilion, Seattle, USA Color Wheel, Uppsala University, Uppsala, Sweden

2016

Lost Man Creek, Public Art Fund, Brooklyn, New York, USA (-March 2018) Going-to-the-Sun Mountain, Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, USA Lost Man Creek, Public Art Fund, Jay Street MetroTech Commons, Brooklyn, New York, USA Newton's Theory of Color and Music (Goldberg Variations), Steinway, New York, USA

Kentucky Sunlight (Lincoln's Birthday), Speed Art Museum, Louisville, USA

2015

Sunset (Central Park), Creative Time and Central Park Conservancy, New York, USA Optical Cloud, Clements University Hospital, Dallas, USA

2014

Trying to Remember the Color of the Sky on That September Morning, National September 1, Memorial and Museum, New York, USA There is Another Sky, Vulcan Inc., Seattle, USA 2013 Painting Air (Napa), Hall Winery, Napa, USA Weather Report, Grande North and South, San Diego, USA Light object for The Forsythe Company's Sider, Next Wave Festival, Brooklyn Art Museum, New York, USA

2012

Johns Hopkins Hospital Project. Glass façade for Johns Hopkins Children's Center, Baltimore, USA Vital Signs, Piccadilly, London, UK

2010

Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, Boston, USA Civil Court House Project, Haarlem, Netherlands

2009

The River that Flows Both Ways, The Highline, New York, commissioned by Friends of the Highline and Creative Time, New York, USA

2008 Bee Purple, Park Avenue Armory, New York, USA Star Map, Stavanger Aftenbladet, Stavanger, Norway

2005

Three Atmospheric Studies (lighting), The Forsythe Company, Frankfurt am Main, Germany The Cave of Making, High Museum of Art Atlanta, Atlanta, Georgia, USA Atlantic Ocean (Sunrise), Bloomberg LLC, New York, USA

1996

Apples and Oranges, with Paul Ramirez, Gramercy Art Fair, New York, USA

1993

Applesauce, with Paul Ramirez Jonas, Real Art Ways, Hartford, USA

1992

Telephone, with Paul Ramirez Jonas, Jack Tilton Gallery, New York, USA

1991

Masterpieces without the Director (Sponsored by Creative Time), audio tour of the Metropolitan Museum of Art with Paul Ramirez Jonas, New York, USA

1990

45 Questions about Water, participatory mural project, The New York Aquarium at Coney Island, Brooklyn, USA

Works in Public Collections

The 9/11 Memorial Museum, New York, New York Addison Gallery of American Art, Andover, Massachusetts Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois Baltimore Museum of Art, Baltimore, Maryland Brooklyn Museum of Art, Brooklyn, New York Centro de Arte La Regenta, Mexico City, Mexico Collection Lambert, Avianon, France Corning Museum of Glass, Corning, New York Denver Art Museum, Denver, Colorado Dunedin Public Art Gallery, Dunedin, New Zealand Frac des Pays de la Loire, Carquefou, France Gallery of Modern Art, Glasgow, Scotland Henry Art Gallery, Seattle, Washington High Museum of Art, Atlanta, Georgia Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, Washington, D.C. Indianapolis Museum of Art, Indianapolis, Indiana Kemper Art Museum, Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri LACMA (Los Angeles County Museum of Art), Los Angeles, California Montclair Art Museum, Montclair, New Jersey The Morgan Library and Museum, New York, New York Museum for Modern Kunst, Frankfurt, Germany Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago, Illinois MCASD (Museum of Contemporary Art San Diego), San Diego, California Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, Texas National Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C. Pérez Art Museum Miami, Miami, Florida Queensland Art Gallery, Gallery of Modern Art, Brisbane, Australia Rhode Island School of Design, Museum of Art, Providence, Rhode Island Rollings Museum of Art, Rollins College, Winter Park, Florida Moody Museum of Art, Rice University, Houston, Texas Speed Art Museum, Louisville, Kentucky The Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York, New York Toledo Art Museum, Toledo, Ohio Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond, Virginia Wadsworth Atheneum Museum of Art, Hartford, Connecticut Wellin Museum of Art, Hamilton College, Clinton, New York

Whitney Museum of Art, New York, New York Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, Utah Yale University Art Gallery, New Haven, Connecticut

Awards

2014 "Cultural Leadership Award," American Federation of Arts

Solo Exhibition Catalogues and Artist Books

Spencer Finch: Color Notes, Trying to Press, Brooklyn, New York, 2022 Spencer Finch: A Cloud Index, Trying to Press, Brooklyn, New York, 2020 Sunlight in a Room, Trying to Press, Brooklyn, New York, 2017 Ulysses, Trying to Press, Brooklyn, New York, 2016 Spencer Finch: The Brain is Wider than the Sky, Susan Cross (Ed.), Prestel Publishing, Munich London, New York, 2016 Painting Air, Exhibition Brochure, Museum of Art, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI 2012 Spencer Finch: Ex Nihilo, Exhibition Brochure, Lisson Gallery, London 2012 Spencer Finch: Rome Project, Ludovico Pratesi (Eds), exhib. cat. Erica Fiorentini Arte Contemporanea. Rome 2011 Spencer Finch: My Business, with the Cloud, Newman, Sarah (Eds), Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington DC. 2010 Spencer Finch: Where Does Red Begin and Where Does it End? Works on Paper 1990-2010, Galerie Nordenhake, Berlin 2010 As if the sea should part and show a further sea, ed. by Chambers, Nicholas, exhib. cat. Queensland Art Gallery, Brisbane 2009 Spencer Finch: What Time Is It on the Sun, Susan Cross (Ed.), exhib. cat. MASS MoCA, North Adams (MA) 2007 Spencer Finch, exhib. cat. Portikus , Frankfurt am Main 2003

Artist projects and writings

"Spencer Finch." Blind Spot, no. 38 (2008) 1-2, 5-8, 2008

"Colors/Pistachio." Cabinet, no. 16 (winter 2004) 7-9, 2004

"The Mystery of Spring." Cabinet, no.6 (spring 2002) 111-112 Artist Project

"Index of Wind." Cabinet, no. 3 (summer 2001) 72-73 Artist Project, 2001

"The Manhattan Project." zingmagazine, no. 2 (summer 1996) 84-90 Curated project, 1996

"Mo' Picasso at MoMA." zingmagazine, no. 3 (summer 1996) 84-90 Curated project, 1996

Finch, Spencer. "Amnesia and Saying Nothing." Real Life Magazine, no. 23 (fall 1994) 46-48., 1994 "The Cave of Making. in Paul Ramirez Jonas. Exhibition brochure. New York: White Columns, 1992. Finch, Spencer, and Paul Ramirez Jonas. "Masterpieces without the Director". Audio guide for the Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, New York: Creative Time, 1991.

Selected Articles and Reviews

2024

Collins, Ann C., "Spencer Finch with Ann C. Collins," The Brooklyn Rail, March, 2024

2023

Petersen, Stephen, "Spencer Finch: Seeing and Knowing," Sculpture Magazine, February 10, 2023 Gopnik, Blake, "What to see in N.Y.C. Galleries Right Now," The New York Times, January 12, 2023

2022

Carrier, David, "Spencer Finch's dazzling originality," Two Coats of Paint, December 29, 2022 Ludel, Wallace, "Critics' Picks," Artforum, November 7, 2022 Scott, Andrea K., "Goings on About Town," The New Yorker, October 10, 2022 Buck, Louisa, "London's Elizabeth Line finally opens – we take a look at the ambitious art commissions across the train stations of the £19bn project," The Art Newspaper, May 24, 2022

2021

Landes, Jennifer, "Madoo's Roomful of Flowers," The East Hampton Star, September 16, 2021 "The Sky on that September Morning," Hamilton Magazine, September 10, 2021 Brazil, Kevin, "Spencer Finch: the Art of Describing the Natural World," ArtReview, July 27, 2021 Lloyd-Smith, Harriet, "Art exhibitions in London and around the UK this weekend," Wallpaper*, July 18, 2021

Carey-Kent, Paul, "Spencer Finch: Interview of the Month July 2021," Artlyst, July 14, 2021 White, Katie, "Watch Artist Spencer Finch Transform Scotch Tape and Fabric Into Evanescent Visions of Winter in His Brooklyn Studio," Artnet, June 19, 2021

2020

Anspon, Catherine D., "University of Houston to Unveil a New "Color Field" – Collaboration with Storied Museum Builds on School's Art Power," Paper City Magazine, July 7

2018

Equipo Editorial, "Artist Spencer Finch Evokes Kyoto's Ryoan-ji Garden at the Mies Pavilion," Archdaily, October 3

Pardee, Hearne, "Spencer Finch: Me, Myself and I (A Group Show)," The Brooklyn Rail, May 1 Desmarais, Charles, "Spencer Finch makes art of light at Berggruen," San Francisco Chronicle, April 6

2017

"One of London's Largest Ever Artworks Installed at Paddington Station," IanVisits, November 28 Voon, Claire, "A Pastel Portrait of Spiral Jetty and Its Environs," Hyperallergic, November 23 Jopling, Angelica, "Spencer Finch's 'Betelgeuse' inspires childlike awe," The Stanford Daily, Oct16 Shaw, Anny, "Spencer Finch creates colour 'portrait' of disappearing Spiral Jetty," The Art Newspaper, August 25

2016

Fessenden, Marissa, "A Miniature Living Redwood Forest Springs Up In Brooklyn," Smithsonian, November 8

Keats, Jonathon, "Artist Spencer Finch Is Moving Redwood National Park To Downtown Brooklyn," Forbes, October 28

Milman, Oliver, "A forest grows in Brooklyn: artist plants miniature redwoods in concrete jungle," The Guardian, October 03

Rudman, Matthew, "Spencer Finch: The Opposite of Blindness" Studio International, April 20 Medford, Sarah, "Annabelle Seldorf's Latest Design for Steinway and Sons," The Wall Street Journal, February, 29

Kramer, Elizabeth, "Renovated Speed Museum Gets Massive Sculpture," The Courier Journal, February 20

Cardoza, Kerry. "Review: Spencer Finch/Rhona Hoffman Gallery," Newcity Art, March 9 Vincent, Alice. "Spencer Finch: In The Studio," The Telegraph, April 1

Plimmer, Gil. "Crossrail Art Reveals Blue Sky Thinking," Financial Times, April 8

2015

Cascone, Sarah, "Pope Francis Pays Tribute to the Dead at Spencer Finch's Sky-Colored 9/11 Installation," ArtNet News, September 25

Johnson, Ken, "Drifting in Daylight: Art in Central Park," The New York Times, June 19

2014

Griffin, J., Harper, P., Trigg, D., & Williams, E. "Spencer Finch." The Twenty-First Century Art Book, Phaidon, 2014.

Kino, Carol, "The Mechanics of Perception," Artdesk Magazine, (Fall/Winter 2014-2015) "Itinerary," Sculpture Magazine, (November 2014)

Chu, Christie, "artnet Asks: Spencer Finch," Artnet News, (October 9, 2014)

Steadman, Ryan, "Lights on: The Public Moment of Artist Spencer Finch," New York Observer, (September 15, 2014)

Farina, Matthew, "Spencer Finch, A Certain Slant of Light," The Brooklyn Rail, (September 4, 2014) Sundt, Collin, "In the Shadow of Loss, Make the World New Again: Collin Sundt on the 9/11 Memorial Museum," artcritical, (July 25, 2014)

Sheets, Hilarie M., "Spencer Finch's Art Makes Light Speak Volumes," (June 18, 2014) Cascone, Sarah, "Spencer Finch Immortalizes Crystalline Blue Sky at the 9/11 Museum," Artnet News, (May 15, 2014)

Browne, Alix, "Day Dreaming," W Magazine, (March 7, 2014)

2013

"Fathom: Spencer Finch's debut solo exhibition at James Cohan Gallery opens in New York", Artdaily.org, (May 2, 2013)

2012

Mlinko, Ange, "Light in Translation: On Spencer Finch," Los Angeles Review of Books, (December, 3) Gunts, Edward, "Johns Hopkins' New Hospital Sets Transformative Vision," Baltimore Sun, (June, 1) Winant, Carmen, "Spencer Finch, Museum of Art – Rhode Island School of Design," Artforum.com Critics' Picks, (June 2012)

Van Siclen "A Contemporary View of Impressionism," Providence Journal, (February 19)

2011

Adam, Alfred Mac. "Behind the Light." Nathan A. Bernstein (February 2011) Wagner, Christoph. "Farben (Color)." Schnell/Steiner, 2011.

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