

# **EDY FERGUSON**

## **Education**

1996 MFA from Hunter College, City of New York

1988 BFA Washington University in St. Louis

1986-1988 Early College Program, Art Institute of Chicago

## **Awards and Grants**

2021

Creative Export Grant. Cultivator Cornwall, UK

Creative Investment Grant. Cultivator Cornwall, UK

Developing Skills Grant. Cultivator Cornwall, UK

2020

Studio Development Grant. Arts Council England

2019

Travel Grant. China Connections Through Culture, British Council

2014

Tier 1 Exceptional Talent Visa. Supported by Arts Council England, UK

1999

Annenburg Teaching Grant. Annenburg Foundation, New York

1993

MTV Video Music Awards. Best Video 1993, Jeremy by Pearl Jam

1984-88

The Fred Conway Art Award. Washington University in St. Louis

1982-84

Early College Program, Full Scholarship. Art Institute of Chicago

## **Residencies**

2019

International Public Art Workshop. Supported by the Xi'an Academy of Fine Art, China

2018

The Petrol Station. For White Noise, a non-profit organisation for Community Development in collaboration with Imperial College, White City, London

2012

Double Take, 2<sup>nd</sup> Biennial of Mardin. Residency supported by The United States Embassy in Turkey

2010 - 2013

Athens School of Fine Art. Supported multiple residencies in Crete and Hydra Islands, Greece

2009

Tyrolean State Museum. Water Colour Painting, Innsbruck, Austria

The Art Farm, Painting Residency. Ano Mera, Mykonos, Greece

2008

The Art Farm, Painting Residency. Ano Mera, Mykonos, Greece

1998

PS1 MoMA. International Studio Residency Program, New York City

### **Solo Exhibitions**

2016

New Painting and Selected Photography. House of St. Barnabas, London

2015

Eclectic Cuts: Portraits. CCA Print Galleries International, Jersey

2014

Coke Tragedy. Galerie Thomas Bernard, Paris

New Paintings and Drawings. Solo Project for Art/Geneve International Fine Art Fair, Geneva

2013

Conspiracy Theory. Bernier-Eliades Gallery, Athens, Greece

America. Faggionato Fine Art, London

2012

Edy Ferguson: Selected Works 1993 - Present. Centre D'Art Contemporain, Geneva

Edy Ferguson: Selected Works 1993 – Present. Benaki Museum, Athens, Greece

[Mid-Career Survey]

2012

Double Take - The 2<sup>nd</sup> Biennial of Mardin, Turkey. Residency supported by The United States Embassy.

2002

Rockumental. Neuman Popiashvili Gallery, New York

2000

Heavy Energy Machine 2: Economic Game Theory Scores for Music. Momenta Art, New York

1999

Heavy Energy Machine: 20th Century Disaster Scores for Rock. Judson Hall Performance Space, NY

1998

Fin de Siècle, New York à Nantes. Nantes Art Festival by CRDC, France

### **Group Exhibitions**

2022

Choreo-Archive. A Graduate Curatorial Project for Goldsmiths, London

2019

International Public Arts Workshop Exhibition. Xi'an Academy of Fine Art, China

2017

The London Original Art Car Sale. London

2015

Original Print Fair. The Royal Academy of Arts, London

She Devil. Video exhibition, Studio Stefania Miscetti, Rome

Multiplied. Contemporary Art in Editions, Christies, London

2014

Arena: Art in the Age of Politics. Centre of Contemporary Art, Znaki Czasu, Torun, Poland

2013

The Athens and Epidaurus Performance Festival, Greece

2012

Faces: Art Under the Influence of John Casseveti. The Onassis Cultural Centre, Athens, Greece

Parnassos, Weiner Art Foundation, Vienna

2011

Re-Map. International Gallery Art Festival, Athens, Greece

2010

Residency Survey. Tyrolean State Museum, Innsbruck, Austria

2008

5 x 5 Pluralism. Museo de Arte Acarigua-Araure, Caracas, Venezuela

2005

Red White and Blue. Spencer Brownstone Gallery, New York

2001

Song Poems: Music Videos created by Song Writers and Artists. Cohen and Leslie Gallery, New York

1999

Free Coke. Greene Naftali Gallery, New York

1998

Oriental Nights. Gavin Brown's Enterprise, New York

Studio Program Survey. PS1 MoMA, New York

Video Library. David Zwirner Gallery, New York

RET.INEVITABLE A Playground of Cinema, Space, and Sound. Created in the Brooklyn Bridge Anchorage by Creative Time, New York

Scope I. Artist Space, New York

Video Wall. Sponsored by Mitsubishi, Rockefeller Centre, New York

## **Performances**

2017

Maggot Brain. Vauxhall, The Original Art Car Boot Sale, London

2016

The Story of Water. The House of St. Barnabas, London

2013

Sympathy. For Art Night, a city wide festival, The Centre d'Art Contemporain, Geneva

2011

Now + Here. For MIR, a city-wide International Dance Festival, Athens

2006

The Magician and the Exorcist. Monkey Town Performance Space, New York

2002

Rockumental. Neuman Popiashvilli Gallery, New York

2000

Heavy Energy Machine 2: Economic Game Theory: Score for Music. Momenta Gallery, New York

1999

Heavy Energy Machine: 20th Century Disaster: Score for Rock. Judson Hall Performance Space, NY

1998

Fin de Siècle, New York à Nantes. Nantes Art Festival by CRDC, France

### **Projects**

2017

Good Thoughts/Bad Thoughts. Art Car Commission for Vauxhall Motors, London

2015

The Pursuit of Happiness. Writer and Director for a time-lapse Music Video performed by students of Oak Lodge School For The Deaf, London

2014

The Man Who Sold the World. UK Tour Photographer for David Bowie's original band, *The Spiders from Mars*

### **Talks**

2019

Lecturer and Visiting Professor for the Public Art Department at Xi'an Academy of Fine Art, China

2019

Public Sculpture Proposal for Yangling Mausoleum, Xi'an China

### **Collections**

The George Economou Museum, Athens, Greece

Collection LAC (Lambert Art Collection), Switzerland

Collection Barbier-Meuller, Switzerland

Anthea Art Investments, Switzerland

The Colin De Land, American Fine Arts, and Pat Hearn Gallery Archives

Museo de Arte Acarigua-Araure, Venezuela

### **Relevant Professional Experience**

1990 – 1995

#### **Art Director and Set Designer for Film and Television – New York**

- Drafted designs, hired crews, and produced/directed stage productions for commercials, music videos, and films.
- Managed production budgets, collected/managed property rentals, and negotiated fees for technicians and assistants.
- Chief Production Assistant to the Set Designer, for MTV Networks sets.