

Mary Grace (MG) Bernard

b. 1992, New Orleans

Lives in Denver

Education

2019 M.A. University of Denver, Art History with concentration in Museum Studies (2018 – present)

2016 M.A. New York University, French Studies

2014 B.A. University of New Orleans, International Studies and French, Summa Cum Laude

Solo Exhibitions

2019 *The Artist's Body*, 023 Gallery, University of Denver, Denver, Colorado (forthcoming)

2015 *Sixty-Five Roses Challenge*, Mid-City Theater, New Orleans, Louisiana

Group Exhibitions

2017 *One Square Foot*, RedLine Contemporary Art Center, Denver, Colorado

Performances, Installations, and Screenings

2018 *You need to gain weight to stay healthy*, Hypercube, University of Denver, Denver, Colorado
Revealed Body, 023 Gallery, University of Denver, Denver, Colorado

2015 *Anticipant*, Tulane Film and Arts Festival, Tulane University, New Orleans, Louisiana

2014 *Cough, Cough*, Bustin' Out! Summer Blast Art Party! Bustin' Out Productions, New Orleans, Louisiana

Curation and Programs

2019 *The digital embodiment of sick witches and sacred crips*, Art Gym Denver, Denver, Colorado

2018 *ARTS&*, Co-curated with Libby Barbee, Redline Contemporary Art Center, Denver, Colorado

2016 *Ramon Reyes*, Brand New Orleans Art Gallery, New Orleans, Louisiana

Darrin Butler, Brand New Orleans Art Gallery, New Orleans, Louisiana

Publications

"This Body of Work, in collaboration with Alessandra Pearson." 2018. *Stain'd Arts Magazine*, 1(1): 19.
<https://www.staindmagazine.com/staind-magazine-online/>

Cystic Fibrosis Coloring Book. 2018. Denver: Femme Salée and New York: Boomer Esiason Foundation

Conferences, Symposia, and Artist Talks

- 2019** *Making the Invisible Visible: Performing the (Dis)abled Bodymind*, CAA, New York, NY (forthcoming)
- 2018** *Revealed: performing the disabled body with chronic illness*, ASAP/10, New Orleans, LA
Burns Park: A Case Study, Student Art History Symposium, University of Denver, Denver, CO
- 2014** *Political Ideologies Affect the Support of International Organizations*, SPSA, New Orleans, LA

Bibliography

“USACFA’s Spring 2018 Lauren Melissa Kelly Scholarship Recipients Announced.” *CF Roundtable: A Newsletter for Adults Who Have Cystic Fibrosis*, Winter 2018: 22 – 23

“Student’s art blooms despite chronic condition.” *The Villager*. July 14, 2016
<http://thevillager.com/2016/07/14/students-art-blooms-despite-chronic-condition/>

Cockfield, Liana. “Mary Grace Bernard & Her Garden of Art.” *Driftwood*, October 2, 2013

Grants, Awards, and Fellowships

- 2018** Madden Fellowship Award
AHSS Dean’s Tuition Award
Elizabeth Nash Foundation Award
Anton Yelchin Foundation Grant
- 2017** Lauren Melissa Kelly Scholarship Award
AHSS Dean’s Tuition Award
Cystic Fibrosis Lifestyle Foundation Recreation Grant
Boomer Esiason Foundation Scholarship of the Arts Award
- 2015** Yves-André Istel Fellowship Award
AbbVie Thriving Graduate Student Cystic Fibrosis Scholarship
Boomer Esiason Foundation Scholarship of the Arts Award
- 2014** Outstanding Woman Graduate Award
Philip Coulter Award for Excellence in International Studies

Related Art World Experience

- 2018** 48 Hours Program Assistant, RedLine Contemporary Art Center, Denver, Colorado
Special Projects Coordinator, Vicki Myhren Gallery, University of Denver, Denver, Colorado
- 2017** Untitled Final Fridays & Creative-in-Residence Program Assistant, Adult Programs, Learning and Engagement Department, Denver Art Museum, Denver, Colorado

- 2016** Gallery Manager, Brand New Orleans Art Gallery, New Orleans, Louisiana
Communications Assistant, Communications and Sponsorship Department, Musée national Picasso-Paris, Paris, France

- 2015** Gallery Attendant, Institute for the Study of the Ancient World, New York University, New York, NY
Project Coordinator, Pelican Bomb, New Orleans, Louisiana

- 2014** Gallery Assistant, Studio Amanda Talley, New Orleans, Louisiana

- 2013** Media and Communications Intern, Antenna Gallery, New Orleans, Louisiana

- 2009** Education Department Intern, New Orleans Museum of Art, New Orleans, Louisiana