

# MATTHEW BROWN

## Fin Simonetti

Born 1985 in Vancouver, British Columbia  
Lives and works in Brooklyn, NY

### Education

2009 BFA, Ontario College of Art and Design University

### Solo Exhibitions

2021 *My Volition*, Matthew Brown Los Angeles, CA  
*Fin Simonetti: An Appeal to Heaven*, alongside Louise Bourgeois and Chris Curreri, Esker Foundation, Calgary, AB

2019 *Head Gussset*, Cooper Cole, Toronto, ON *Pledge*. Company Gallery. New York, NY

2018 *Pastoral Emergency*. SIGNAL. Brooklyn, NY

2017 *LIFEMORTS*, Interstate Projects, Brooklyn, NY  
*IS PATH WARM?*, Good Weather, Little Rock, AR

### Group Exhibitions

2022 *Recent Sculpture*, Los Angeles, CA

2021 *Realism of the Game*. Tranzit. Bucharest, Romania.

2020 *Material Conditions*, Matthew Brown Los Angeles, CA  
*To dream a man*, Clima, Milan, Italy  
*Harvest*, curated by Bob Linder, Slash Art, San Francisco, CA

2019 *Dog Days*, CLEARING, Brooklyn, NY  
*New Moon*, Hotel Art Pavilion, Brooklyn, NY

2018 *Eye to Eye*, Arsenal Contemporary, New York, NY  
*Altered*, Company Gallery, New York, NY  
*Cerrajería*, Lock Up International, Mexico City, MX  
*At the End of the Game*, Alyssa Davis Gallery, New York, NY  
*Pleasure Over Matter*, The Space Company, San Francisco, CA  
*Fear Faire*, Marinaro, New York, NY  
*The Belly & the Members*, MX Gallery, New York, NY

2017 *Paperweights*, Fisher Parrish, Brooklyn, NY  
*No Vacancy*, Alt Esc, Brooklyn, NY  
*Can't Touch This*, Katharine Mulherin, New York, NY

2016 *Young Adult*, curated by Al Bedell, Interstate Projects, U: L: O: II, Brooklyn, NY  
*Industry Woman*, PS1 MoMA, Queens, NY  
*Beach is Better*, Good Weather, Miami, FL  
*Sharps*, MAW Gallery, New York, NY (curation)  
*Five Holes All Smiles*, curated by Cecilia Salama, Greenpoint Terminal Gallery, Brooklyn, NY

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- Diorama Dialogues, 545 Greenwich, New York, NY 2015 Works on Paper, LE Gallery, Toronto, ON  
*CHANNEL*, Katzman Contemporary, Toronto, ON *Truth Be Told*, Revue and YTB Gallery, Toronto, ON
- 2014 *Pressure Points*, curated by Alexandra Drewchin, Outpost Artist Resources, Queens, NY  
*Moon Room*, Narwhal, Toronto, ON  
*HARDENING*, The Lighting Studio, New York, NY (performance with FlucT)  
*Papier14*, LE Gallery at the Paper Art Fair, Montreal, QC 2013  
*Intimates Index*, Gal Space Gallery, London, UK  
Toronto International Art Fair, LE Gallery, Toronto, ON  
*Period Piece*, curated by Petra Collins and Sandra Andler, OCAD U Ignite Gallery, Toronto, ON
- 2012 *License to Depart*, The Music Gallery, Toronto, ON  
*The Reading Nook*, Narwhal Contemporary Art Gallery, Toronto, ON  
*Age of Consent*, Doris McCarthy Gallery, Scarborough, ON
- 2011 *Red Carpet*, Drabinsky, Toronto, ON

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2012 Sunhoo Design Park, Hangzhou, CHN 2012 HALO HALO, Toronto, ON