

DAVID KAARSEMAKER

Education

- 2014** MFA, University of Ottawa. Ottawa ON
2001-2004 BFA. Concordia University. Montreal, QC.
1998-2001 University of Victoria. Victoria, BC.

Solo Exhibitions

- 2017** **Portage**, Galerie Montcalm, Gatineau QC
2016 **l'Œil du Prince**, Gallery St-Laurent + Hill, Ottawa ON
2016 **Scrim**, Karsh-Masson Gallery, Ottawa ON
2015 **Display Case**, Christina Parker Gallery, St John's NL
2015 **The Fragile Surface**, Gallery St-Laurent + Hill, Ottawa ON
2014 **Pictures (MFA Thesis Exhibition)**, Carleton University Art Gallery. Ottawa ON
2012 **Building Up/ Wearing Away**. Christina Parker Gallery, St. John's, NL
2010 **The Expulsion**. Gallerie Ethecae. Montreal, QC
2010 **Forest**. Red Ochre Gallery. St John's, NL
2006 **The Layered Light of Dusk**. Gallerie Luz. Montreal, QC
2005 **The Background People**. Gallerie Luz. Montreal, QC

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2016** **Le Party**, Ottawa Art Gallery Auction and Fundraiser, Ottawa ON
2015 **This is Us Now**, Karsh-Masson Gallery, Ottawa ON
2015 **30 + One**, Christina Parker Gallery, St John's NL
2015 **Le Party**, Ottawa Art Gallery Auction and Fundraiser, Ottawa ON
2014 **2014: A Year End Celebration**. Christina Parker Gallery. St John's NL
2013 **Breaking Point**, CHG Pilot Plant Laboratory, University of Ottawa, Ottawa ON
2013 **Fresh Paint/ New Construction**, Art Mur, Montreal QC
2013 **Works on Paper**, Ingrid Mueller Art and Concepts, Fredericton NB
2011 **Art Ex Festival Exhibition**. Gordon Pinsent Centre for the Arts. Grand Falls-Windsor, NL
2011 **Provincial Arts and Letters Exhibition**. The Rooms Provincial Gallery. St John's, NL

- 2011** **A Breath of Fresh Air.** Red Ochre Gallery. St John's, NL
2010 **A is for Art.** Eastern Edge Gallery. St John's, NL
2010 **Dance of Colour and Light.** Red Ochre Gallery. St John's, NL
2010 **Going Postal.** A1C Gallery. St John's, NL
2010 **Provincial Arts and Letters Exhibition.** The Rooms
Provincial Gallery. St John's, NL
2010 **Spring in the Air.** Red Ochre Gallery. St John's, NL
2009 **Time After Timeline.** Eastern Edge Gallery. St John's, NL
2009 **Aurora.** Red Ochre Gallery. St John's, NL
2009 **The Colours of Spring.** Red Ochre Gallery. St John's, NL
2008 **Reflecting Members.** Eastern Edge Gallery. St John's, NL
2007 **Member's Show.** Struts Gallery. Sackville, NB
2006 **Leaves.** Gallerie Luz. Montreal, QC
2004 **Hands Up.** Art Mur. Montreal, QC

Bibliography

- 2015** The Telegram. "Through the looking glass," Joan Sullivan, August 11
- 2015** Akimbo, "David Kaarsemaker at Gallery St. Laurent + Hill in
Ottawa," Michael Davidge, February 24
- 2012** The Telegram, "Visual Art Top Ten 2012," Joan Sullivan, December 28
- 2012** The Telegram, "Echoes and Refractions," Joan Sullivan, April 28
- 2012** Weekend Arts Magazine, CBC Radio, Interview with Mack Furlong,
April 21
- 2012** Riddle Fence A Journal of Arts & Culture, No. 11, Winter 2012, p. 28-
29
- 2012** C'est ça la vie, Radio Canada, "L'artiste David Kaarsemaker," Interview
with Normand Latour, March 12
- 2011** Sheppard, Sarah J. "For Art's Sake". The Newfoundland Herald, April
24
- 2011** Sullivan, Joan. "Fresh Air at Red Ochre Gallery". The Telegram, April
8
- 2011** Bartlett, Steve. "Torpedo baffle inspires artist". The Telegram, March
19
- 2010** Sullivan, Joan. "Visual arts top 10". The Telegram, December 31

- 2010** Kent, Valerie. "Unpredictable nature". The Newfoundland Herald, May 2
- 2010** Sullivan, Joan. "Wander into the 'Forest'". The Telegram, March 12
- 2010** Sullivan, Joan. "Visual arts top 10". The Telegram, January 2
- 2009** Reeves, Charissa. "David Kaarsemaker, Realism Painter". The Current, December 11
- 2009** Sullivan, Joan. "Dancing with colour". The Telegram, November 20
- 2007** Manning, Juliet. "Day and dusk". The Argosy, November 8

Grants & Awards

- 2016** Development Grant, Conseil des arts et des lettres du Quebec
Project Grant, Canada Council for the Arts
- 2015** Critic's Choice, Le pARTy, Ottawa Art Gallery Auction
- 2014** Faculty of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies Dean's Scholarship, University of Ottawa
- 2013** Curtlands Foundation prize, Montreal QC
- 2012** Charles Gagnon Masters of Fine Arts Entrance Scholarship, University of Ottawa
- 2011** Artist residency, Gros Morne National Park, Newfoundland, August/September
- 2011** Arts and Letters Award. Government of Newfoundland and Labrador
- 2010** Newfoundland and Labrador Arts Council: Project Grant
- 2010** Government of Newfoundland and Labrador: Purchase
- 2010** City of St John's. Purchase Award
- 2010** Arts and Letters Award. Government of Newfoundland and Labrador
- 2009** Government of Newfoundland and Labrador: Purchase
- 2009** Newfoundland and Labrador Arts Council: Project Grant
- 2004** Imperial Tobacco Canada Artistic Development Board: Public Exhibition Grant

Relevant Pursuits

- 2011** Art Instructor. Anna Templeton Centre. St. John's, NL
- 2011** Artist in Residence. Gros Morne National Park, NL
- 2011** Artist Talk. Art Ex Festival. Grand Falls-Windsor, NL
- 2011** Art Instructor. The Rooms Provincial Gallery. St John's, NL
- 2011** Mural Painting. Rabbittown Theatre. St John's, NL

- 2011** Scenic Painting and Design. Rising Tide Theatre. Review. NL
- 2011** Art Instructor. Private studio classes. St John's, NL
- 2011** Chair of the Board. Eastern Edge Gallery. St John's, NL
- 2011** Installation and Programming Committee Chair. Eastern Edge Gallery. St John's, NL
- 2010** Mural Painting. Rabbittown Theatre. St John's, NL
- 2010** Artist Talk. Eastern Edge Gallery. Art Marathon Festival: Fancy Artist Talks. St John's, NL
- 2010** Art Instructor. The Rooms Provincial Gallery. St John's, NL
- 2010** Scenic Painting and Design. Rising Tide Theatre. Festival in the Bight. Trinity, NL
- 2010** Scenic Painting and Design. Rising Tide Theatre. Review. NL
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- 2009** Artist Talk. Eastern Edge Gallery. Art Marathon Festival: Soiree Francophone. St John's, NL
- 2009** Scenic Painting and Design. Rising Tide Theatre. Festival in the Bight. Trinity, NL
- 2009** Scenic Painting and Design. Rising Tide Theatre. Review. NL
- 2009** Art Instructor. Private studio classes. St John's, NL
- 2009** Board member. Eastern Edge Gallery. St John's, NL
- 2008** Scenic Painting and Design. South Pacific. Arts and Culture Centre. St John's, NL
- 2008** Art Instructor. Private studio classes. Sackville, NB
- 2007** Art Instructor. Private studio classes. Sackville, NB
- 1999-2001** Mural Painting and Design, City of Surrey, BC

Collections

City of Ottawa Public Art Collection
 The Rooms Provincial Art Gallery Collection
 Newfoundland Provincial Art Bank Collection
 City of St John's Art Collection