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Jesse Amado

EDUCATION

- 1990 Master of Fine Arts, The University of Texas at San Antonio
- 1987 Bachelor of Fine Arts, The University of Texas at San Antonio
- 1977 Bachelor of Arts, English, The University of Texas at Austin

RESIDENCIES

- The Berlin Residency Program, Blue Star Contemporary Art Museum in partnership with Künstlerhaus Bethanien, Berlin, Germany
- 1995 International Artist-in-Residence Program, City Gallery of Gwangju, Gwangju, South Korea International Artist-in-Residence Program, Artpace, San Antonio, TX (Robert Storr, Curator)
- 1994 Bemis Center for Contemporary Arts Artist-in-Residence, Bemis Foundation, Omaha, NE
- 1990 N.E.A. Visual Arts Organization Grant Artist-in-Residence, Fabric Workshop and Museum, Philadelphia, PA

SELECTED SOLO and TWO PERSON EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 Jesse Amado: Heat and Time, kind of a small array, Magdalena, NM; curator: Hills Snyder
- 2020 *Jesse Amado and Alejandro Diaz: Double Pleasure*, Ruiz-Healy Art, San Antonio, TX and New York, NY (catalogue)
- 2019 Sensoria, South Texas College Library Art Gallery, McAllen, TX
- 2018 GESAMTKUNSTWERK, Blue Star Contemporary, San Antonio, TX
- 2017 Let's Do but In Blue, Gallery 100 Palo Alto College, San Antonio, TX; curator: Lloyd Walsh Jesse Amado: BECOMING, Ruiz-Healy Art, San Antonio, TX (catalogue)
- 2016 Tithering: What are we doing here? S.M.A.R.T Project Space, San Antonio, TX
- 2015 Jesse Amado: 30 Day Rx, Ruiz-Healy Art, San Antonio, TX (catalogue) Rounded Mass to be Swallowed Whole, Dock Space Gallery, San Antonio, TX
- 2007 Jesse Amado, Hudson (Show) Room, Artpace, San Antonio, TX
- 2004 Thieving Magpie, Barbara Davis Gallery, Houston, TX
- 2003 Beauty Spot, ARTMATTERS 4, The McNay Art Museum, San Antonio, TX (catalogue) SCOPE: New York, Featured Artist, Finesilver Gallery, New York, NY Everything Must Go! Finesilver Gallery, San Antonio, TX
- 2002 Up and Down: Jesse Amado and Ken Little, The University of Texas at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX Digital Migrations: Jesse Amado and Chuck Ramirez, Sala Diaz, ARCO 02, Cutting Edge, Madrid, Spain
- 2001 L'Avventura: New Drawings and Sculptures, Linc Real Art, San Francisco, CA Odysseus and Omissions, Barbara Davis Gallery, Houston, TX
- 2000 *Moving images*, The Alameda Theatre, The Alameda National Center for Latino Arts and Culture, San Antonio, TX
- 1999 *Jesse Amado + Donald Moffett*, Finesilver Gallery, San Antonio, TX *Disenchantment*, Rrose Amarillo, San Antonio, TX

1998 1997	Pacific Exchange, Gwangju-San Antonio, Blue Star Contemporary Art Museum, San Antonio, TX Jesse Amado: Common Task: New Drawings and Installation, Barbara Davis Gallery, Houston, TX Jesse Amado: Con Cariño, Line Gallery, Gwangju, South Korea, a sponsored exhibition on the occasion of the Gwangju Biennale
	Dicha, Sala Diaz, San Antonio, TX
	Pieces, Works, Installation, Wolfson Gallery, Miami, FL
1996	Jesse Amado: Renascence, Contemporary Arts Museum, Houston, TX; curator: Dana Friis-Hansen
	(catalogue)
	Jesse Amado, Milagros Contemporary Art Gallery, San Antonio, TX Jesse Amado: A Flirtation with Fire, Carla Stellweg Gallery, New York, NY
1995	Jesse Amado, Davis/McClain Gallery, Houston, TX
1993	New Works, Milagros Contemporary Art Gallery, San Antonio, TX
1774	MCMXCIV, Bemis Center for Contemporary Art, Omaha, NE
1993	Introductions, Davis/McClain Gallery, Houston, TX
1992	Just Selections, Galveston Arts Center, Galveston, TX
	Drawings and Sculpture, Jansen-Perez Gallery, San Antonio, TX
1991	New Works, Fabric Workshop and Museum, Philadelphia, PA
1989	Pursuit of Transient Aims, Koehler Cultural Art Center, San Antonio, TX
SELE	CTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS
2025	McNay Print Fair, Ruiz-Healy Art, San Antonio, TX
	For Fran, Ruiz-Healy Art, San Antonio, TX; curator: Hills Snyder
2024-2	25 Soft/Cover, The Fabric Workshop and Museum, Philadelphia, PA; curators: DJ Hellerman and
	Katy Donoghue
	Do You Really Believe That? Ft. Worth Contemporary, Texas Christian University. Traveling to the
	University Art Gallery, University of Texas at San Antonio; curators: Dr. Sara-Jayne Parsons, Dr. Scott
	Sherer, Dr. Jennifer Hope Davy, Constance Lowe, and Hills Snyder (catalogue)
	Stop Drawing on Your Desk! S.M.A.R.T. Gallery, San Antonio, TX
2023	Water Ways, Ruby City, San Antonio, TX; curator: Elyse A. Gonzales (brochure)
2023	I Am Not Your Mexican, Ruiz-Healy Art, San Antonio, TX; curator: Eduardo Egea
	I Am Not Your Mexican, Ruiz-Healy Art, New York, NY; curator: Eduardo Egea
	Alchemy: Works on Paper, Ruiz-Healy Art, San Antonio, TX
2021	Ruiz-Healy Art: Quinceañera, Ruiz-Healy Art, San Antonio, TX
	Mementos of a Dream, Sculptures from the Collection, Freedman Gallery, Reading, PA; curators: Brie
	Diodata
	Pluralities of Isolation, Ruiz-Healy Art, San Antonio, TX
2020	Robert Indiana: A Legacy of Love, McNay Art Museum, San Antonio, TX; curators: René Paul
	Barilleaux and Lauren Thompson
	Aquí Estamos: New Selections From The Permanent Collection, National Hispanic Cultural Center,
	Albuquerque, NM

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- 2019 Realidad: La Frontera, Mercury Project, San Antonio, TX
 Latinx Art: Transcending Borders, Octavia Gallery, Houston TX; curator: Dr. Patricia Ruiz-Healy
- 2018 Blue is Not a Color, Ruiz-Healy Art, San Antonio, TX
 Annual McNay Print Fair, Ruiz-Healy Art, McNay Art Museum, San Antonio, TX
 Future Currents: San Antonio from 2038-2048, Dock Space Gallery, San Antonio, TX
 San Antonio Sculpture, Dock Space Gallery, San Antonio, TX
- 2017 IFPDA Print Fair, Ruiz-Healy Art, Javits Center, New York City, NY Seeing the Unseen, Brownsville Museum of Fine Art, Brownsville, TX; curator: David Freeman To See is to Have: Navigating Today's Art Ecosystem, McNay Art Museum, San Antonio, TX; curator: Jackie Edwards On the Curve, Ruiz-Healy Art, San Antonio, TX
 - Sweet Sixteen, Fl!ght Gallery, San Antonio, TX; curators: Ed Saavedra and Justin Parr
- 2016 Straight from San Antonio, Karen Huber Gallery, Mexico City, Mexico; curator: Octavio Avendaño Trujillo Dreamers & Realists, Ruiz-Healy Art, San Antonio, TX; curator: Jesse Amado March Group Exhibition, Concrete Exhibition Space, San Antonio, TX
- 2015 Cut N' Mix: Contemporary Collage, El Museo del Barrio, New York, NY; curator: Rocio Aranda-Alvarado

Flatlander, Boulder Museum of Contemporary Art, Boulder, CO; curator: Patty Ortiz Rodin to Warhol: 60th Anniversary Gifts and Recent Acquisitions, The McNay Art Museum, San Antonio, TX

- Why is the Sky Blue? Ruiz-Healy Art, San Antonio, TX; curator: Octavio Avendaño Trujillo (catalogue) More than Words: Text-Based Artworks, Ruiz-Healy Art, San Antonio, TX Confections and Fictions, Russell Hill Rogers Gallery I, The Southwest School of Art, San Antonio, TX INK Miami, Ruiz-Healy Art, Miami, FL
- 2014 Aesthetic Encounters, Ruiz-Healy Art, San Antonio, TX INK Miami, Ruiz-Healy Art, Miami, FL

2010

- 2013-16 Our America: The Latino Presence in American Art (works from the permanent collection), Smithsonian American Art Museum, Washington D.C.; traveling show to Patricia and Phillip Frost Museum of Art, Miami, FL.; Crocker Art Museum, Sacramento, CA; Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, UT; Arkansas Art Center, Little Rock, AR; Delaware Art Museum, Wilmington, DE; Museum of Fine Arts St. Petersburg, Petersburg, FL; Hunter Museum of Fine Art, Chattanooga, TN; curator: E. Carmen Ramos (catalogue)

 Alternate Currents, Guadalupe Cultural Arts Center, San Antonio, TX; curator: Patty Ortiz
 - Desire, The Blanton Museum of Art, Austin, TX; curator: Annette DiMeo Carlozzi (catalogue)
- 2009 Lonely are the Brave, Blue Star Contemporary Art Museum, San Antonio, TX; curator: Hills Snyder
- 2005 Artists Salute Artpace, Christie's, New York, NY

 Leaving Aztlan: Rethinking Contemporary Latino and Chicano Art, Center for the Visual Arts, Metro

 State College, Denver, CO; curator: Kaytie Johnson
- 2004 *Sub-TEXT*, Transformer Gallery, Washington, DC; curator: Henry Estrada M% Gallery, Cleveland, OH

Consumed, UTS	SA Satellite S _l	ace, San Antonio	o, TX; curator:	Lisa Garcia
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- 2003 Visualizing Identity: Jesse Amado, Radcliffe Bailey, Byron Kim, and Glenn Ligon, Blanton Museum of Art, Austin, TX
 - Film Revival: Reinvigorating Abstraction in Painting and Drawing, Organized by Ruben and Joan Baron, Dorsky Gallery, Long Island City, Queens, NY (catalogue)
- 2002 10 x 30, San Antonio Museum of Art, San Antonio, TX; curator: Kathryn Kanjo Film Show, San Francisco Arts Commission Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- 2001 Reductive, Finesilver Gallery, San Antonio, TX
- 2000 Houston Sculpture 2000, Houston, TX
 San Antonio Spring Show, A Flower Invitational, Finesilver Gallery, San Antonio, TX
 University of North Texas, Denton, TX
- 1999 Material Process Memory, Texas Fine Arts Association, Austin, TX; curator: Alexander Dumbadadze Videoplex, Blue Star Contemporary Art Museum, San Antonio, TX El Centro De Arte Ego (Museo Ego), Blue Star Contemporary Art Museum, San Antonio, TX Barbara Davis Gallery, Houston, TX Art Works 99, Aquarena Center, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX Admirals Club Art Program, American Airlines, Austin-Bergstrom International Airport, Austin, TX
- 1998 *Collective Visions*, San Antonio Museum of Art, San Antonio, TX *150 Years*, Terrain Gallery, San Francisco, CA *Transformation*, Southwest School of Art, San Antonio, TX
- 1997 Art on Paper: Thirty Third Annual Exhibition, Weatherspoon Art Museum, The University of North Carolina at Greensboro, NC (catalogue)
 Composure, Barbara Davis Gallery, Houston, TX
 Link, Gerald Peters Gallery, Dallas, TX
- 1996 *Tres Proyectos Latinos*, Austin Museum of Art at La Gloria, Austin, TX; curators: Henry Estrada and Victor Zamudio-Taylor
 - Schemata: Drawings by Sculptors, The Glassell School of Art, The Museum of Fine Art, Houston, TX Art Matters, Artpace, San Antonio, TX
 - Intimate, Barbara Davis Gallery/Pennzoil Place, Houston, TX
 - Synthesis & Subversion: A Latino Direction in San Antonio Art, The University of Texas at San
 - Antonio, San Antonio, TX; curator: Frances Colpitt, (brochure)
 - Convergence, Barbara Davis Gallery/Pennzoil Place, Houston, TX
 - Material + Spirit, Barbara Davis Gallery, Houston, TX
 - Masculine Measures, John Michael Kohler Arts Center, Sheboygan, WI
- 1995 New Works for a New Space: Jesse Amado; Felix Gonzalez-Torres; Annette Messager, Artpace, San Antonio, TX; curator: Robert Storr (brochure)

 Jesse Amado: White Floating (in six parts) and Antony Gormley: The San Antonio Drawing Center for
 - Research in Contemporary Art, The University of Texas at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX
- 1994 Putting it on Paper, The McNay Art Museum, San Antonio, TX
 Commissioners Exhibition, Texas Commission for the Arts, Tobin Estate, San Antonio, TX

- Low-Tech, Center for Research in Contemporary Art, The University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, TX
- 1993 TEXAS Between Two Worlds, Contemporary Arts Museum, Houston, TX; traveling show to the Modern Museum of Fort Worth and the Museum of South Texas, Corpus Christi; (catalogue)

 Darkness and Light Twentieth Century Works from Texas Collections, Blaffer Art Museum, Houston, TX (catalogue)
 - Spanish Remnants: Borders Real & Imagined, Blue Star Contemporary Art Museum, San Antonio, TX (catalogue)
 - FAT an Exhibition of Culinary Work Stephen Shanabrook, Jesse Amado, David Mackie, Thomas Glassford, Franco Mondini, Foster Freeman Gallery, San Antonio, TX Regardless of the Wall, 1203 Artspace, San Antonio, TX
- 1992 Blue Star Seven [plus] 7, Blue Star Contemporary Art Museum, San Antonio, TX; curators: Betty Moody and Barry Whistler
 - Taking Liberties Jesse Amado, Antitrust, Janet Zweig, Diverse Work, Houston, TX; curator: Caroline Huber
 - Spanish Remnants: Borders Real & Imagined, Arlington Museum of Art, Arlington, TX (catalogue) Consequence, Our Lady of the Lake University, San Antonio, TX
- 1991 *The Perfect World In Contemporary Texas Art*, San Antonio Museum of Art, San Antonio, TX (catalogue)
 - Colorado Contemporary Art Biennial, Sangre de Cristo Art Center, Pueblo, CO Tejanos - Artistas Mexicanos - Norteamericanos, Museo de Arte Alvar y Carmen de Carrillo Gil, Mexico City, Mexico (catalogue)
 - Texas Dialogue: San Antonio El Paso, Bridge Center for Contemporary Art, El Paso, TX
- 1990 Three Sculptors Three Coasts, (Tony Hepburn Alfred, N.Y.; Rod Baer, Los Angeles, California, Jesse Amado, San Antonio, Texas), Blue Star Contemporary Art Museum, San Antonio, TX Blue Star V, Blue Star Contemporary Art Museum, San Antonio, TX Texas Dialogue: San Antonio El Paso, Blue Star Contemporary Art Museum, San Antonio, TX Counter Signals, Hickory Street Annex, Dallas, TX; curator: Kevin Curry
- 1989 New American Talent, Laguna Gloria Art Museum, Austin, TX
 San Antonio Sculpture, Rolling Oaks Mall, San Antonio, Texas; curator: Dave Hickey
- 1988 Prints from San Antonio, Instituto Cultural Peruano, Lima, Peru Festival de Artes, 110 Broadway Gallery, San Antonio, TX Interpretations, 110 Broadway Gallery, San Antonio, TX
- 1987 Influence, San Antonio Museum of Art, San Antonio, TX Blue Star II, Blue Star Contemporary Art Museum, San Antonio, TX Sixth Texas Sculpture Symposium, Guadalupe Cultural Arts Center, San Antonio, TX Honors Awards Show, The University of Texas at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX A Print Show of Texas Artists, The Blue-Collar Gallery, San Antonio, TX
- 1986 *Open*, San Antonio Museum of Art, San Antonio, TX *Ofrendas*, 110 Broadway, San Antonio, TX

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Earth Body, The National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts group show, Locus Gallery, San Antonio, TX

1983 Fifth Annual Mountain View College Invitational Art Exhibit, Mountain View College, Dallas, TX

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- ---. "On the Scene: Houston." Artspace, March-April 1993.
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- ---. "Ruiz-Healy Art's Expanding Roster Comes Together for 'Aesthetic Encounters." *San Antonio Current*, December 30, 2014.
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SELECTED HONORS AND AWARD

- 1995 Creative Excellence Award, Graduate category, The University of Texas at San Antonio, TX
- 1992 Visual Arts Fellowship Grant, Art Matters, Inc., New York, NY
- 1991 Visual Artists Fellowship Grant, National Endowment for the Arts (sculpture)
- 1989 Touring Citation, New American Talent, Laguna Gloria Art Museum, Austin, TX
- 1983 Juror's Award, Tenth Annual Texas College Art Show, Mountain View College, Dallas, TX (Betye Saar, Juror)

MUSEUM COLLECTIONS

Museum of Contemporary Art San Diego, San Diego, CA Blanton Museum of Art, Austin, TX Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX

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San Antonio Museum of Art, San Antonio, TX Smithsonian American Art Museum, Washington, D.C. South Texas Museum of Corpus Christi, Corpus Christi, TX The McNay Art Museum, San Antonio, TX Museo del Barrio, New York City, NY National Hispanic Cultural Center, Albuquerque, NM Linda Pace Foundation Collection, Ruby City, San Antonio, TX

CORPORATE COLLECTIONS

Soho House Art Collection, Austin, TX Women's and Children's Hospital, San Antonio, TX Albright Freedman Gallery, Reading, PA AT&T Center, San Antonio, TX Alix Partners, Chicago, IL Houston Light & Power, Houston, TX Kell Munoz Architects, San Antonio, TX Matthew and Branscomb Attys, Corporate Collection, San Antonio, TX Ricos Products Co. Inc., San Antonio, TX Southwestern Bell Telephone, San Antonio, TX Sunbelt Corporation, Corporate Collection, San Antonio, TX The Progressive Collection, Cleveland, OH The San Antonio Public Library Foundation, San Antonio, TX The University of Texas at San Antonio, TX University Health System, San Antonio, TX HOLT Cat, San Antonio, TX

PUBLIC ARTWORKS

- 2022 University Health System, San Antonio, TX
 2013 Memorial for San Antonio Fire Department, San Antonio, TX
- 2010 Days, Memorial for Linda Pace, San Antonio Central Library, San Antonio, TX
- 2007 Never Forget, San Antonio Fire Department Operations Center, San Antonio, TX