

# BUNMI AGUSTO

b. 1999, Nigeria

Lives and works in London, UK

## EDUCATION

- 2023 MFA Fine Art, *Distinction*, Ruskin School of Art, University of Oxford, UK
- 2022 MA History of Art & Archaeology, *Distinction*, SOAS University, London, UK
- 2020 BA Fine Art, *First Class Honours*, Central Saint Martins, London, UK
- 2019 Erasmus Exchange, Royal Academy of Art The Hague, Netherlands

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 *Outside*, kó, Lagos  
*1-54 Contemporary African Art Fair*, DADA Gallery, London  
*Psychoscape*, TAFETA, London
- 2021 *Kenneth Ize SS22*, Palais de Tokyo, Paris  
*Escape To Within*, DADA Gallery, London

## DUO EXHIBITIONS

- 2020 *Everything Good Will Come*, DADA Gallery, Digital
- 2019 *other on Other's Territory*, Central Saint Martins, London

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 *New Contemporaries*, Camden Arts Centre, London
- 2023 *Yinka Shonibare CBE RA: Free The Wind, The Spirit and The Sun*, Stephen Friedman Gallery, London  
*New Contemporaries*, Grundy Art Gallery, Blackpool  
*MFA Degree Show*, Ruskin School of Art, Oxford  
*Chasing Spirits*, Foreign Agent, Lausanne  
*Reverie*, DADA Gallery, Lagos  
*baby hair and afros*, Vortic Curated, London & Santa Monica Art Museum, Los Angeles, Virtual Reality
- 2022 *Issue 01*, DADA Gallery, London  
*Art On A Postcard IWD Auction*, The Bomb Factory South, London  
*ASSEMBLE*, V.O Curations Mayfair, London
- 2021 Art X Lagos, DADA Gallery, Lagos  
*1-54 Contemporary African Art Fair*, DADA Gallery, London  
*Redefining the Trend - Histories in the Making*, 1-54 x Christie's, London  
*Now, Now*, TAFETA, London

- I Am Not A Goddess... Unless I Say I Am*, SABO Art Advisory x Amar Singh Gallery, Lagos
- 2020 *1-54 Contemporary African Art Fair*, DADA Gallery, Paris
- Reflections*, Central Saint Martins Window Gallery, London
- Young Contemporaries 2020: Boot Camp Exhibition*, Rele Gallery, Lagos, Digital
- London Grads Now*, Saatchi Gallery, London
- UAL Graduate Showcase*, Central Saint Martins, London, Digital
- On Location*, Central Saint Martins, London, Digital
- Burnt Out*, Central Saint Martins, London
- Squeeze*, Karen Tronel Gallery, London
- Blacklisted: An Indefinite Revolution*, Christie's Education, London
- 2019 *Women In Art X Street Souk*, Harbour Point, Lagos
- The State of Things*, Copeland Gallery, London
- The Colour of Pain*, Imperial College, London
- Waiting*, Central Saint Martins, London
- Wheels To Water*, Petrie Museum of Egyptian Archaeology, London
- Xhibit*, The Koppel Project Central Gallery, London
- Intersect*, London School of Economics, London

## **CURATORIAL PROJECTS**

- 2022 *Masking The Unseen*, MILIKI x SABO Art Advisory, Lagos
- Sociability of Vessels*, SOAS University, London
- 2019 *other on Other's Territory*, Central Saint Martins, London
- Intersect*, London School of Economics, London

## **AWARDS & HONOURS**

- 2023 Mansfield-Ruddock Prize, University of Oxford
- Bloomberg New Contemporaries
- 2022 Clarendon Scholarship, University of Oxford
- 2021 International Postgraduate Scholarship for Sub-Saharan Africa, SOAS University
- 2020 Rele Arts Foundation Young Contemporaries Bootcamp
- Cass Art Prize, Central Saint Martins Degree Show
- 2019 Cass Art Prize, Xhibit

## **TALKS & WORKSHOPS**

- 2024 Mansfield-Ruddock Prize, Mansfield College, Oxford
- 2023 DADA Magazine, Reference Point, London
- 2022 *Issue No.1*, Panel Discussion, DADA Gallery, London

- 2021 Panel Discussion, Reference Point, London  
*Redefining the Trend - Histories in the Making*, Panel Discussion, 1-54 x  
Christie's, London
- 2020 *Everything Good Will Come*, Artist Talk, DADA Gallery, Digital
- 2019 *You + Your Friends*, Panel Discussion, A Whitespace Creative Agency, Lagos

## **COLLECTIONS**

Private Collections in Nigeria, Austria, the UK and the US

Samdani Art Foundation, Bangladesh

Mansfield College, University of Oxford, UK

Coronation Gallery, Lagos, Nigeria