

ADAM MARS

B. 1981 in Orange County, CA

Lives and works in Los Angeles, CA

EDUCATION

2007 MFA, Otis College of Art and Design, Los Angeles, CA

2003 BA, UC Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2015 Palm Springs Fine Art Fair, Palm Springs Convention Center, Palm Springs, CA

2014 Once Upon a Time, We Weren't Stalkers, GUSFORD | los angeles, Los Angeles, CA

2013 Public Privates, GUSFORD | los angeles, Los Angeles, CA

2012 The New Ex's, Orchard Windows Gallery, New York, NY

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2017 Palette to Palate, Laguna Art Museum, Laguna Beach, CA

STATION LIVES, Lion with The Fox Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

California Cool, Laguna Art Museum, Laguna Beach, CA

We're All in This Reality Show Together, LA Art Show, LA Convention Center, CA

2016 Subject, Museum of Art and History, Lancaster, CA

Above the Bars, Station, Denver, CO

California Cool, Laguna Art Museum, Laguna Beach, CA

2015 An Odyssey, Torrance Art Museum, Torrance, CA

Plus 1, Roq La Rue Gallery, Seattle, WA

conTEXTual abstraction, Peter Blake Gallery, Laguna Beach, CA

Pieces of Heaven, MAMA Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

California Cool, Laguna Art Museum, Laguna Beach, CA

2014 LAXART Gala at Greystone, Greystone Mansion, Los Angeles, CA

MAS ATTACK 6, Torrance Art Museum, Torrance, CA

The Art of the Heist, Laguna Art Museum, Laguna Beach, CA

2013 California Underground, Laguna Art Museum, Laguna Beach, CA

2012 Elephants & Asses, AR4T Gallery, Laguna Beach, CA

Futureland 2012, AR4T Gallery, Laguna Beach, CA

Technicolor Exile, The Medallion, Los Angeles, CA

California Art Lounge, Laguna Art Museum, Laguna Beach, CA

2011 SLASH, CES Gallery, Laguna Beach, CA

LOVE, Laguna Art Museum, Laguna Beach, CA

C E S

- Cinema Arts Music Movement Presents Slutty Shapes, MESA, Orange County, CA
- 2010 Auction 100, Laguna Art Museum, Laguna Beach, CA
- 2009 Deep Fried Tabloids, Trashpretty, Orange County, CA
- STATION Must Go, Raw Materials, Los Angeles, CA
- 2008 First/Last, Winstead Adams Projects, Los Angeles, CA
- STATION, El Nopal Press, Los Angeles, CA
- 2007 Green-er Sessions Sketching Solutions, Venice, CA
- GLAMFA 2007, Cal State Long Beach, Long Beach, CA
- OTIS MFA Thesis Exhibition, Bolsky Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- John Weston and Adam Mars, Bolsky Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 2006 Chain Letter, High Energy Constructs, Los Angeles, CA
- Double Take, Gallery Duo, Los Angeles, CA
- Draw, Paper, Scissors, Domestic Setting, Los Angeles, CA
- 2005 OTIS MFA Mid-Residency Show, Bolsky Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 2004 American Gothic, Gallery C, Los Angeles, CA
- 2003 Undergraduate Exhibition, University Art Museum, Santa Barbara, CA

PUBLIC ART PROJECTS

- 2017 Burning More Bridges than Fire, Museum of Broken Relationships, Hollywood, CA
- 2016 Highly Successful Beach Bum, Wall Mural, Main Street, Venice, CA
- 2016 We've All Seen You Naked (Eight Digital Billboards), LAXART Public Domain Project, Sunset Blvd., West Hollywood, CA
- 2014 I Loved You Then I Googled You (Billboard), LAXART Public Domain Project, La Cienega Blvd., Culver City, CA

SELECTED BIOGRAPHY

- 2017 Durkin, Natalie. "Adam Mars Lets Us Inside His Funhouse for a TripleLA Magazine Acrostic Interview," tribelamagazine.com, July 30.
- 2016 Makrhs, Vaggelhs, "Letter from Los Angeles," Lifo.gr, November 18.
- 2015 "Marina Abramovic's Heaven," The Art of Elysium, Breakaway Press, pg. 18-19.
- Walker, Johnelle, "Gusford Gallery," California Homes Magazine, August 1, 2015, pg. 18.
- 2014 Makrhs, Vaggelhs, "Adam Mars Shares with lifo.gr 20 Slogans about the Digital Era," Lifo.gr, November 20.
- Wilkes, Rob, "Mars Attacks," we-heart.com, November 18.
- Stevens, Anise, "Adam Mars Delivers a Dose of Wry Wit in "Once Upon a Time We Weren't Stalkers,"" lifeinla.com, November 15.
- Chan, Stephanie, "Adam Mars Creates All-Caps Slogan for the Lost MTV Generation,"

C E S

beautifuldecay.com, November 13.

Saccaro, Matt, "9 Simple but Powerful Slogans Sum up the Worst Parts of Modern Culture," mic.com, November 13, 2014.

Samuel, Jamie, "Studio Visit-Adam Mars," artblitzla.com, November 10, 2014.

Nys Dambrot, Shana, "Adam Mars: Once Upon a Time, We Weren't Stalkers," LA Weekly, November 6, 2014. pg. 30.

Tewksbury, Drew, "The Guide," Los Angeles Magazine, November 1, pg. 96.

Tschorn, Adam, "LAXart Gala Servers up Typing, Tattoos, and Smashing Taboos," Los Angeles Times, September 29, IMAGE Section pg.9.

2013 "Armchair Traveler: Statement Piece," Interview Magazine, February 15.

Wagley, Catherine, "5 Artsy Things to Do in LA This Week," LA Weekly, February 13. pg. 34.

Miller, Michael H., "Reviewing Artforum's Advertisements: February 2013," galleristny.com.

2012 "Adam Mars "The New Ex's,"" artfuse.com, March 29.

Keller Konya, Amanda, "Deep Fried Famous Person at the County Fair," chunkandcrumb.com, August 24.

Clay, Joanna, "Art that Ponders Politics," Laguna Beach Coastline Pilot, October 24.