

# MARC SELWYN FINE ART

## EMMET GOWIN

Born 1941 in Danville, VA; Lives and works in Newtown, PA

### EDUCATION

- 1967 MFA, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI  
1965 BA, Richmond Professional Institute, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA

### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2013 *Emmet Gowin: Landscapes Andalucía*, Pace/MacGill Gallery, New York, NY  
*Emmet Gowin*, Fundación Mapfre, Madrid, Spain; traveling to the United States and The Netherlands  
*Emmet Gowin*, Jackson Fine Art, Atlanta, GA
- 2011 *Emmet Gowin*, The List Gallery, Swarthmore College, PA
- 2010 *Beauty is Nothing*, Marc Selwyn Fine Art, Los Angeles, CA
- 2009 *Emmet Gowin: Photographs*, Pace/MacGill, New York, NY  
*Emmet Gowin: A Collective Portrait*, Princeton University Art Museum, Princeton, NJ
- 2006 *Emmet Gowin: Mariposas / Nocturnas / Edith in Panama*, Pace/MacGill, New York, NY
- 2004 *Emmet Gowin Photographs: 1967-2000*, Art Museum, College of Art, Nihon University, Tokyo, Japan  
*Emmet Gowin: Photographs*, University of Virginia Art Museums, The Fralin Museum of Art, Charlottesville, VA
- 2002-2004 *Changing the Earth*, Yale University Art Gallery, New Haven, CT; traveling to the Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C.; Yellowstone Art Museum, Billings, MT; James A. Michener Art Museum, Doylestown, PA; El Paso Museum of Art, El Paso, TX; Fogg Art Museum, Harvard University Art Museums, Cambridge, MA; Henry Art Gallery, Seattle, WA; James A. Michener art Museum, Doylestown, PA; Center for Creative Photography, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ; traveled to Utah Museum of Fine Arts, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT
- 2001 *Emmet Gowin: Photographs*, Mead Art Museum, Amherst, MA 1998 *Photographs*, Pace/Wildenstein/MacGill, New York, NY  
*Aerial Photographs*, The Art Museum, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ
- 1996 *Photographs from the Pew Fellowship: Jerusalem, Kansas and the Nevada Test Site*, Pace/Wildenstein/MacGill, New York, NY
- 1994 *Late 20th Century Landscape Photographs*, Pace/MacGill Gallery, New York, NY
- 1993 *Photographs: 1965-1974* and *Photographs: 1986-1992*, Photo Gallery International, Tokyo, Japan
- 1994 *Emmet Gowin/Photographs*, Espace Photographie Marie de Paris, Paris, France  
*Photographs: Landscape In The Nuclear Age*, organized by the American Center of the American Embassy and the City of Fukuoka; traveled to Osaka, Kyoto, Sapporo, Yokohama and Tokyo, Japan  
*Journey*, Jan Kesner Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 1990 *Emmet Gowin/Photographs: This Vegetable Earth Is But A Shadow*, The Philadelphia Museum of Art, Philadelphia, PA; traveled to the Detroit Museum of Art, Detroit, MI; Minneapolis Institute of Arts, Minneapolis, MN; Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond, VA; The Friends of Photography, San Francisco, CA; The Los Angeles County Museum of Fine Art, Los Angeles, CA; The Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, IL; The Columbus Museum of Art, Columbus, OH
- 1989 *Aerial Landscapes*, Pace/MacGill Gallery, New York, NY
- 1986 *Petra and Mount St Helen's*, Pace/MacGill Gallery, New York, NY
- 1985 *Emmet Gowin*, Chrysler Museum, Norfolk, VA

- 1983 *Emmet Gowin*, The Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington D.C.  
 1982 *Emmet Gowin*, LIGHT Gallery, New York, NY  
 1979 *Emmet Gowin*, LIGHT Gallery, New York, NY  
 1976 *Emmet Gowin*, LIGHT Gallery, New York, NY  
 1974 *Emmet Gowin*, LIGHT Gallery, New York, NY  
 1973 *Emmet Gowin*, The Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington D.C.  
 1972 *Emmet Gowin*, LIGHT Gallery, New York, NY  
 1971 *Emmet Gowin & Robert Adams*, The Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY  
*Emmet Gowin*, The George Eastman House, Rochester, NY  
 1969 *Emmet Gowin*, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL  
 1968 *Emmet Gowin*, The Dayton Art Institute, Dayton, OH

### SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2014 *Multi Panel*, Pace/MacGill Gallery, New York, NY  
 2013 *American Vesuvius: The Aftermath of Mount St. Helens*, with Frank Gohlke, Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, OH  
*Light Sensitive*, Nasher Museum of Art, Durham, NC  
 2012 *Emmet Gowin and His Contemporaries*, Dayton Art Institute, Dayton, OH  
*Gaze, The Changing Face of Portrait Photography*, Istanbul Modern, Istanbul, Turkey  
*Looking Back at Earth*, Hood Museum of Art, Hanover, NH  
*Shared Vision: The Sondra Gilman and Celso Gonzalez-Falla Collection of Photography*, Aperture Gallery, New York, NY  
*Manifest Destiny*, Northlight Gallery, School of Art Herberger Institute for Design and the Arts, Tempe, AZ  
 2011 *American Landscape: Contemporary Photographs of the West*, Joslyn Art Museum, Omaha, NE  
*Masters of American Photography*, Etherton Gallery, Tucson, AZ  
*The Fleeting Glimpse: Selections in Modern and Contemporary Photography from the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts*, Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond, VA  
*Southern Views/Southern Photographers*, University of Virginia Art Museums, Fralin Museum of Art, Charlottesville, VA  
*Cinq Étranges Albums De Famille, le Bal*, Paris, France  
*Nine Visions: Photography with Southern Vision*, Danville Museum of Fine Arts & History, Danville, VA  
 2010 *Common Ground: Eight Philadelphia Photographers in the 1960s and 1970s*, Philadelphia Museum of art, Philadelphia, PA  
*Beyond Sublime*, Joy Pratt Markham Gallery, Walton Arts Center, Fayetteville, AR  
*Selections from a Collection*, Gitterman Gallery, New York, NY  
*Autour de l'extreme*, Maison Européenne de la Photographie, Paris, France  
*Where in the World?*, Pace/MacGill Gallery, New York, NY  
 2009 *A Look at Contemporary Art*, Artsonje Museum, Gyeongju  
*Out of the Box: Photography Portfolios from the Permanent Collection*, DeCordova Sculpture Park and Museum, Lincoln, MA  
*Hide & Seek: Picturing Childhood*, Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art, Kansas City, MO  
*The Private Collection of Fern M. Schad*, Rick Wester Fine Art, New York, NY  
*Remember? Photographs before Digitization*, Picker Art Gallery at Colgate University, Hamilton, NY  
*Emmet and Elijah Gowin*, Griffin Museum of Photography, Winchester, MA  
*Emmet & Elijah Gowin*, Page Bond Gallery, Richmond, VA  
 2008 *Imaging A Shattering Earth: Contemporary Photography And The Environmental Debate*, Canadian Museum of Contemporary Photography, Ottawa, Canada  
*Remembering Dakota*, North Dakota Museum of Art, Grand Forks, ND; traveled to Chazen Museum of Art, Madison, WI

- Presumed Innocence: Photographic Perspectives of Children*, DeCordova Sculpture Park and Museum, Lincoln, MA
- 2007 *Hot + Bothered: Looking at the Landscape/Thinking about the World*, Pace/MacGill Gallery, New York, NY
- To Fly*, Contemporary Aerial Photography, Boston University Art Gallery, BUAG, Boston, MA
- 2006 *Multiple Exposures: Highlights from CSULB Special Collections*, University Art Museum (UAM), Long Beach, CA
- 25th Anniversary Summer Celebration*, Etherton Gallery, Tucson, AZ
- Love Letter Invitational*, Second Street Gallery, Charlottesville, VA
- Imaging A Shattering Earth*, Museum of Contemporary Canadian Art (MoCCA), Toronto, Canada
- 2005 *Epilogue*, Jackson Fine Art, Atlanta, GA *Overhead/Underfoot: The Topographical Perspective in Photography*, Whitney Museum of Art, New York, NY *Made In The Shade*, Pace/MacGill Gallery, New York, NY
- 2004 *In the Center of Things: A Tribute to Harold Jones*, Center for Creative Photography, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ
- The Altered Landscape*, Presentation House Gallery (PHG), North Vancouver, Canada
- 2003 *30 Years: Three Decades of New Art at Second Street Gallery*, Second Street Gallery, Charlottesville, VA
- Flesh Tones, 100 Years of the Nude*, Robert Mann Gallery, New York, NY
- 2002 *Looking at Children, Photographs from the Permanent Collection*, Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, OH
- 2001 *The Model Wife*, Maison Européenne de la Photographie, Paris; traveled to The Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, OH *Human Intervention, Contemporary Landscape Photography*, The Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, OH
- 2000 *The Model Wife*, Museum of Photographic Arts, San Diego, CA
- Watchful Eyes*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1999 *Camera Obscura*, Recontres Internationales de la Photographie, Arles, France *Fotografie in una collezione private*, Museo Cantonale d'Arte Lugano, Lugano, Switzerland *Transmutations*, Bowdoin College Museum of Art, Brunswick, ME
- 1997 *Unmapping the Earth '97*, Gwangju Biennale, Gwangju, Korea 1996 *Photography Masterworks of the Select Foundation – The 70s*, CACT Centro d'Arte Contemporanea Ticino (CACT), Bellinzona, Switzerland
- 1995 *A Child's World*, Candace Dwan Gallery, Katonah, Katonah, NY (closed, 2008)
- Highlights of the Alfred Stieglitz Center Collection of Photographs*, Philadelphia Museum of Art, Philadelphia, PA
- 1981 *The New Color: A Decade of Color Photography*, International Center of Photography, New York, NY
- The 1981 Seattle Arts Commission: Portfolio of Photography*, Henry Art Gallery, Seattle, WA
- Mirrors and Windows*, Fundación Juan March, Madrid, Spain
- 1971 *Photographs: Robert Adams and Emmitt Gowin*, The Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY
- Photographs of Women*, The Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY

## PUBLICATIONS AND EXHIBITION CATALOGUES

- 2013 Gowin, Emmet, Keith F. Davis, et al. *Emmet Gowin*. Madrid, Spain: Fundación Mapfre; New York, NY: Aperture, 2013.
- 2009 Gowin, Emmet. *Emmet Gowin: A Collective Portrait*. Princeton, PA: Princeton University Art Museum, 2009.  
Gowin, Emmet. *Emmet Gowin: Photographs*. Göttingen, Germany: Steidl, 2009.
- 2008 Gowin, Emmet and Elijah Gowin. *Maggie*. Kansas City, MO: Tin Roof Press, 2008.
- 2006 Gowin, Emmet. *Mariposas Nocturnas: Edith in Panama*. New York, NY: Pace/MacGill Gallery, 2006.
- 2005 Baillargeon, Claude, et al. *Imaging a Shattering Earth: Contemporary Photography and the Environmental Debate*. Rochester, MI: Meadow Brook Art Gallery, College of Arts and Sciences, Oakland University, 2005.  
Gowin, Emmet, et al. *Time: Collotype Printing for Fine Art Photography* (limited edition of two collotype prints by eight photographers). Kyoto, Japan: Benrido, Inc., 2005.
- 2002 Reynolds, Jock, Emmet Gowin, et al. *Emmet Gowin: Changing the Earth*. New Haven, CT: Yale University Press, 2002.
- 1998 Gowin, Emmet. *Emmet Gowin: Aerial Photographs*. Princeton, NJ: The Art Museum, Princeton, 1998.
- 1990 *Emmet Gowin Photographs: This Vegetable Earth Is But A Shadow*. Philadelphia, PA: Philadelphia Museum of Art, 1990.
- 1986 Gowin, Emmet. *Petra in the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan*. New York, NY: Pace/MacGill Gallery, 1986.
- 1976 Gowin, Emmet. *Emmet Gowin/Photographs*. New York, NY: Knopf, 1976.

## TEACHING HISTORY

1973 - 2009 Professor of Photography, Princeton University, Visual Arts Program, Princeton, NJ

## SELECTED ARTIST LECTURES

- 2013 "Emmet Gowin: A Life in Photography", Aperture Gallery and Bookstore, New York, NY (December 3rd)  
"American Vesuvius: Emmet Gowin: A Life in Photography", Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, OH (February 2nd)
- 2012 "10 Anniversary Lecture Series: Emmet Gowin," Photo Alliance, San Francisco, CA (September 12th)
- 2005 Maryland Institute, College of Art, Baltimore, MD (October 3rd)  
Northeastern University, Boston, MA (October 17 )

## AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2006 Princeton Behrman Award for Distinguished Achievement in the Humanities
- 1997 President's Award for Distinguished Teaching at Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey
- 1993 Pew Fellowship in the Arts
- 1992 Friends of Photography Peer Award
- 1983 Governor's Award for Excellence in the Arts from the State of Pennsylvania  
Awards in the Visual Arts 2, Southeastern Center for Contemporary Art, Winston-Salem, North Carolina
- 1980 Seattle Arts Commission; one of five photographers to participate in a photographic survey of the

State of Washington, leading to a study of Mount Saint Helens  
1979 National Endowment for the Arts Fellowship  
1977 National Endowment for the Arts Fellowship  
1974 John Simon Guggenheim Foundation, Artist Fellowship

## COLLECTIONS

Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL  
The Art Museum, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ  
Bowdoin College Museum of Art, Brunswick, ME  
Center for Creative Photography, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ  
Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, OH  
Dadum Museum of Contemporary Art, Sedalia, MO  
The High Museum of Art, Atlanta, GA  
The Israel Museum, Jerusalem, Israel  
J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles, CA  
The Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.  
Los Angeles County Museum of Art, Los Angeles, CA  
Maier Museum of Art, Randolph-Macon College, Lynchburg, VA  
Maison Européenne de la Photographie, Paris, France  
The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, NY  
MIT List Visual Arts Center, Cambridge, MA  
Museum for Photographic Arts, San Diego, CA  
Museum of Contemporary Art, Columbia College, Chicago, IL  
The Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY  
National Gallery of Canada, Musée des beaux-arts du Canada, Ottawa, Canada  
Nevada Museum of Art, Reno, NV  
Philadelphia Museum of Art, Philadelphia, PA  
The San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco, CA  
University of Virginia Art Museums, The Fralin Museum of Art Charlottesville, VA  
Virginia Museum, Richmond, VA  
Yale University Art Gallery, New Haven, CT  
CIBA GIGY Corporation, New York, NY  
Hallmark Cards, Inc., Kansas City, MO  
Microsoft Art Collection, Redmond, WA