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Born

April, 1970
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Education

1989-1993 – New York University, BFA

Selected Group Exhibitions and Festivals

2020

Cinedans Festival, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
All Terrain, Spartanburg Art Museum, Spartanburg, South Carolina
Brussels Independent Film Festival, Brussels, Belgium
Cinematica Festival, Ancona, Italy
Flight/Mostra Internazionale del Cinema di Genova, Genova, Italy
Fifth Wall Film Festival, The Philippines
Kuopio Dance Festival, Kuopio, Finland
Festival Internazionale Videoarte, Lucca, Italy
Bucharest International Dance Film Festival, Romania
Festival Constante, Buenos Aires, Argentina
Frame by Frame Film Festival, Houston, Texas
Zinetika Film Festival, Pamplona Municipality, Spain
Dairy Arts Center, Boulder, Colorado (*forthcoming*)

2019

Leeds International Film Festival, Leeds, UK
Zinetika Film Festival, Bilbao, Spain
Pool International Tanz Film Festival Berlin, Germany
No Dead Artists, Jonathan Ferrara Gallery, New Orleans, LA
Venice Film Week, Venice, Italy
Asolo Art Film Festival, Asolo, Italy
La Guarimba International Film Festival, Amantea, Italy
Cityscape 2019, CICA Museum, Gimpo-Si, South Korea
Holding Breath, Aggregate Space Gallery, Oakland, CA
31st Minimalen Short Film Festival, Trondheim, Norway
The Illusion and Reality, Ning Gallery, New York, NY
Nova Prize Exhibition, Fresco Foundation, New York, NY
56th Annual Juried Competition, Masur Museum of Art, Monroe, LA
Blue, Site Brooklyn Galley, Brooklyn, NY
Queens World Film Festival, Museum of the Moving Image, Queens, NY
Third Coast Dance Film Festival, Nevada Museum of Art, Reno, NV

Sydney World Film Festival, Sydney Australia
Harlem International Film Festival, New York, NY
Oxford International Film Festival, Oxford, UK
Brooklyn Film Festival
Art Stands Still, Collar Works, Troy, NY
CURRENTS New Media Festival, El Museo Cultural de Santa Fe, Santa Fe, NM
Malamegi Lab 12, Hernandez Art Gallery, Milan, Italy
FILE 2019, Sesi Gallery of Art, Sao Paulo, Brazil

2018

5th International Meeting on Video Dance, CCCC Museum, Valencia, Spain
International Competition for Intermedia Artwork, Academy of Fine Arts, Krakow, Poland
Breaking 8 International Video Dance Festival, Cagliari, Italy
InShadow Lisbon Screen Dance Festival, Lisbon, Portugal
Videoskin, The Edge Gallery, Whitehorse, Yukon
ArteNonStop Festival, Buenos Aires, Argentina
Mexico City Video Dance Festival, Mexico City, Mexico
PAMA Festival, Paris, France

2017

Salt Water, Symphony Space, New York, NY

2013

Wind and Tree, Theatre 80, New York, NY

2011

Wind and Tree, Symphony Space, New York, NY
Wind and Tree, Tribeca Screening Room, New York, NY

2007

Two One, Makor/Steinhardt Center, 92Y, New York, NY

2004

Come In, Makor/Steinhardt Center, 92Y, New York, NY
Dance on Camera, Dance Films Association, New York, NY

Recognitions and Awards

Nova Prize Exhibition Award, Fresco Foundation, New York, NY
Malamegi Lab 12 Exhibition Award, Milan, Italy
International Competition for Intermedia Artwork Shortlisted Artist, Krakow, Poland
Delete TV Video Art Award Finalist 2019
Best Experimental Film for "Salt Water", Sydney World Film Festival, Sydney, Australia
Best Experimental Film for "Salt Water", Harlem International Film Festival, New York
Best Film Award for "Salt Water", 31st Minimalen Short Film Festival, Trondheim, Norway
Curator's Choice Award for "Salt Water", Jacksonville Dance-Film Festival
Best Editing Award for "Salt Water" ArteNonStop Film Festival, Buenos Aires, Argentina
SXSW Art Program Finalist
Pearl Award for "Salt Water", Tanz International Film Festival, Berlin, Germany

Audience Choice Award for “Salt Water”, Contact Dance International Film Festival, Toronto, ON
Quality Jury Prize 2020, Cinematica Film Festival, Ancona, Italy
Special Mention Award, Flight Mostra Internazionale del Cinema di Genova

Artist Talks

Sphere Festival Featured Artist, 2021
Harlem International Film Festival, 2019
Holding Breath Exhibition, Aggregate Space Gallery, 2019
5th International Meeting on Video Dance Studies, CCCC Museum, 2018
Salt Water, Symphony Space, New York, NY, 2017
Wind and Tree Multi-Screen Installation, Theatre 80, New York, NY, 2013
Wind and Tree, Symphony Space, New York, NY, 2011

Selected Bibliography

- 2017** Callahan, Mary “Abanar presents Abe Abraham’s Salt Water” *Dance Informa* November 17, 2017
Duffy-Robertson, Nicole “Salt Water I and II” *Eye on Dance* November 13, 2017
- 2014** Gold, Mari “Wind and Tree, a three-screen video by Abe Abraham” *New York Arts* August 9, 2014
- 2013** Yaa Asantewaa, Eva “Abe Abraham’s Wind and Tree” *InfiniteBody* October 15, 2013
Schaefer, Brian “Abe Abraham, Wind and Tree” *New York Times* October 10, 2013
- 2011** Jowers, Christine “Impressions of Wind and Tree” *Dance Enthusiast* May 23, 2011