# A.M. BENZ

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### ABOUT A.M. BENZ

A.M. is an emerging artist from Ottawa (Ontario, Canada) working in mixed media. She primarily works with various types of glass, paper, and wire, exploring the play of light while using a limited palette.

### **EXHIBITION WORK**

### **Solo and Two-Person Juried Exhibitions**

Quebec (Canada)

Toronto, Ontario (Canada)

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| 2018                     | Achromatically Inclined, Trinity Art Gallery, Ottawa, Ontario (Canada) Solo exhibition                        |  |
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| 2018                     | Duplexity, AOE Gallery, Ottawa, Ontario (Canada) Two-artist exhibition  |  |
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| Group Juried Exhibitions |   |  |
| 2020                     | 2020 "Re Imagined" Overzealous Fine Art Exhibition, Art Space Connect Gallery, Toronto, Ontario (Canada)      |  |
| 2020                     | mon·o·chrome 2020 Juried Exhibition, Las Laguna Gallery, Laguna Beach, CA (USA)                               |  |
| 2020                     | 2020 Open International Online Juried Exhibition, Society of Canadian Artists (Canada)                        |  |
| 2020                     | 2020 Emerging Artists Juried Exhibition, Ontario Society of Artists, Queen Elizabeth Cultural                 |  |
|                          | Centre, Oakville, Ontario (Canada)  |  |
| 2020                     | Seeing of Sound, Art League Rhode Island, VETS Gallery, Providence, RI (USA)                                  |  |
| 2020                     | Skies International Art Exhibition, Contemporary Art Room Gallery (online), USA                               |  |
| 2019                     | Small Works 2019, Limner Gallery, Hudson, NY (USA)  |  |
| 2019                     | Show Your World, 5th Annual Int'l Exhibition, Gallery MC, New York City, NY (USA)                             |  |
| 2019                     | Small and Smaller, Site:Brooklyn Gallery, Brooklyn, NY (USA)  |  |
| 2019                     | OneZeroOne, Art League Rhode Island, VETS Gallery, Providence, RI (USA)                                       |  |
| 2019                     | 51st Intl Open Juried Exhibition of Society of Canadian Artists, Papermill Gallery, Toronto, Ontario (Canada) |  |
| 2019                     | Internationale d'art miniature 10th Edition, Centre d'exposition Louise-Carrier, Vieux-Lévis,                 |  |

146th Open Juried Exhibition of Fine Arts Ontario Society of Artists, John B. Aird Gallery,

2019 International Open ONLINE Exhibition, Society of Canadian Artists, Alberta (Canada)

Everything Glass, Da Artisti Gallery, Ottawa, Ontario (Canada)

Small Works 2019, The Shirt Factory Gallery, Glens Falls, NY (USA)

Fragmented Abstract Art, Linus Gallery, Signal Hill, California (USA)

| 2018 | Great BIG Smalls XIV, Cube Gallery, Ottawa, Ontario (Canada)  |
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| 2018 | Canadian Annual Mosaic Exhibition, Gallerie ERGA, Montreal, Quebec (Canada)   |
| 2018 | Pop Up Gallery Exhibition, AOE Arts Council, Ottawa, Ontario (Canada)   |
| 2018 | 2nd Annual Colors Exhibition. Fusion Art Gallery, Palm Springs, California  |
| 2017 | Canadian Annual Mosaic Exhibition, Flagship Gallery, Hamilton, Ontario (Canada)                                       |
| 2017 | Small Works Art Competition, Main Street Arts Gallery, Clifton Springs, New York (USA)                                |
| 2017 | Remixed, Ottawa, Ontario (Canada)   |
| 2017 | Black & White Art Competition, International Gallery of the Arts, Toronto, Ontario (Canada) Award : Honorable Mention |
| 2017 | Geometric Art Competition, AntoNova Gallery, Jacksonville, Florida (USA)  |
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### **PUBLICATIONS**

### **SELECTED AWARDS AND HONORS**

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Award, Seeing of Sound, Art League Rhode Island 2020

Honorable Mention Award, Skies International Art Exhibition, Contemporary Art Room Gallery, 2020

Articipate Grant Recipient, AOE Arts Council, 2018

Honorable Mention Award, Black & White Art Competition, International Gallery of the Arts, 2017

### **EDUCATION**

Studied mosaics, mixed media and sculpture in Italy, USA and Canada under: Luciana Notturni, Antonella Gallenda, Sherri Warner Hunter, Gary Drostle, Marcello de Melo.

### **TEACHING**

| 2017 | Instructor Assistant to arts professor Sherri Warner Hunter. Class: Concrete Sculpture |
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|      | Arrowmont School of Arts in Gatlinburg, Tennessee (USA)                                |

## **COLLECTIONS**

Works held in private collections throughout Canada and the United States.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Minimalism" MURZE magazine Issue #9, January / February 2020, page 25, mixed-media

<sup>&</sup>quot;White" ArtAscent magazine Issue #38, August 2019, page 28, mixed-media

<sup>&</sup>quot;Political" MURZE magazine Issue #4, January / February 2019, page 26, mixed-media