

Education

2008, BFA from the Ontario College of Art and Design University, Toronto, Canada

Solo Exhibitions

2027, "Building Sites" (*Forthcoming*), United Contemporary, Toronto
2025, "Little Things", United Contemporary, Toronto, Canada (Curator Rebecca Travis)
2023, "Twin Tunnels", United Contemporary, Toronto, Canada (Curator Melanie Trojkovic)
2022, "Turning of Day", United Contemporary, Toronto, Canada (Curator Melanie Trojkovic)
2021, "Architecture of Music", United Contemporary, Toronto, (Curator Burke Paterson)
2020, "Counterpoint", United Contemporary, Toronto, Canada (Curator Burke Paterson)
2019, "Three Motifs", Montgomery's Inn Museum, Toronto, (Curator Lauren McCullum)
2019, "Still Lives of Architecture", United Contemporary, Toronto, (Curator Burke Paterson)
2018, "Architecture of Music: Selected Prints" S. Walter Stewart Library, Toronto, Canada
2017, "Recent Prints", Silence, Guelph, Canada (Curator Martha Nandorfy)
2016, "Landscapes", Pilot Projects, Toronto, Canada (Curator Stevenson Conover)
2015, "Portraits", Pilot Projects, Toronto, Canada (Curator Stevenson Conover)
2010, "Sometime", O'Connor Gallery, Toronto, Canada (Curator Geoffrey Person)
2009, "Buddy Bolden Blues", Drabinsky Gallery, Toronto, Canada (Curator Tek Yang)

Two Person Exhibitions

2025, Meet Me By The Fallen Down Tree, United Contemporary, Toronto, (Rebecca Travis)
2021, "The Value of Weather" United Contemporary, Toronto (Curator Burke Paterson)
2013, "Berg/Beamish", P.U.P. Contemporary, Toronto (Curator Tek Yang)

Group Exhibitions

2026, "Stefan Berg, Huy Lam, Gordon Shadrach", The University Club of Toronto, Curated by Katlin Rogers
2025, "The Paper Show", United Contemporary, Toronto, Canada (curator Melanie Trojkovic)
2024, "Opening Exhibition, New Location" United Contemporary, Toronto, Canada
2024, "Ready For Hearth" United Contemporary, Toronto, Canada (curator Melanie Trojkovic)
2022, "Inside Looking Out", United Contemporary, Toronto (Curator Melanie Trojkovic)
2021, "Gallery Weekend", United Contemporary, Toronto (Curator Melanie Trojkovic)
2021, "Curbside Pickup", United Contemporary, Toronto, Canada (Curator Burke Paterson)
2020, "The Auto Show", United Contemporary, Toronto, Canada (Curator Burke Paterson)
2019, "The Space Between", United Contemporary, Toronto (Curator Burke Paterson)
2019, "Haugesund International Print Festival" Haugesund Museum of Fine Art, Norway
2018, "Get Noticed" RedHead Gallery, Toronto, (Curators Niki Dracos and Jamie Angel)
2016, "Wordless", Billy Ireland Museum, Ohio, USA (Curator Caitlin A. McGurk)
2016, "Work on Paper", Project Gallery, Toronto, Canada (Curator Devan Patel)
2015, "Pulp: Paper Art Party" Jam Factory Arts, Toronto, Canada (Curator Rotem Yaniv)
2014, "Anniversary Exhibition" RKG, Toronto, Canada (Curator Robert Kananaj)
2013, "Canadian Landscape", Orillia Museum, Orillia, Canada (Curator Matt Macintosh)
2012, "Toronto Main Street" Warehouse Exhibition, Toronto, Canada (Curator Stefan Berg)
2012, "The Black Frame" The Arts and Letters Club, Toronto, Canada
2011, "The Wordless Graphic Novel", AVA Gallery, NH, USA (Curator David Berona)
2010, "Graphic Novels in the Purest Sense" Edwards Art Gallery, NH, USA (David Berona)
2009, "Christmas Exhibition" Drabinsky Gallery, Toronto, Canada (Curator Linda Book)
2009, "Contemporary Works On Paper" Lennox Contemporary, Toronto (Curator J. Petcoff)

2009, "Portraits and Figurative Works", O'Connor Gallery, Toronto (Curator Stefan Berg)

Art Fairs

2025, 2023, 2021 "Plural" with United Contemporary, Montreal

2024, 2023, 2022, 2021, 2020, 2019 "Art Toronto" with United Contemporary, Toronto

Art Auctions

2026, 2024, 2023, 2022, 2021 "Art With Heart", Casey House, Toronto

2025, "Ignite" Art Auction, Elore Arts Centre, Elore ON, (Curator Renann Isaacs)

2023 & 2022, "Art Effect" Vibe Arts, Broadview Hotel, Toronto (Curator Kyle Matuzewski)

2022, "Art Auction For Old Growth" on line, Canada (Curator Kyle Scheurmann)

2019, "Art Gems" The Berkeley Church, Toronto (Curator Josette Lamoureux)

Residencies

2020, Vermont Studio Centre, Johnson, VT, USA (1 month)

2013, Self-directed Residency, Roubaix, France (3 months)

2008, Self-directed Residency, Berlin, Germany (3 months)

Grants & Awards

2026, Elizabeth Greenshields Foundation Grant

2025, 2019, Professional Development Grant, Ontario Arts Council

2025, 2013, 2010 Artist Grant, Toronto Arts Council

2025, 2020, 2018, Exhibition Assistance Grant, Ontario Arts Council

2024, Chalmers Fellowship, Chalmers Family Fund & Ontario Arts Council

2022, 2020, 2016, 2013, 2009 Visual Artist Grant, Ontario Arts Council

2020, Vermont Studio Centre Artist Award

2019, Research and Creation Grant, Canadian Council for the Arts

2019 & 2018 Recommenders Grant to Writers, Ontario Arts Council

2018, Professional Development Grant, Canadian Council for the Arts

2018 & 2015 Marian Hebb Research Grant, Access Copyright Foundation

2017, Literary Grant, Toronto Arts Council

2008, The Eric Freifeld Award, Ontario College of Art and Design

2008, Writers Reserve, Ontario Arts Council Grant

2008, Best Canadian Graphic Novel, Foreword Magazine, (Shortlisted)

2006, Solomon Painting Award, Ontario College of Art and Design

2006 & 2005 Proficiency in Printmaking Award, Ontario College of Art and Design

2003, Laura Culbert Award, Rosedale Heights, A School For The Arts

Publishing History

2020, "Architecture Of Music", Toronto ON. By Stefan Berg (Artist Book)

2012, "Echolocation", Coach House Printing, Toronto ON. By Phoebe Wang (Arts Journal)

2012, "BoomBoomBoom", Risograph Printing, Toronto ON. Marta Chudolinska (Small Press)

2010, "Sometime", Maxx Fog Press, Toronto ON. By Stefan Berg (Exhibition Catalogue)

2008, "Buddy Bolden's Last Parade" Porcupine's Quill, Erin ON. Stefan Berg (Graphic Novel)

Critical Reviews

2025, "Three Takes on The Land: Berg, Beamish, Walmsley", The Toronto Arts Report, Rebecca Love, Toronto, (November 2025)

2025, "Little Things Celebrates Beauty in Unexpected Places" The Toronto Arts Report, Rebecca Love, Toronto, (March 2025)

2025, "Taking The Scenic Route With Stefan Berg" Opaloma, Odessa Paloma Parker, Toronto, (March 2025)

2024, Beamish, Berg and Bahen: A New Energy In The World Of Canadian Landscape Painting, The Toronto Arts Report, Rebecca Love, Toronto, (Feature, March 2024)

2021, A Gouldian Perspective: Presenting Architecture of Music, The Glenn Gould Foundation, Toronto (Book Review)

2020, "Stefan Berg: Counterpoint at United Contemporary", Artoronto, Mikael Sandblom, Toronto (Exhibition Review)

2019, "Haugalandmuseet-Haugesund Billedgalleri HIT-Exhibition" Stavanger Aftenblad, Trond Borgen, Norway (Exhibition Review May 23)

2019, "Still Lives of Architecture is a Love Letter to Toronto", Toronto Guardian, Sonya Davidson, Toronto (Mar. 4)

2019, "Berg's Art Combines Love of Nature and Architecture", Beach Metro News, Kasy Pertab, Toronto

2018, "Stefan Berg: Contemporary Simplicity in Oil Painting", Minus 37, Kate Smith, Sydney Australia (Retrospective Nov 17)

2018, "Stefan Berg Paints Canada's Contemporary Urban Landscape" Ignant, Rosie Flanagan, Berlin Germany (Retrospective Oct. 12)

2018, "Visions of Main Square" Beach Metro News, Josh Sherman, Toronto (Feature)

2016, "Jet-fueled Calm at Exhibition Opening" Telegram Journal, Tom Smart, St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador, Canada (Exhibition Review)

2016, "Pure Gould" Beach Metro News, Anna Killen, Toronto (Exhibition Review)

2015, "Wordless Novelists in Toronto" The Baltimore Museum of Art, Scott Ponemone, Baltimore USA

2011, "Fine Print" Uppercase Magazine, Calgary Alberta. Nikki Sheppy. (Book Review)

2011, "Woodcuts Tell The Story" Art New England, Boston USA. Steve Starger. (Exhibition Review)

2010, "The Exhibitionist" Globe and Mail, R.M. Vaughan, Toronto (Exhibition Review)

2009, "Last March down Canal Street" Toronto Star, Dan Smith, Toronto (Book Review)

Artist Talks and Interviews

2025, Berg/Beamish/Walmsley Moderated by Katlin Rogers, United Contemporary, Nov 13th

2021, Interview with Stefan Berg, D Major, Como Island, Italy (Sep. 25)

2021, "Visual Poet, National Treasure", The Toronto Arts Report, Toronto, Canada (July 7)

2020, "Stefan Berg: Architecture of Music" Scott Ponemone, Baltimore USA (Dec. 20)

2020, "The Glenn Gould Guide To Social Distancing" Glenn Gould Foundation, (Aug.4)

2018, "Artist Spotlight: Stefan Berg" Booooooom, Canada (Oct. 2)

2012 "Guest Speaker" Arts and Letters Club, Toronto, Canada (Dec. 3)

2010 "The Wordless Graphic Novel" OCAD-U, Toronto, Canada (Oct. 20)

2010, "Benmergui in the Morning" JazzFM91.1., Ralph Benmergui, Toronto, Canada (Dec. 2)

Professional Experience

2025, Juror for the Toronto Arts Council Creative Panel.

2020, Curator for the exhibition "Tracking North", United Contemporary, Toronto, Canada

2019, Guest Speaker, Second Year Painting Critique, OCAD-U, Toronto, Canada (Mar. 7)

2018, Guest Speaker, Fourth Year Painting Critique, OCAD-U, Toronto, Canada (Oct. 17)
2017, City of Toronto Street Art Project, Toronto, Canada (Mural)
2016, Advisory Board for the Faculty of Fine Art, OCAD-U, Toronto, Canada
2016, Curator for the exhibition "This Is What It Sounds Like", Jet Fuel, Toronto, Canada
2015, Director of Life Drawing & Live Music, Jam Factory Arts, Toronto, Canada
2012, Juror for the exhibition "The Black Frame" The Arts and Letters Club, Toronto, Canada
2012, Curator for the exhibition "Toronto Main Street: 35 Contemporary Painters", Toronto,
2009, Curator for the exhibition "Portraits and Figurative Works", O'Connor Gallery, Toronto,
2008, Book Launch, David Mirvish Books, Toronto, Canada

Collections

The City of Toronto, Canada
ERA Architects, Toronto, Canada
Altius Design Studio Inc., Toronto, Canada
Macbrien Cuper Isnard, Brussels, Belgium
Brown and Storey Architects, Toronto, Canada
Osgoode Hall, Law Society of Upper Canada, Toronto, Canada
Private Collections in the UK, USA, Canada, France and Germany