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Finnegan Shannon

Born in 1989, lives and works in New York, USA
2011 Bachelor, Studio Art, Carleton College, Northfield, MN

Solo and Two Person Exhibitions (Selection)

- 2024 *Towards a Warm Embrace*, Perlman Teaching Museum, Carleton College, Northfield, MN
2023 *Don't mind if I do*, moCa Cleveland, Cleveland, OH
Mentally I'm Here, CAFKA, Ontario, Canada
2022 *Slower*, Deborah Schamoni, Munich, Germany
Hello from my bedside table, Kunsthalle Osnabrück, Osnabrück, Germany
2020 *Lone Proponent of Wall-to-Wall Carpet*, Carleton University Art Gallery, Ottawa, Canada
Here to Lounge, Nook Gallery, Oakland, CA
2019 *Alt-Text as Poetry*, in collaboration with Bojana Coklyat, developed at Eyebeam
Anti-Stairs Club Lounge, Vessel at Hudson Yards, New York, NY
2017 *Self-portrait*, The Invisible Dog Art Center, Brooklyn, NY
Anti-Stairs Club Lounge, Wassaic Project, Wassaic, NY

Group exhibitions (Selection)

- 2025 Victoria and Albert Museum, London, Great Britain (upcoming)
The Shakers: A World in the Making, Vitra Design Museum, Weil/Rhein, Germany (upcoming)
Black Church Print Studio presents: Out of Time, The Library Project, Dublin, IR (upcoming)
Patterns in Space: Building on Dana, Dalton Gallery, Decatur, GA (upcoming)
Healing: art & therapy, La Trobe University, Melbourne, Australia (upcoming)
- 2024 *SPRINT*, Spazio Maiocchi, Milan, IT
Yucky, Adelaide Contemporary Experimental, Australia
Asynchronous Singing, ARKO Art Center, Seoul, South Korea
Interactions 2024, Bundeskunsthalle, Bonn, Germany
the cook is burned out, but the food is great, das weisse haus, Vienna, Austria
Design for All? Diversity as the Norm, Museum für Gestaltung Zürich, Switzerland
The Myth of Normal: Chronic Contradictions, Salzburger Kunstverein, Austria
The Myth of Normal. Of Competing and Conceding, Kunstverein Hannover, Germany
LA PISTA 500, Pinacoteca Agnelli, Turin, Italy
A Model, MUDAM, Luxembourg
Where I Learned to Look: Art from the Yard, Institute of Contemporary Art, Philadelphia, PA
Smoke & Mirrors, Zimmerli Art Museum, New Brunswick, NJ (upcoming)
*Crip**, Weatherspoon Art Museum, Greensboro, NC (upcoming)
- 2023 *The Backend*, George Segal Gallery, Montclair State University, Montclair NJ
Resistance and Respiration, Calgary Contemporary, Calgary, Canada
The space between us, Van Abbemuseum, Eindhoven, The Netherlands
Interactions, Bundeskunsthalle, Bonn, Germany
In New York, Thinking of You, FLAG Art Foundation, New York, NY
Sick, Škuc Gallery, Ljubljana, Slovenia
Biennale für Freiburg, Freiburg, Germany

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- Stay with Me*, CAFKA Biennial, Ontario, Canada
Like a Good Armchair, Allen Memorial Art Museum, Oberlin, OH
Alt Text Selfies, in collaboration with Bojana Coklyat and Olivia Dreisinger, funded by Canada Council (ongoing)
- 2022 *Crip Ritual*, Doris McCarthy Gallery, University of Toronto Scarborough, Scarborough, Canada
*Crip**, Gallery 400, University of Illinois, Chicago, IL
Raw, Rembrandt House Museum, Amsterdam, Netherlands
Jonathan González: The Smallest Unit Is Each Other, BRIC, Brooklyn, NY
unfinished: New Prints 2022/Winter, ICPNY, New York, NY
PURE JOY, 1969 Gallery, New York, NY
- 2021 *Crip Time*, Museum für Moderne Kunst, Frankfurt, Germany
This Way, MIT List Visual Arts Center, Cambridge, MA
Activating Captions, ARGOS, Brussels, Belgium
All That You Touch, You Change, Helmhaus, Zurich, Switzerland
*Crip**, Krannert Art Museum, Champaign, IL
For Modern Resting, Marta, Los Angeles, CA
- 2020 *Citizenship: A Practice of Society*, Museum of Contemporary Art Denver, Denver CO
Rights of Way, Onomatopoe Projects, Eindhoven, Netherlands
An Alarming Specificity, Cantor Fitzgerald Gallery, Haverford College, Haverford, PA
Rest is Power, Manetti Shrem Museum, University of California Davis, Davis, CA
Vote Your Future, Times Square, NY
Silk Flowers, Contemporary Art Galleries, University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT
Catalyst, Gracie Mansion Conservancy, New York, NY
- 2019 *Sign Project: Access and Accessibility Stories*, High Line, New York, NY
Disarming Language, Tallinn Art Hall, Tallinn, Estonia
A seat at the table, a slice of the pie, collaboration with Aislinn Thomas, Banff Centre, Alberta, Canada
Talk Back, Flux Factory, Queens, NY
Crip Imponderabilia, NYU Galletin, New York, NY
Seven Years of SFPC, Westbeth Gallery, New York, NY
- 2018 *Locus: Art as a Disabled Space*, The 8th Floor, New York, NY
Means of Egress, Dedalus Foundation, Brooklyn, NY
- 2017 *Wynn Newhouse Awards*, The Palitz Gallery, New York, NY

Residencies / Talks / Projects

- 2024 2024 Disability Futures Fellowship by the Ford and Mellon Foundations, administered by United States Artists
- 2023 Tatlock Fellow in Multidisciplinary Studies, Vassar College
moCa Cleveland, Cleveland, OH
Pioneer Works, Brooklyn, NY
Hermitage, Englewood, FL
- 2021 Silver Art Projects, New York, NY
CultureHub, New York, NY
European Media Arts Festival, BEING Studio, Otis College of Art and Design, NYU Center for Disability Studies, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, Canadian Heritage Department
- 2020 Surf Point Foundation, York, ME
Beam Center, Governors Island, NY

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Teen Programs, Museum of Contemporary Art Denver, Denver, CO
Leslie Lohman Museum, Critical Distance Centre for Curators, Southland Institute, California
College of the Arts, Common Field Convening, Temple University, Rutgers University,
Museum Educators of Southern California, NIAD Art Center, Bard College

- 2019 Eyebeam, New York, NY
Art + Disability Residency, Art Beyond Sight, New York, NY
Refiguring the Future, Berkeley Art Museum and Pacific Film Archive, University of
Cincinnati, Data + Society, Andrew Heiskell Braille and Talking Book Library, Carleton
University, Vassar College, Laundromat Project, Triangle Arts, Purchase College
- 2018 Brooklyn Museum, School for Poetic Computation
- 2012 The Wassaic Project, Wassaic, NY

Press

- 2024 It's Nice That, August 2024, *Finnegan Shannon's provocative work
champions art world access for disabled*
Art Magazine, January 2024, *Kunst für eine bessere Welt*
- 2023 Art in America, November 2023, *Finnegan Shannon's Exhibition on a Conveyor
Belt Alleviates Museum Fatigue*
Getting to Know, Museum of Contemporary Art Cleveland, USA
- 2022 Art in America, October 2022, *Our Work is Working*
New York Times, February 2022, *The Hidden Image Descriptions Making the Internet
Accessible*
Chicago Tribune, January 2022, *Top 10 for Visual Art in Chicago*
Art Agenda, January 2022, "*Crip Time*"
- 2021 BOMB, August 2021, *Cross-Disability Solidarity: Finnegan Shannon and Bojana Coklyat
Interviewed*
The Believer, December 2021, *Bojana Coklyat in Conversation with Finnegan Shannon*
The Brooklyn Rail, December 2021, *20 Best Art Books of 2021*
Reid My Mind Podcast, October 2021, *Flipping the Script on Audio Description*
JSTOR Daily, October 2021, *How to Hear Images and See Sounds*
Art Review, December 2021, *What is 'Crip Time'?*
Art Monthly, December 2021, *Crip Time*
Disability Arts Online, October 2021, *Experiences in CRIP TIME*
- 2020 Frieze, October 2020, *'Citizenship: A Practice of Society' Reminds Us that Voting Is Not
Enough*
Art in America, February 2020, *How Museums are Making Artwork Accessible to Blind People
Online*
Esse Art + Opinions, Fall 2020, *Finnegan Shannon and the Demand for Disabled Futures*
Contra* Podcast, February 2020, *Stairs with Finnegan Shannon*
Disability Visibility Podcast, January 2020, *Episode 68: Accessibility*
- 2019 Art in America, December 2019, *Access and Public Space*
New York Times, May 2019, *What to See Right Now*
Out Magazine, May 2019, *The Queer Creative Class*
C Magazine, March 2019, *A Completely Customized World: The Work of Finnegan Shannon*
Hyperallergic.com, June 2019, *Inside the Studios of Four Artists at the Eyebeam Residency
Program*

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Museum and Public Collections (Selection)

Allen Memorial Art Museum, Oberlin
Carleton University Art Gallery, Ottawa
Kunsthau Graz, Austria
Mudam Musée d'Art Moderne, Luxembourg
Museum MMK für Moderne Kunst, Frankfurt am Main, Germany
Museum of Fine Arts Boston, Massachusetts

Fellowships / Awards /Grants (Selection)

The 2025 USA Fellowship, United States Artists, 2025
The Working Arts Fellowship, 2025
Disability Futures Fellowship, 2024
Art Matters Foundation, 2020
Eyebeam fellowship, 2018
Wynn Newhouse Award, 2017