

**JAMIE STERLING PITT**

B.1977 WARWICK, NEW YORK

LIVES AND WORKS IN HOUSTON, TX & SANTA FE, NM

**Education**

BFA, University of New Mexico

MFA, Mills College, Oakland, CA

**Solo Exhibitions**

- 2024 *Decoder (Lost Sculpture and a Few Ideas)*, Seven Sisters, Houston, TX
- 2023 *Ways*, Ratio 3, San Francisco, CA  
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Santa Fe, NM
- 2021 *The Garden*, Eli Ridgway Gallery, Bozeman, MT
- 2020 *A Punching Bag and An Ocean*, 5. Gallery, Santa Fe, NM
- 2017 *Forms on Forms*, Ratio 3, San Francisco, CA  
*Points West*, Et al., San Francisco, CA  
*Points East*, Steven Zevitas Gallery, Boston, MA
- 2016 *Points.*, College of Marin, Fine Arts Gallery, Kentfield, CA
- 2014 *Hello Green Cosmos*, Gallery Paule Anglim, San Francisco, CA  
*The University Galleries*, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX
- 2013 *The White Peacock Sings*, Steven Zevitas Gallery, Boston, MA
- 2012 *On a Clear Day We Were Lightning*, Eli Ridgway, San Francisco, CA
- 2011 Romer Young Gallery in Berlin, w/ Kirk Stoller, Galerie Axel Obiger, Berlin,  
Germany
- 2010 *it goes as it grows*, Romer Young Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
*The Sea All Around Us*, w/ Sean McFarland, Sight School, Oakland, CA  
Project Room, Richard Levy Gallery, Albuquerque, NM
- 2009 *The On and On*, ATA, San Francisco, CA
- 2000 *LiftnoLimbo*, John Sommers Gallery, Univ. of NM, Albuquerque, NM

**Selected Group Exhibitions**

- 2025 *In Residence: 18<sup>th</sup> Edition*, Houston Center for Contemporary Craft, Houston, TX
- 2025 *Chasing Light*, Houston Endowment, Houston, TX
- 2024 *Watery Domestic*, Basket Books and Art, Houston, TX

# SEVEN SISTERS

*100 Hooks*, Blunk Space, Point Reyes Station, CA  
*Ceramics: Two Cities*, Blunk Space, Point Reyes Station, CA

- 2023 *JSP JBB: James Sterling Pitt & JB Blunk*, Blunk Space, Point Reyes Station, CA
- 2022 *Salutary Sculpture*, Laumeier Sculpture Park, Saint Louis, MO  
*Sensate Objects*, Schneider Museum of Art, Ashland, OR
- 2021 *Sea Change*, Ratio3, San Francisco, CA  
*Christine Heindl, Sherry Markovitz, and James Sterling Pitt*, Eli Ridgway Gallery, Bozeman, MT
- 2020 *Inaugural Exhibition*, Eli Ridgway Gallery, Bozeman, MT  
*Over/Under*, Marta, Los Angeles, CA
- 2019 *New Material*, Ratio3, San Francisco, CA
- 2018 *Additive Measures*, Slide Space 123, Mills College, Oakland, CA  
*Marin Collects*, College of Marin, Kentfield, CA
- 2017 *Way Bay*, Berkeley Art Museum, Berkeley, CA
- 2015 *Off the Charts*, 516 Arts, Albuquerque, NM  
*The Brain*, Sun Valley Art Center, Sun Valley, ID  
*Retrospective*, Gallery Paule Anglim, San Francisco, CA
- 2014 *Color Shift*, Berkeley Art Museum, Berkeley, CA
- 2013 *Introductions*, Philip Slein Gallery, St. Louis, MO  
*Object Oriented* (with Reuben Lorch-Miller, Roza Janiszewska), Royal NoneSuch Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
*Group Show*, Eli Ridgway, San Francisco, CA
- 2012 *Contemporary Watercolor*, curated by Veronica Roberts, Morgan Lehman Gallery, New York, NY
- 2011 *Living Room*, curated by Vanessa Blaikie and Joey Piziali, Parklife, San Francisco, CA  
*Stacked/Multiplied*, curated by Devon Bella and Katie Hood Morgan, Adobe Books Backroom Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- 2010 *Front + Center*, curated by Vanessa Blaikie, Joey Piziali and Jessica Brier, Headlands Center for the Arts, Sausalito, CA  
*PAPER!AWESOME!*, curated by Brion Nuda Rosch, Baer Ridgway Exhibitions, San Francisco, CA  
*Hyperspaces*, curated by David Kasprzak, Parklife, San Francisco, CA

## Select Bibliography

- 2025 Sims, Shannon. "The Garage Is the New Porch" *New York Times*. Oct. 2025.
- 2024 Martin, Elliot Zooey. "Critic's Pick", *ARTFORUM*. May. 3, 2024.
- 2015 Smith, Claude. "James Sterling Pitt: The Ritual of Remembering" *New American Paintings*. Sep. 2015.

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- 2014** Baker, Kenneth. "Pitt at Anglim" *San Francisco Chronicle*. Feb. 2014.  
Quinton, Luke. "Artists Laurie Frick and James Sterling Pitt map the brain in joint exhibit" *Austin American Statesman*. Feb. 2014.
- 2013** Allen, Gwen. "James Sterling Pitt", *ARTFORUM*. Feb. 2013.  
McQuaid, Kate. "Low Key Charm", *Boston Globe*. Nov. 2013.
- 2012** Baker, Kenneth. "In Among the Pitts" *San Francisco Chronicle*. Nov. 2012.  
Turner, Chérie Louise. "Nov 2012 Artist Profile, James Sterling Pitt" *art ltd.* Nov. 2012.  
"James Sterling Pitt" New American Paintings, *Pacific Coast*, Issue #103. Dec. 2012.
- 2010** Chun, Kimberly. "James Sterling Pitt: Ping Pong Gallery Solo Show" *San Francisco Chronicle*. Oct. 2010.  
Scholtz, Zachary Royer. "Front + Center: Weather Streams" *Art Practical*. Jan. 2010.

## Awards and Residencies

- 2025** Houston Endowment, 2025 Jones Artist Awards Program, Houston, TX
- 2024** Houston Center for Contemporary Craft; September-February, Houston, TX
- 2014** Kala Art Institute; Artist Fellowship, Berkeley, CA
- 2010** Djerassi Artist in Residence; Winter Residency, Woodside, CA
- 2008** Djerassi Artist in Residence; Winter Residency, Woodside, CA
- 2006** Djerassi Artist Fellowship, Woodside, CA  
Djerassi Artist in Residence; April-May, Woodside, CA
- 2002** Tretethen Merit Award, Mills College, Oakland, CA
- 2000** Vera Nolan Award, Univ. Of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM

## Public Collections

Berkeley Art Museum and Pacific Film Archive, Berkeley, CA  
BioMarin Pharmaceutical, CA  
Blanton Museum of Art, Austin, TX  
The Cleveland Clinic Collection, Cleveland, OH  
Progressive Collection  
San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, SF, CA