# **BEN STREET**

streetben@gmail.com | www.benstreet.co.uk

PhD, Art History, University of East Anglia (expected 2023) Fellow, Higher Education Academy (2019) MA in English Literature and Art History, University of Edinburgh (2001)

## LECTURER / EDUCATOR

Lecturer/Tutor Christie's Education London 2018 - 2021

- Lecturer and tutor in art history and art theory for MSc Art, Law & Business and online courses and leader of study trips abroad

Lecturer Sotheby's Institute of Art London 2014 – 2017

adjunct lecturer on contemporary art for evening courses and lead lecturer on study visits abroad; visiting lecturer on MA programmes

Lecturer/Educator Dulwich Picture Gallery London 2012 -

- lecturer for in-depth study days and multi-part art history courses, educator for undergraduate fine art groups, and storyteller for primary school groups

Lecturer Tate London 2012 -

- lecturer for one-off lectures on current exhibitions

Teacher Westminster School London 2007 – 2011

- teacher of A level and Pre-U Art History and leader of school trips abroad

Educator/Lecturer The National Gallery London 2006 - 2018

 educator for school and family groups, mentor for weeklong teacher training courses, author of educational material for teachers, educator for workshops for the visually impaired, lecturer for in-depth study days, multi-part courses and one-off lectures and talks

Teacher Collingham Sixth Form London 2006 – 2008

- teacher of A level Art History and leader of school trips abroad

Educator The Museum of Modern Art New York 2005 - 2006

 educator for school and family programmes and course leader for long-term courses with NYC public schools

Educator The Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum New York 2005 – 2006

educator for school and family programmes

# AUTHOR

#### Books (sole author)

2021 How to be an Art Rebel Thames and Hudson
2020 200 Words to Help You Talk about Art Laurence King
2018 Art Unfolded: A History of Art in Four Colours Ilex Press
2014 New Order II exhibition catalogue, The Saatchi Gallery
2013 Paper exhibition catalogue, The Saatchi Gallery
2013 Body Language exhibition catalogue, The Saatchi Gallery
2013 New Order exhibition catalogue, The Saatchi Gallery

#### Contributing author: books

2021 essay for Henry Ward: Shed Paintings Hato Press, London 2020 essay for Freelands Foundation Painting Prize Freelands Foundation, London 2020 essay for Alexis Harding: Skin Deep Museo d'Arte Contemporanea, Lissone 2018 essay for Christopher Le Brun Lisson Gallery, London 2018 essay for If I Was Your Girlfriend: A Jam Belmacz Gallery, London 2018 essays for The Shape of Time Kunsthistorisches Museum, Vienna 2018 essays for Flying too Close to the Sun Phaidon 2018 essay for Morten Skrøder Lund Belmacz Gallery, London 2017 essay for Paul Housley Belmacz Gallery, London 2015 essay for Benjamin Senior: Breathless Anomie Publishing 2015 illustrated chronology for Joseph Cornell: Wanderlust Royal Academy, London 2015 essays for Body of Art Phaidon 2013 essay for Gunnel Wåhlstrand Art and Theory, Stockholm 2013 illustrated chronology for Lucian Freud Prestel 2012 essay for Napoleone Collection Collectorspace, Istanbul 2012 essay for Eithne Jordan MAC, Belfast 2011 essay for Jan Fabre: The Years of the Hour Blue Brandstätter Verlag, Vienna 2009 essay for Marcin Cienski Geukens and deVil, Antwerp

#### Author: exhibition guides and audio tours

2018 Charles I: King and Collector audio tour, Royal Academy / Antenna

2017 America after the Fall Exhibition in Focus guide, Royal Academy

- 2017 Michelangelo and Sebastiano audio tour, The National Gallery / Antenna
- 2016 *Abstract Expressionism* Exhibition in Focus guide, Royal Academy

2016 Abstract Expressionism audio tour, Royal Academy / Antenna

2016 In the Age of Giorgione audio tour, Royal Academy / Antenna

2015 Richard Diebenkorn Exhibition in Focus guide, Royal Academy

2015 Richard Diebenkorn audio tour, Royal Academy / Antenna

2014 Giovanni Battista Moroni audio tour, Royal Academy / Antenna

2014 Kazimir Malevich audio tour, Tate / Antenna

2014 Louise Bourgeois: Works on Paper audio tour, Tate / Antenna

Contributing author (reviews and features)

2018 – ongoing Times Literary Supplement

2016 - ongoing Art Quarterly magazine

2014 - ongoing Apollo magazine

2011 – ongoing Art Review magazine 2010 – 2014 Art:21 magazine (online)

#### 5 (

## BROADCASTING

2020 *The Story of the Nude*; contributing presenter (BBC4)

2018 CrowdScience: Can We Trap Light in a Box? (BBC World Service)

2017 Punt PI: Taking the Pissoir? (BBC Radio 4)

2015 Duchamp's Urinal (BBC Radio 4); co-author with Al Smith; presenter

2014 Kandinsky's Colors (Stylus Radio/WBUR Boston); writer and presenter