



## FAUSTIN ADENIRAN

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**BORN** 1988, Lagos, Nigeria  
**RESIDES** New Haven, CT

### EDUCATION

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2013 BS, European Languages, conc. French, University of Lagos, Lagos, Nigeria  
2012 Member, Center for Contemporary Art, Lagos, Nigeria  
2009 Contemporary Visual Art Apprenticeship, Universal Art Studio, Lagos, Nigeria

### GROUP EXHIBITIONS

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2019 “Vision Quest” Artspace Gallery, Hartford, CT ( Aug 3<sup>rd</sup>- 28<sup>th</sup>)  
2018 “Immigration or Birthright?” Jersey City Art & Studio Tour 2018, Jersey City, NJ  
“#UNLOAD: Pick Up the Pieces” Ely Contemporary Art Gallery, New Haven, CT  
“Social Pattern” Ely Center of Contemporary Art Gallery, New Haven, CT  
“Winter Showcase” Perspective Gallery, Hamden, CT  
2016 “Small Works 2016” Reynolds Fine Art Gallery, New Haven, CT  
2015 “International Art Festival Exhibition” Highline Loft Gallery, Chelsea, NY  
“8th Annual Art & Culture Festival” Partnerships in Learning and Creative Exploration Arts Studio, Hamden, CT  
2011 “Phases” Terra Kulture Gallery, Lagos, Nigeria  
2010 “Our Cultural Pallet” Oriental Hotel, Lagos, Nigeria  
“Lagos Art Fair” E Center, Lagos, Nigeria  
“Miniature Art Fair” Terra Kulture Gallery, Lagos, Nigeria

### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

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2019 Solo Show Discarded , Mehari Gallery, Washington, DC (Sept 12th - Oct 11th 2019)

Solo Show Transformation, Milford Art Council (MAC), Milford, CT  
(Sept-19th Oct 6 2019)

- 2018 "Transformation Series" Calabar Gallery, Harlem, NY  
"Transformations" Luchsinger Gallery, Greenwich Academy,  
Greenwich, CT  
"Transformation" Kohn-Joseloff Gallery, Cheshire Academy, Cheshire,  
CT
- 2015 "Society Series" DaSilva Art Gallery, New Haven, CT

### **COMISSIONED WORKS & PRIVATE COLLECTORS**

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- 2018 "Expectation" mixed media for Wadsworth Atheneum Museum of Art  
Splendor Gala Silent Auction  
"Crossroads" mixed media for Burger Collection  
"Second Amendment" mixed media for private collector, Board  
Member of Wadsworth Atheneum Museum of Art, Sam Peterson
- 2016 "Lux et Veritas" mixed media for PepsiCo CEO, Indra Nooyi  
"Beauty in Diversity" mixed media for Amref Health Africa NGO
- 2016 "Beautiful Imperfection" sculpture for Board Member of Wadsworth  
Atheneum Museum of Art, Sam Peterson  
"Evolution" painting for private art collector, Ron Donath

### **AWARDS & HONORS**

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- 2013 The Maker New Contemporary Artist Award, African Artist Foundation

### **PRESENTATIONS & WORKSHOPS**

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- 2018 Cheshire Academy, Cheshire, CT  
Greenwich Academy, Greenwich, CT
- 2016 Quinnipiac University, Hamden, CT
- 2013 A&M Alabama University, Huntsville, AL
- 2012-2011 James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA

### **SPECIAL DISPLAYS**

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- 2016-Present Empire State Building, New York City, NY

### **ART FAIRS**

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Pulse Art Fair ( Next Generation) Art Basel Miami Weeked Dec-2nd 2019.