### WILLIAM TUCKER

### b. 1935 Cairo, Egypt

### EDUCATION

University of Oxford, England St. Martin's College of Art and Design, London

### SOLO MUSEUM EXHIBITIONS

- 2012 *William Tucker: Steel and Wood Constructions from the 1970s*, The Margulies Collection at the Warehouse, Miami, FL
- 2006 William Tucker: Horses, DeCordova Museum and Sculpture Park, Lincoln, MA
- 2001 *William Tucker*, Tate Collection at Tate Liverpool, Liverpool, UK
- 2000 The Sleep of Reason, The Olson Gallery, Bethel College, St. Paul, MN
- 1995 Six Sculptures, Arts Council of Great Britain Collection, UK
- 1993 Adelphi University Center Gallery, Garden City, Long Island, NY
- 1992 Williams Center for the Arts, Lafayette College Art Gallery, Easton, PA
- 1989 *William Tucker*, The Art Museum, Florida International University, Miami, FL
- 1988 William Tucker: The American Decade, Storm King Art Center, Mountainville, NY
- 1987 Gods: Five Recent Sculptures, Tate Gallery, London
- 1985 Neuberger Museum, SUNY, Purchase, NY
- 1978 Storm King Art Center, Mountainville, NY (installed until 1988)
- 1973 Hamburg Kunstverein, Museum Bochum, Serpentine Gallery, London
- 1972 XXXVI Venice Biennale, Italy
- 1969 Leeds City Art Gallery (Gregory Fellow Exhibition)

### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2013 Buchmann Gallery, Berlin
- 2012 William Tucker: Present and Past, McKee Gallery, NY
- 2010 Pangolin Gallery, London
- 2008 William Tucker: Affinities, McKee Gallery, NY
- 2006 *William Tucker: Drawings and Projects*, Marist College Gallery, Poughkeepsie, 2006 *William Tucker: Horses*, DeCordova Museum, Lincoln, MA
- 2004 William Tucker, Sculpture & Drawings, Gallery Paule Anglim, San Francisco, 2005
- 2002 Drawings, New York Studio School of Drawing, Painting and Sculpture,
- 2001 The Sleep of Reason, Locks Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
- 1999 Gallery Paule Anglim, San FranciscoMcKee Gallery, NY
- 1993 The Philosophers: Sculpture and Drawings 1989-1992, Maak Gallery, London
- 1992 New Drawings, McKee Gallery, NY
- 1989 Gallery Paule Anglim, San Francisco 1991 McKee Gallery, NY
- 1988 *3EPLTD*, Santa Monica, CA
- 1985 Pamela Auchincloss Gallery, Santa Barbara, CA; David McKee Gallery, NY
- 1984 David McKee Gallery, New York; L'Isola Gallery, Rome, Italy
- 1982 Bernard Jacobson Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 1981 L'Isola Gallery, Rome, Italy
- 1980 David Reids Gallery, Sydney, Australia; **Powell Street Gallery, Melbourne,** Australia

- 1976 Galerie Wintersberger, Cologne, West Germany
- 1974 Hester Van Royen Gallery, London
- 1973 Waddington Galleries, London
- 1968 Robert Elkon Gallery, NY
- 1966 Kasmin Gallery, London
- 1965 Richard Feigen Gallery, New YorkRowan Gallery, London
- 1963 Rowan Gallery, London
- 1962 Grabowski Gallery, London

### SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2012 *The Annual: 2012*, National Academy Museum, NY *Chamber Piece*, Millbrook Vineyards & Winery, Millbrook, NY *Making Touch Matter*, Art Beyond Sight Museum Education Institute, NY
- 2010 Sculpture, McKee Gallery, NY New York **Crucible**, Gloucester Cathedral, UK Personal Identities/Contemporary Portraits, University Art Gallery, Sonoma State University, CA
- 2009 *David Hannah and William Tucker*, Gallery Paule Anglim, San Francisco, CA Summer Exhibition 2009, Royal Academy of Arts, London
- 2007 *British Visions: Modern and Contemporary Sculpture and Works on Paper*, William H. Van Every Gallery and Edward M. Smith Gallery, Davidson, NC
- 2006 Against the Grain: Contemporary Art from the Edward R. Broida Collection, Museum of Modern Art, NY
- 2004 *The 179th Annual: An Invitational Exhibition of Contemporary American Art*, National Academy**Mus** eum, NY
- 2004 *Around the World in Forty Years*, ART in Embassies Program, U.S. Department of State, Washington DC
- 1999 *The New Encyclopedists*, Annual Meeting of the World Economic Forum, Davos, Switzerland *Welded! Sculpture of the Twentieth Century*, Neuburger Museum of Art, State

University of New York at Purchase, Purchase, NY

- 1998 The Edward R. Broida Collection, Orlando Museum of Art, Orlando, FL
- 1996 *American Academy Invitational Exhibition of Painting and Sculpture*, American Academy of Arts and Letters, NY
- 1995 Twentieth Century American Sculpture at The White House, First Lady's Garden, The White House, Washington DC Contemporary British Sculpture: From Henry Moore to the 90's, Auditoria de Galicia, Santiago, Chile
- 1993 Hyper Cathexis: Layers of Experience, Stux Gallery, NY
- 1992 Panicali Fine Art, NY Ancient Sources: Contemporary Forms, Abington Art Center, Jenkintown, PA
- 1991 *Steel and Wood*, Philippe Staib Gallery, NY *Drawings*, Procter Art Center, Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY (traveling)
- 1988 Australian Biennale, Art Gallery of New South Wales , Australia
- 1987 New York Beijing: 22 American Artists / Works on Paper, Beijing Art Institute, China
- 1986 *Recent Acquisitions*, Museum of Modern Art, NY *Entre el Objeto y la Imagen*, Palacio de Velazquez, Madrid

- 1985 Transformations in Sculpture: Four Decades of American and European Art, Solomon R.Guggenheim Museum, NY
- 1984 Drawings 1974-1984, Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, Washington DC
- 1983 *The Sculpture Show '83: Selected New Work by 50 Sculptors*, Hayward and Serpentine Galleries, London
- 1981 British Sculpture in the 20th Century, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London
- 1979 *Contemporary Sculpture*, Museum of Modern Art, NY *The Prospect Mountain Sculpture Show: An Homage to David Smith*, Lake George,
- NY
- 1980 International Sculpture Conference, Washington DC Contemporary British Painting and Sculpture, Museum of Modern Art Il Luogo della Forma, Museo di Castelvecchio, Verona, Italy Bronze, Patricia Hamilton Gallery, NY
- 1976 *The Biennale of Sydney*, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Australia *Arte Inglese Oggi*, Milan, Italy
- 1975 *New Acquisitions: Drawings*, The British Museum, London *The Condition of Sculpture*, Hayward Gallery, London (curated by William Tucker)
- 1972 British Sculptors, Royal Academy, London
- 1968 Documenta IV, Kassel, West Germany
- 1967 Sculpture in the Open Air, London County Council, London, Guggenheim International Sculpture Exhibition, Guggenheim Museum, NY
- 1966 *5e Internationale Beeldententoonstellig*, Sonsbeek, The Netherlands *Eight British Sculptors*, Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam
- 1965 *New Generation 1965*, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London *London – The New Scene*, Walker Art Center, Minneapolis, MN
- 1961 *II Biennale de Paris*, National Museum of Modern Art, Paris
- 1960 26 Young Sculptors, Institute of Contemporary Arts, London

# INSTALLATIONS

- 2006 Six Bronzes, Ward Pound Ridge Reservation, Cross River, NY (temporary)
- 2003 Building a Wall in the Air, Nasher Sculpture Center, Dallas, TX (permanent)
- 2001 *William Tucker*, Pavilion and Bothy Galleries, Yorkshire Sculpture Park, Wakefield, UK

Victory 1981, Parque de la Memoria, Buenos Aires, Argentina (permanent)

1999 *Important Sculptors of the Late Twentieth Century*, Stamford Sculpture Walk, Stamford, CT

Homage to Rodin (Bibi), Davidson College, NC (permanent)

- 1998 *Frenhofer*, Cass Sculpture Foundation, Goodwood West Essex, UK (permanent) *Maja*, Muelle Evaristo Churruca, Bilbao, Spain (permanent)
- 1991 *Prometheus*, DeYoung Memorial Museum and California Palace of the Legion of Honor, Lincoln Park (Permanently installed at Runnymede Sculpture Farm, Woodside, CA)
- 1989 Okeanos, Scripps Clinic and Research Foundation, LaJolla, CA (permanent)
- 1987 The Rim, Laumeier Sculpture Park, St. Louis, MO (temporary)
- 1986 *Gymnast II*, The Museum of Modern Art, NY (temporary)

- 1982 *The Promise*, Martin Z. Margulies Sculpture Park, Florida International University, Miami, FL (permanent)
- 1980 *The Rim*, The Mall, Washington, D.C. (temporary)
- 1976 Angel, Livingston Development Corporation, Scotland (permanent)
- 1972 Peter Stuyvesant Sculpture Project, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, England (temporary)

## SELECTED AWARDS

- 2011 Elected as honorary National Academician, National Academy Museum, NY
- 2010 Lifetime Achievement Award, International Sculpture Center, Hamilton, NJ
- 2009 The Jack Goldhill Award for Sculpture, Royal Academy of Arts, London
- 1999 Award from New York Studio School, NY
- 1996 Commission for large-scale sculpture for Bilbao, Spain
- 1995 Rodin-Moore Memorial Prize
- 1991 Sculpture Center Award for Distinction in Sculpture
- 1986 National Endowment for the Arts Fellowship
- 1980 Guggenheim Fellowship
- 1968 Gregory Fellowship in Sculpture, University of Leeds

# SELECTED RECENT PUBLICATIONS (books)

*The Sculpture of William Tucker*, Joy Sleeman, Lund Humphries, England, 2007 *The Sculptural Idea*, James J. Kelly, Fourth Ed., Waveland Press, Inc., Long Grove, IL, 2004 *Art Since Mid Century: 1945 to the Present*, Daniel Wheeler, Vendome Press, NY, 1991 *American Art Since 1945*, Dore Ashton, Oxford University Press, NY, 1985

# SELECTED RECENT PUBLICATIONS (reviews)

William Tucker: From the Formal to the Primeval, David Cohen, *Sculpture Magazine*, April 2010, Vol. 29, No.3

Groundbreakers, Tim Marlow, *RA Magazine*, Winter 2010.

From Line to Mass: A Conversation with William Tucker, Rachel Rosenfeld Lafo, *Sculpture Magazine*, September 2006.

William Tucker's Work Alludes to Degas, But It Won't Dance, Hilton Kramer, *New York Observer*, May 16, 2005

Return of the Thin Man, David Cohen, The New Yorker, April 28, 2005.

Tucker's Metamorphoses, Robert Berlind, Art in America, February 2003.

William Tucker, Peter Schjeldahl, *The New Yorker*, November 11, 2002.

What Sculpture Might Have Looked Like on Day 1, Mario Naves, *The New York Observer*, December 13, 1999

Boulders into Bodies, Kathi Norklun, *Woodstock Times*, February 20, 1995 William Tucker: The Fated Return of the Body, Donald Kuspit, *Sculpture Magazine*, September 1993.

## SELECTED REVIEWS and WRITINGS by WILLIAM TUCKER

Rodin in the Round, *The New Criterion*, March 1994 The Gonzalez Exhibition, *The New Criterion*, May 1983 Modernism, Freedom, Sculpture, *Art Journal*, Winter 1977-1978 Road to Tirgu Jiu, Art in America, November 1976 The Condition of Sculpture, *Studio*, May 1975 *Early Modern Sculpture*, Oxford University Press, New York, 1974(**British edition** title *The Language of Sculpture*, Thames & Hudson, London, 1974) Gravity, Rodin, Degas, *Studio*, July 1973 A Note on Rietveld as a Sculptor, *Studio*, April 1972 Henri Laurens Exhibition at Hayward, *Studio*, July 1971

SELECTED COLLECTIONS Aberdeen Art Gallery, Scotland Arkansas Art Center, Little Rock, AK Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia Arts Council of Great Britain, LondonBritish Council, London The British Museum, London City of Bilbao, Spain **Contemporary Art Society, London** Florida International University, Miami, FL Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, NY The Hakone Open-Air Museum, Tokyo, Japan High Museum of Art, Atlanta, GA Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, Washington DC Kröller-Müller, Otterlo, The Netherlands Leicester Education Authority, Leicester, UK Louisiana Museum of Modern Art, Humlebæk, Denmark Martin Z. Margulies Sculpture Park, Florida International University, Miami, FL The Metropolitan Museum of Art, NY The Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX The Museum of Modern Art, NY National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne, Australia Rijksmuseum, Amsterdam, The Netherlands The Rose Art Museum, Brandeis University, Waltham, MA Storm King Art Center, Mountainville, NY Peter Stuvvesant Foundation, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, England Tate Gallery, London University of California, Berkeley University of California, Los Angeles Victoria and Albert Museum, London Walker Art Center, Minneapolis, MN Weatherspoon Art Museum, University of North Carolina, Greensboro, NC