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# **FICRE GHEBREYESUS**

Born 1962 in Asmara, Eritrea Died 2012 in New Haven, Connecticut

MFA, Yale University School of Art, New Haven, Connecticut, 2002 BA, Southern Connecticut State University, New Haven, Connecticut, 1987

## **SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2023	Ficre Ghebreyesus: I Believe We Are Lost, Galerie Lelong & Co., New York, New York
2022	Map/Quilt, Galerie Lelong & Co., Paris, France
2020	Ficre Ghebreyesus: Gate to the Blue, Galerie Lelong & Co., New York, New York
	Ficre Ghebreyesus: Gate to the Blue, Galerie Lelong & Co., New York, New York (online)
2018	Ficre Ghebreyesus: City with a River Running Through, Museum of the African Diaspora, San
	Francisco, California
2013	Ficre Ghebreyesus: Polychromasia, Artspace, New Haven, Connecticut
1997	Cannon Office Building, U.S. Capitol, Washington, DC
1995	Day Life Savings Time, Artspace, New Haven, Connecticut
	Photographs, Paintings, Prints, Drawings, Africa World Press, Trenton, New Jersey

## **SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

2024	Rupture & Connection, Green Family Art Foundation, Dallas, Texas
2023	(Un)belonging, Galerie Lelong & Co., New York, New York
2022	Black Abstraction: From Then Until Now, Green Family Art Foundation, Dallas, Texas
	Small Paintings, Venus Over Manhattan, New York, New York
	The Milk of Dreams, La Biennale di Venezia, Venice, Italy
	Recent Acquisitions, Yale University Art Gallery, New Haven, Connecticut
2021	Now Is The Time: Recent Acquisitions to the Contemporary Collection, Baltimore Museum of
	Art, Baltimore, Maryland
	Rhe: everything flows; Galerie Lelong & Co., New York, New York
2020	The Place as Metaphor, Collection Conversations, The Alfond Collection of Contemporary
	Art, Rollins Museum of Art, Winter Park, Florida
	Duro Olowu: Seeing Chicago, Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago, Chicago, Illinois
2019	Plumb Line: Charles White and the Contemporary, California African American Museum, Los
	Angeles, CA
2006	City-wide Open Studios, New Haven, Connecticut
2002	Thesis Show, Yale School of Art, New Haven, Connecticut
2001	First-Year Painting Exhibition, Yale School of Art, New Haven, Connecticut
1999	Harvard University School of Education Conference on Eritrea and Education, Harvard

Graduate School of Education, Cambridge, Massachusetts
1992 *Black History Month*, Ikenga Gallery, New Haven, Connecticut
1991 *Time and Place*, Cinque Gallery, New York, New York

#### **AWARDS**

2002	Carol Schlossberg Prize for Excellence in Painting, Yale School of Art, New Haven,
	Connecticut
1992	Best Painting Prize for John Hultberg studio, New York University School of Continuing
	Education, New York, New York
	Talent Scholarship for Full Time Study, The Art Student's League of New York
1991	Red Seal Award, The Art Student's League of New York

#### **MONOGRAPHS**

Alexander, Elizabeth, Jason Moran, Tousif Noor, and Mary Sabbatino. *Ficre Ghebreyesus: Gate to the Blue*. New York, New York: Galerie Lelong & Co., 2021.

Alexander, Elizabeth, Emily Kuhlmann, Julie Mehretu, Lowery Stokes Sims, et al. *Ficre Ghebreyesus:*City with a River Running Through. San Francisco, California: Museum of the African
Diaspora, 2019.

Alexander, Elizabeth, and Ghebreyesus, Ficre. *Polychromasia: selected paintings by Ficre Ghebreyesus*. New Haven, Connecticut: Artspace, 2013.

#### **DOCUMENTARIES**

Asega, Salome, Denison, Imani, Kibret, Meron et al. The African Sublime of Ficre Ghebreyesus, 2018.

#### **PUBLIC COLLECTIONS**

The Alfond Collection of Contemporary Art, Rollins Museum of Art, Winter Park, Florida
The Baltimore Museum of Art, Baltimore, Maryland
Glenstone Museum, Potomac, Maryland
Green Family Art Foundation, Dallas, Texas
The Hutchins Center for African & African American Research, Harvard University, Cambridge,
Massachusetts

New Orleans Museum of Art, New Orleans, Louisiana Pérez Art Museum Miami, Miami, Florida San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, California The Studio Museum in Harlem, New York, New York Yale University Art Gallery, New Haven, Connecticut