



City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: <i>Juan Alonso-Rodriguez</i>		
Board/Commission Name: <i>Seattle Arts Commission</i>		Position Title: <i>Member</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reappointment		Council Confirmation required? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Appointing Authority: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Council <input type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>Fill in appointing authority</i>	Date Appointed: <i>1/1/2016</i>	Term of Position: * <i>1/1/2018</i> to <i>12/31/2019</i>
Residential Neighborhood: <i>Capitol Hill</i>	Zip Code: <i>98102</i>	Contact Phone No.: <div style="background-color: black; width: 100px; height: 15px;"></div>
Background: <p><i>Cuban-born Juan Alonso-Rodriguez is a self-taught artist with a career spanning over three decades in Seattle. His work has been exhibited throughout the US, Canada and Latin America and is included in the permanent collections of the Tacoma Art Museum, Portland Art Museum, Museum of Northwest Art, Microsoft, Swedish & Harborview Hospitals, General Mills and has created public works for Century Link Field, Seattle/Tacoma International Airport, King County Housing Authority, Epiphany School, Sound Transit's Light Rail system, Chief Sealth High School and Renton Technical College, both commissioned by Washington State Arts Commission. His awards include a 2010 Seattle Mayor's Arts Award, The Neddy Fellowship, PONCHO Artist of the Year, two Artist Trust GAPS, two 4Culture Individual Artist Grants, ArtSpace's 2016 DeJunius Hughes Award for Activism and the 2017 Conductive Garboil Grant. Juan is a Seattle Arts Commissioner and serves on the Public Art Advisory Committee (PAAC) for the City of Seattle, and will be co-chairing the PAAC in 2018.</i></p>		
Authorizing Signature (original signature): 	<i>Lisa Herbold</i> City Councilmember	

*Term begin and end date is fixed and tied to the position and not appointment date or appointee.
 August 30, 2016

JUAN ALONSO-RODÍGUEZ

BORN: [REDACTED] Havana, CUBA

EDUCATION: Self-taught

AWARDS:

- 2017 **Conductive Garboil Grant**, Estate of Su Job, Seattle, WA
2016 **Dejunius Hughes Award for Activism**, Artspace, Minneapolis, MN
2015 **Artist in Residence**, Town Hall Seattle, Seattle, WA
Seattle Presents Gallery Residency, Office of Arts & Culture, Seattle, WA
2013 **4-Culture - Special Projects Grant**, King County, WA
2012 **Special Projects Grant**, Office of Arts & Cultural Affairs, Seattle, WA
2011 **Individual Artist Grant**, 4Culture, King County, WA
2010 **City of Seattle Mayor's Arts Award**, Seattle, WA
GAP (Grants for Artist's Projects), Artist Trust, Seattle, WA
2007 **Artist of the Year**, PONCHO (Patrons of Northwest Civic, Cultural and Charitable Organizations)
2006 **4-Culture - Special Projects Grant**, King County, WA
2004 **City Artists Program - Special Projects Grant**, City of Seattle Office of Arts & Cultural Affairs
1999 **GAP (Grants for Artist's Projects)**, Artist Trust, Seattle, WA
Sustaining Purchase Award, Seattle Collects, Seattle Arts Commission, Seattle, WA
1997 **The Neddy Artist Fellowship**, Behnke Foundation, Seattle, WA
1996 **Neddy Award Nominee**, Behnke Foundation, Seattle, WA
Special Projects Grant, King County Arts Commission, Seattle, WA
Northwest New Works Grant, On The Boards, Seattle, WA (collaboration)
1993 **Artist in Residence**, Centrum Foundation, Port Townsend, WA

SOLO EXHIBITIONS:

- 2017 Seattle City Hall, Mayor's Offices, Seattle, WA
2013 **Layered**, Storefronts Seattle, Open Studio Project, Seattle, WA
2012 **Upstairs Gallery**, Francine Seders Gallery, Seattle, WA
2010 **Under Construction**, Circa Gallery, Minneapolis, MN
Pratt Fine Arts, Seattle, WA
2009 Aqua/Wynwood Art Fair, Miami, FL
2008 **Notations**, Circa Gallery, Minneapolis, MN
2007 **Grey Matters**, Francine Seders Gallery, Seattle, WA
2006 **Exotica**, Circa Gallery, Minneapolis, MN
2005 **RC Gallery**, Portland, OR Pratt Fine Arts, Seattle, WA
2004 **Weathered**, Francine Seders Gallery, Seattle, WA
2003 **Cancer Lifeline**, Seattle, WA
2001 **Closer**, Francine Seders Gallery, Seattle, WA
Juan Alonso: Give/Take, West Gallery, Bellevue Art Museum, Bellevue, WA
2000 **Hyper-Terrestrial**, Friesen Gallery, Ketchum, ID
1999 **Seeds**, Upstairs Gallery, Francine Seders Gallery, Seattle, WA
1998 **Passion**, Francine Seders Gallery, Seattle, WA
Signs of Spring, Museum of Northwest Art, La Conner, WA
1997 Friesen Gallery, Ketchum, ID
1996 **Resident Alien**, Seattle Central Community College Art Gallery, Seattle, WA
Pierce College, Tacoma, WA
AIDS Housing of Washington, Bailey Boushay House, Seattle, WA
1995 **(Betty and Loretta's) Garden Detour**, Francine Seders Gallery, Seattle, WA
Levi's Plaza, Levi Strauss Global Headquarters, San Francisco, CA
1994/95 TestaRossa, Seattle, WA
1994 **Elemental**, Upstairs Gallery, Francine Seders Gallery, Seattle, WA
Julie Rico Gallery, Santa Monica, CA

- 1993 Bellevue Art Museum, Outside Wall, Bellevue, WA
 The Bon Marche, Seattle, WA
Juan Alonso, Work From His Centrum Residency, January 1993, Francine Seders Gallery, Seattle, WA
- 1992 **Nipple to the Bottle**, Francine Seders Gallery, Seattle, WA
- 1991 **Rhythms**, Momentum Gallery, Ventura Arts Council, Ventura, CA
 WilliamsLamb Gallery, Long Beach, CA
- 1990 **Recollections**, Esvelt Gallery, Columbia Basin College, Pasco, WA
 Upstairs Gallery, Francine Seders Gallery, Seattle, WA
- 1989 **Dancing at the Drop of a Hat**, WilliamsLamb Gallery, Long Beach, CA
 Eastern Washington University, Cheney, WA

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS:

- 2017 **Making Our Mark - Art by Pratt Teaching Artists**, Bellevue Arts Museum, Bellevue, WA
Center on Contemporary Art (CoCA) - Legacy Exhibit, Seattle, WA
Here's to Summer! Wendy Frieze Gallerist/Nash Frame, Minneapolis, MN
Many Lands, curated by Ben Gannon, Bridge Productions, Seattle, WA
Avenidas y Generaciones, WA State Convention Center, Seattle, WA
- 2016 **American Painting Today**, V2, Presented by Hedreen Gallery, Seattle, WA
Placiness, 57 Biscayne, Good Arts Building, Seattle, WA
Seattle Simplified Part 2, recent art purchases for the city's Portable Works Collection, Seattle Municipal Tower Gallery
Summer Salon, Circa Gallery, Minneapolis, MN
- 2015 **Winter Salon**, Circa Gallery, Minneapolis, MN
- 2013 **Visions & Environments**, Washington State Convention Center
To Give in Return, Seattle City Hall, Seattle, WA
- 2011 **Passages: Contemporary Latino/a Artists**, Sarah Spurgeon Gallery, Central Washington University, Ellensburg, WA
Seattle as Collector, Seattle Art Museum, Seattle, WA
Vortexhibition Polyphonica, Stroum Gallery, Henry Art Gallery, U of WA, Seattle, WA
- 2010 **Juan Alonso & Stephanie Hargrave**, TASTE Restaurant, Seattle Art Museum, Seattle, WA
Juan Alonso & Marita Dingus, Francine Seders Gallery, Seattle, WA
The Art of Discovery: The Northwest Art Collection of the Junior League of Seattle, Bellevue Arts Museum, Bellevue, WA
Honoring 15 Years of Neddy Fellows, Tacoma Art Museum, Tacoma, WA
A Continuing Cultural Legacy: Selections from the Safeco Collection Contribution to the Washington Art Consortium, Wright Exhibition Space, Seattle, WA
¡SENSE US! Ten Latino Artists of the Pacific Northwest, ArtXchange Gallery, Seattle, WA
- 2007 **8th Northwest Biennial**, Tacoma Art Museum, Tacoma, WA
A Decade of Excellence: Celebrating the Neddy Artist Fellowship, Tacoma Art Museum, Tacoma, WA
- 2004 **Seattle Perspective: Selections from the City of Seattle % for Art Portable Works Collection**, Washington State Convention & Trade Center, Seattle, WA
- 2003 **New Paintings: Inaugural Exhibit**, the new Seattle Art Museum Rental/Sales Gallery, Seattle, WA
- 2001 **Northwest Views**, Selections from the SAFECO Collection, Frye Art Museum, Seattle, WA
- 2000 **Bumberbiennale: Painting 2000**, Olympic Room, Northwest Court, Seattle Center, Seattle, WA
- 1999 **The Asian Aesthetic: Interpretations**, Bradford Gallery, San Francisco, CA

- Bygone Modern - Paintings by Northwest Artists from the Last Quarter of the 20th Century**, WA State Convention Center
- Fresh Flowers**, Bellevue Art Museum, Bellevue, WA
- 1998 **1998 Neddy Artist Fellowship Exhibit**, Seafirst Gallery, Seattle, WA
- Class of 98**, Galeria Dos Damas, San Diego, CA
- Looking to Nature**, Archer Gallery, Clark College, Vancouver, WA
- 1997 **1997 Neddy Artist Fellowship Exhibit**, Seafirst Gallery, Seattle, WA
- Working Papers**, Francine Seders Gallery, Seattle, WA
- 1996 **The Neddy Inaugural Art Exhibit**, Galleria of Art, Washington State Convention and Trade Center, Seattle, WA
- 1995/96 **Celebration Especially for Children: The Art of Theater**, Bellevue Art Museum, Bellevue, WA
- 1995 **The Survival of Joy: Contemporary Cuban Art**, Seattle Central Community College, Seattle, WA
- Folie a Deux**, Center on Contemporary Art, Seattle, WA
- Washington: 100 Years, 100 Paintings**, Bellevue Art Museum, Bellevue, WA
- 1994 **Eyes on Public Art**, 21st Year Retrospective Exhibition: Contention Corridor, Bumbershoot Exhibition, Seattle Center-Northwest Rooms, Seattle, WA
- Public Encounters**, Selection from State of Oregon Percentage for Art Collection, Bush Barn Art Center, Salem, OR

COLLECTIONS:

Affiliated American, Corporate Headquarters, Bellevue, WA

AIDS Housing of Washington

AirTouch Cellular, Bellevue, WA

Beresford, Booth, Baronsky, & Trompeter, Seattle, WA

California Lawyers for the Arts, Santa Monica, CA

Care Unit Hospital, Kirkland, WA

Centrum Foundation, Port Townsend, WA

City of Everett, WA

City of Kent, WA

City of Renton, WA

City of Tacoma, WA

City of Seattle, WA

City of Yakima, WA

Danmoor Corporation, San Antonio, TX

Eastern Washington University, Cheney, WA

General Mills, Minneapolis, MN

Harborview Medical Center, Cultural Heritage Collection, Seattle, WA

Henry Art Gallery, University of Washington, Seattle, WA

Hilton Hotel, Seattle, WA

IMG Inc., Division of Masushian Corporation, Tokyo, JAPAN

Jumby Bay Villas, Long Island, Antigua, WEST INDIES

Junior League of Seattle, Seattle, WA

King County Housing Authority, Seattle, WA

Legacy Emanuel Children's Hospital, Portland, OR

Long Island Resort Hotel, Long Island, Antigua, WEST INDIES

Microsoft Corporation, Redmond, WA

Museum of Northwest Art, La Conner, WA

One Bean Productions, Hollywood, CA

Oregon State Arts Commission, New Portland State Office Building, Portland, OR

Portland Art Museum, Portland, OR

Century Link Field, Seattle, WA

Seattle/Tacoma International Airport, Port of Seattle, WA

Swedish Medical Center, Seattle, WA

Tacoma Art Museum, Tacoma, WA
Walker Richer & Quinn Inc, Seattle, WA
Washington State's Art in Public Places Program

PUBLIC WORKS:

Renton Technical College, Renton, WA, ArtsWA
Chief Sealth International High School, Seattle, WA, ArtsWA
King County Housing Authority, Seattle, WA
Seattle-Tacoma International Airport, Port of Seattle, WA
Portland State Office Building, Portland, OR
Seattle Light Rail, Sound Transit, WA
Century Link Field and Exhibition Center, Seattle
Epiphany School, Seattle, WA

Seattle Arts Commission

16 Members: Pursuant to Ordinance 121006, all members subject to City Council confirmation, 2-year terms:

- 7 City Council-appointed
- 8 Mayor-appointed
- 1 Commission-appointed

Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
2	F	3	1.	At-Large	Sharon Williams	01/01/18	12/31/19	3	City Council
2	M	2	2.	At-Large	Quinton Morris	01/01/17	12/31/18	1	City Council
1	F	2	3.	At-Large	Priya Frank	01/01/17	12/31/18	2	City Council
1	F	2	4.	At-Large	Cassandra Chinn	01/01/18	12/31/19	2	City Council
2	F	1	5.	At-Large	Dawn M. Chirwa	01/01/18	12/31/19	2	City Council
1	O	1	6.	At-Large	S. Surface	01/01/18	12/31/19	2	City Council
3	M	3	7.	At-Large	Juan Alonso-Rodriguez	01/01/18	12/31/19	2	City Council
6	M	1	8.	At-Large	Steven Galatro	01/01/16	12/31/17	2	Commission
6	F	6	9.	At-Large	Sarah Wilke	01/01/17	12/31/18	1	Mayor
2	F	1	10.	At-Large	Jescelle Major	01/01/17	12/31/18	1	Mayor
			11.	At-Large		01/01/18	12/31/19		Mayor
1	F	4	12.	At-Large	Terri Hiroshima	01/01/17	12/31/18	3	Mayor
2	M	2	13.	At-Large	Jonathan Cunningham	01/01/18	12/31/19	3	Mayor
2	F	3	14.	At-Large	Vivian Phillips	01/01/17	12/31/18	3	Mayor
4	F	3	15.	At-Large	Tracy Rector	01/01/17	12/31/18	3	Mayor
3	F		16.	Get Engaged Member	Ayako Shapiro	09/01/17	8/31/18	1	Mayor

SELF-IDENTIFIED DIVERSITY CHART

			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)		
	Male	Female	Transgender	NB/ O/ U	Asian	Black/ African American	Hispanic/ Latino	American Indian/ Alaska Native	Other	Caucasian/ Non-Hispanic	Pacific Islander	Middle Eastern	Multiracial
Mayor	1	6			2	2		1		1			
Council	2	4		1	3	3	1						
Other	1									1			
Total	4	10		1	5	5	1	1		2			

Key:

- *D List the corresponding *Diversity Chart* number (1 through 9)
- **G List *gender*, M= Male, F= Female, T= Transgender, NB= Non-Binary O= Other U= Unknown
- RD Residential Council District number 1 through 7 or N/A

Diversity information is self-identified and is voluntary.