

Alternative Creations Studio

A cooperative of artists established in 2013, East Vancouver, BC

Objective

Alternative Creations Studio provides the space and opportunity for people with developmental disabilities to create and showcase their artistic skills and to express themselves creatively.

Exhibitions

2010-2021	<i>Eastside Culture Crawl</i> , Alternative Creations Studio, Vancouver, BC
2005-2021	<i>Inclusion Art Show</i> , Heritage Hall, Vancouver, BC
2018-2021	<i>Vancouver Outsider Art Festival (VOAF)</i> , Community Arts Council of Vancouver, BC
2018	<i>Naturally Around Us</i> , Britannia Community Gallery, Vancouver, BC
2018	<i>An Eclectic Collection of Faces and Personalities</i> , Meet on Main, Vancouver, BC
2017-2018	<i>BC Not for Profit Housing Art Show</i> , Sheraton, Richmond, BC
2017	<i>Venable Street Block Party</i> , Alternative Creations Studio, Vancouver, BC
2017	<i>International Day of Persons with Disabilities</i> , Project Everybody, Vancouver, BC
2017	<i>De l'enveloppe à la Silhouette</i> , La Chapelle Ste. Catherine au Port, Auville, France
2016	<i>Degrees of Existence</i> , Britannia Community Gallery, Vancouver, BC
2016	<i>Fire Ball</i> , Anvil Centre, New Westminster, BC
2016	<i>Citizens</i> , Cool Arts, Kelowna, BC
2016	<i>Vancouver International Art and Film Festival</i> , Roundhouse Arts Centre, Vancouver, BC
2015	<i>Keep Moving Don't Stop</i> , Sheraton Wall Centre, Vancouver, BC

Awards, Grants, & Honorariums

2019	Green Grant, Vancouver Foundation
2018	Eco Art Walk Honorarium, Community Arts Council of Vancouver
2017	Neighbourhood Small Grant, Vancouver Foundation
2017	Britannia Arts and Culture Honorarium
2017	Britannia Artist Photography Contest 2 nd place, Britannia Arts and Culture
2016	Inclusion Art Show Winning Artist conference design logo, posAbilities
2016	Neighbourhood Small Grant, Vancouver Foundation
2016	Britannia Arts and Culture Honorarium
2015	Winning Artist to Represent "Keep Moving Don't Stop" Inclusion BC Conference

Publications

- 2020-2021 *Exhibition Catalogue*, Eastside Culture Crawl
2017 *Georgia Straight*, 5 Great Ways to Get Your Art on at Vancouver Culture Days
2015 *Keep Moving Don't Stop*, Program for Inclusion BC Conference

Workshops and Events

- 2021 CREATE Festival, Woodland Park, Vancouver, BC
2018 *Wild Salmon Caravan Art Build*, Alternative Creations Studio, Vancouver, BC
2018 *Eco Art Walk*, Community Arts Council of Vancouver, Vancouver, BC
2018 *Summer Sounds*, West End Arts, Alexandra Park, Vancouver, BC
2018 *Button making workshop*, Enterprising Women Making Art, Vancouver, BC
2018 *Naturally Around Us*, Britannia Carving Pavilion, Vancouver, BC
2018 *Friendship Bridges*, Art in the City, Vancouver, BC
2017 *Mad Hatter Tea Party*, Grandview park, Vancouver, BC
2017 *Three Shades of East Van*, Alternative Creations Studio, Vancouver, BC
2016 *Truffula*, Britannia Community Centre, Vancouver, BC
2016 *A Little Birdy Told Me*, Grandview Park, Vancouver, BC
2015 *Mosaic Panels*, Still Creek Community Garden, Vancouver, BC

Credits

- 2020 *The Quieting*, Director/Writer: Ali Liebert, Crazy8s Film Society
2017 Real Talk, Dating | Love | Relationships, Vancouver, BC
2017 AMI – Accessible Media, Inc. Alternatives Artist and Studio Profile

Public Art

- 2020 Shaw Mobi Art-bike, Vancouver, BC
2015 – 2021 Bright Nights, Stanley Park, Vancouver, BC
2017-2020 roundAbout, Green Streets, Vancouver, BC
2018 BC Hydro, Utility Box Art Wrap
2017 Little Library, Woodland Park, Vancouver, BC
2016 Strathcona Business Improvement Association Street Planter Mural, Vancouver, BC
2015 Still Creek Community Garden, Mosaic Panels, Vancouver, BC