# Aidan Koch

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## **EDUCATION**

2022	MFA	Emily Carr University of Art and Design, Vancouver, B.C.
2009	BFA	Pacific NW College of Art, Portland, OR

# **GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

2023	The Minotaur's Daydream, Semiose, Paris, France
2019	Narrative Architectures, 45 National Salon of Artists, Centro Colombo Americano, Bogota, Colombia
	Rebus, Kali Gallery, Lucerne, Switzerland
2018	Eye to Eye, an exhibition benefiting Sanctuary for Families, Arsenal Contemporary, New York, NY
2017	The Best American Comics Selections: 2014-2017, South Bend Museum of Art, South Bend, IN
	In Search of, Transmitter, Brooklyn, NY
2016	Dreamlands: Immersive Cinema and Art, 1905-2016, The Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY
	Olympia, Galerie Patrick Seguin, Paris, France
	The Person You are Trying to Reach is Not Available, Hester, New York, NY
	Someday this will be funny, Company, New York, NY
2015	Elizabeth Jaeger, Anne Greene Kelly, Aidan Koch, And Now, Dallas, TX
	Over you / you, 31st Biennial of Graphic Arts, Ljubljana, Slovenia
	Sara two, Hester, New York, NY
	Fissure:Fog, Signal, Brooklyn, NY
2013	Reconstructing Comics, Lakeland University, Plymouth, WI

# **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2023	Wing Whistles, Paul Soto, Los Angeles, CA
2022	Tides and Trees, 14A, Hamburg, Germany
2020	Always put the rock back, Paul Soto, Los Angeles, CA
2018	Love among the butterflies, 14A, Hamburg, Germany
	Kiss of Light from a New Dawn, Naughton Gallery at Queens University, Belfast, UK
2017	A to Zed, Park View, Los Angeles, CA
2016	<i>Iris</i> , Signal Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
	The Midnight Room, Open Space, Baltimore, MD
2014	Mood Board, Mission Comics, San Francisco, CA
	Notes, City Limits, Oakland, CA

#### **RESIDENCIES**

2014 Maison des Auteurs, Angouleme, France
2012 Epicenter, Green River, UT
Skylab, Columbus, OH

## **PUBLICATIONS**

2021	Stone Blue Sky, Sporen
2020	Man Made Lake, Kuš
	La Espiral, AIA Ediciones and Ediciones Valientes
2019	The psychic said 'Blossoming,' NOOM books
2017	Daughter, Kuš
2016	After Nothing Comes, Koyama Press
	Little Angels, MoMA PS1 GNY Series
2015	Heavenly Seas, The Paris Review
2014	Impressions, Peradam Press
2013	The Hylaeus Project, Publication Studio
2012	Field Studies, Floating World Comics
	The Blonde Woman, self published with support from the Xeric Foundation
2010	The WHALE, Gaze

## VISITING TEACHER

2020	Anthropocene Campus, CIUHCT, Lisbon Portugal
2016	Sequential Artists Workshop, Gainesville, FL
2015	The Animation Workshop, Viborg, Denmark
	Sequential Artists Workshop, Gainesville, FL

## SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY

- 2020 Cooper, Ashton, "Critics' Pick: Aidan Koch at Park View/Paul Soto," *Artforum.com*, February 28
- 2017 "On Being Multiple Selves: An Interview with Aidan Koch," Yale Literary Magazine, Fall St. Clair, Megan, "A Menagerie of Delicate Fabrications and Intimate Drawings Enliven an Apartment Gallery," Hyperallergic, March 29
- 2016 Novgorodoff, Danica, "Enter the Void: on Aidan Koch's 'After Nothing Comes," Artforum, October
  - Halpert, Juliana, "Critics' Pick: Aidan Koch at Signal Gallery," *Artforum.com*, September 15 McStay, Chantal, "Aidan Koch," *BOMB Magazine*, May 10
- 2015 Rudick, Nicole, "Long Story Short: In The Studio with Aidan Koch," *The Paris Review*, August 20
- 2013 Peltz, Amy, "A Visual Turn; Comics and Art after the Graphic Novel," Art in Print, March -April