

# AMANDA McCAVOUR

## EDUCATION

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BFA York University: Visual Art, Studio Major completed in April 2007

## ARTIST RESIDENCIES

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- 2010 (Upcoming) Artist-In-Residence at the Klondike Institute of Art And Culture
- 2007 Ongoing Artist-in-residence at the Harbourfront Centre's Textile Studio

## GRANTS AND AWARDS

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- 2010 Level One Visual Arts Grant, Toronto Arts Council
- 2009 Honorable Mention, Fibre, Toronto Outdoor Art Exhibition
- 2009 Kingscrafts/Lady Flavelle Scholarship, Ontario Crafts Council
- 2009 Craft Projects Individuals Grant, Ontario Arts Council
- 2009 Untapped Emerging Artists Competition, The Artist's Project, Toronto
- 2007 One Year scholarship - Harbourfront Centre, Textile Studio
- 2007 Winters College Award, York University
- 2007 Creative Arts Student Association Cold Beverage Award, York University
- 2006 Creative Arts Student Association Initiative Grant, York University

## SELECTED SOLO AND TWO PERSON EXHIBITIONS

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- 2009 *Nothing*, Special Projects Gallery, York University, Toronto
- 2009 *still* (with Margaret Lim), Harbourfront Centre Vatrines, Toronto
- 2008 *Line Weight*, Portable Gallery Project, Toronto
- 2007 *Unravel*, Archive Inc. Gallery & Art Library, Toronto
- 2007 *Threadbare*, Niagara Gallery, Toronto
- 2007 *Tangled*, AKASA Gallery, York University, Toronto
- 2006 *Simplicity*, AKASA Gallery, York University, Toronto
- 2006 *I Mean*, Eleanor Winters Art Gallery, York University, Toronto

## SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

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- 2010 (Upcoming) *Around the Frayed Edges*, Anges Jamieson Gallery, Minden
- 2010 *It's a Big Deal: Artists In Residence Craft Biennale*, York Quay Gallery, Toronto
- 2010 *Body + Object*, Ontario Arts Council, Toronto
- 2010 *Best of Toronto Outdoor Art Exhibition 2009*, FCP Gallery, Toronto
- 2009 *Drawn (by a, out of, from, in) Thread*, Loose Cannon Gallery, Hamilton
- 2009 *Looking Ahead*, Lonsdale Gallery, Toronto
- 2009 *Unity and Diversity*, Cheongju International Craft Biennale, Cheongju South Korea
- 2009 *World of Threads Festival*, Oakville, Ontario
- 2009 *Peep Show*, Lonsdale Gallery, Toronto, Ontario

- 2009 Toronto Outdoor Art Exhibition, Toronto
- 2009 Award Winners 2009, Ontario Crafts Council, Toronto
- 2009 *The Artist's Project*, Liberty Grand, Toronto
- 2009 *National Fibre Directions Exhibition 2009*, Wichita Centre for the Arts, Wichita
- 2009 *DIWhy?*, Ontario Crafts Council, Toronto
- 2008 Exposition of Sculpture Objects and Functional Art, Chicago
- 2008 *Hard Twist*, The Gladstone Hotel, Toronto
- 2008 *Retelling Anne*, Macdonald Stewart Art Centre, Guelph
- 2008 *Fibreworks 08*, Cambridge Galleries, Cambridge
- 2008 Toronto Outdoor Art Exhibition, Toronto
- 2008 *Three x Four*, Harbourfront Centre Vatrines, Toronto
- 2008 Lafreniere & Pai Gallery, Ottawa
- 2008 *Update: Artists in Residence Biennale*, York Quay Gallery, Toronto
- 2007 *Big Fibre*, Little Fibre, The Gladstone Hotel, Toronto
- 2007 *Playing In Traffic*, 381 Projects, Toronto
- 2007 *Farago*, Third Floor: 9 Ossington, Toronto
- 2007 *Opus*, Juried group exhibition of senior level students, Whippersnapper Gallery, Toronto
- 2007 Open House, Senior Level Students, York University, Toronto
- 2007 *Accumulate*, Eleanor Winters Art Gallery, York University, Toronto

## PUBLICATIONS

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- 2008 *National Post*, Toronto- At the Galleries, August 23, 2008
- 2008 Y-File: York's Daily *Bulletin*, February 12, 2008
- 2008 *Mondo Magazine*, Artist of the Week, February 5, 2008
- 2006 *Mondo Magazine*, Artist of the Month, February 2006

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

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- 2008 Level One Jury Member, Toronto Arts Council Visual Arts Grants
- 2008 Assistant curator for Other.World, Red Bull 381 Projects, Toronto
- 2007 Exhibition Co-ordinator for Playing in Traffic, Red Bull 381 Projects, Toronto

## MEMBERSHIPS

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Ontario Crafts Council  
Textile Museum of Canada