

Born 1998, Liverpool, United Kingdom
Lives and works in New York City

Education

- 2021 BA Visual Arts, magna cum laude, Columbia University, New York
- 2020 École des arts de la Sorbonne (Université Panthéon-Sorbonne), Paris, France

Solo Exhibitions

- 2024 *The beat of life*, James Fuentes, New York
- 2022 *East of sun, west of moon*, Brooklyn Museum, New York
- 2023
- 2021 *A sky-licker relation*, James Fuentes, New York
- A dozen poem-pictures*, James Fuentes Online
- Crane Seeking Comforts*, T293 Gallery, Rome, Italy

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2024 *RE: REPRESENTATION*, curated by Amanda Ba, James Fuentes, New York
- 2023 *The Descendants*, K11 Musea, WOAW gallery, Hong Kong
- PRESENT '23*, Columbus Museum of Art, Columbus,
- The Range*, Gallery 12.26, Dallas
- 2021 *The Loneliest Sport*, curated by Jacob Hyman, Spazio Amanita, Florence, Italy
- Tidal Motion*, Joe Sheftel, Provincetown
- Shining In The Low Tide*, Unclebrother, Hancock
- Breakfast Under The Tree*, curated by Russell Tovey, Carl Freedman Gallery, Margate
- Go Figure!?*, Sprüth Magers Online
- QUEER OUT T/HERE*, Tong Art Advisory, New York

Friend Zone, curated by Vaughn Spann, Half Gallery, New York

Pressing, Division of Labour, Salford (online)

2020 *myselfs*, Kohn Gallery, Los Angeles

Warmth and Promise, Rachel Uffner Gallery, New York

Open Air, Tong Art Advisory, East Hampton

Queer the City, Homotopia Festival, Liverpool

2019 *Chinosity Experience*, Asia Society, New York

2016 *Open Exhibition*, Editions, Liverpool

CAPTURED MOMENTS, Road Studios, Liverpool (two-person exhibition)

Home, ARTShub47, Liverpool

A-Level Summer Exhibition, Royal Academy (online)

Selected Bibliography

- 2024 Samuel Hine, "Oscar yi Hou," GQ, August 6
- 2023 "30 Under 30 North America 2024," Forbes, December
- Sarah Harrelson, "Sarah Harrelson's Artists to Watch During Miami Art Week," Artsy, November 28
- Meka Boyle, "At 25, Artist Oscar yi Hou Has Already Had a Solo Museum Show—And Written a Memoir," Cultured Magazine, November 27
- Meka Boyle, "At 25, Artist Oscar yi Hou Has Already Had a Solo Museum Show—And Written a Memoir," Cultured Magazine, November 27
- Evan Moffitt, Out West, the Gay Cowboy Roams Free, The New York Times Style Magazine, September 5

- Andrew Woolbright, "Art in Conversation: Oscar yi Hou with Andrew Woolbright," The Brooklyn Rail, Jul/Aug
- 2022 Ernesto Macias, "Oscar yi Hou and Russell Tovey on Kinks, Cranes, and Cowboys," Interview Magazine, December 13
- Madison Bulnes, "Oscar yi Hou makes art from the spaces in between," Document Journal, November 18
- Ted Loos, "Oscar yi Hou's Paintings Lend New Frames to Queer, Asian Identity," The New York Times, October 22
- "Oscar yi Hou on What It Means to Be an Icon in 2022," Harper's Bazaar, August 16
- Jenna Adrian-Diaz, "On a Brooklyn Warehouse, Oscar yi Hou Uplifts His Community," Surface, July 13
- Ryan White, "Oscar yi Hou paints portraits to honour his loved ones," i-D, February 10
- Ryan Waddoups, "Oscar yi Hou Receives the Third Annual UOVO Prize," Surface, February 8
- Molly Wilcox, "Young Gun Painter Oscar yi Hou Forges His Own Path," Cultured, February 7
- Gabriella Angeleti, "Painter Oscar Yi Hou receives third annual UOVO prize," The Art Newspaper, February 7
- 2021 Yinka Elujoba, "Art Gallery Shows to See Right Now," The New York Times, September 13
- "Oscar yi Hou, A sky-licker relation," TheGuide.art, September
- "Interview with Oscar yi Hou," Editorial Magazine, August
- "Oscar yi Hou and Louis Fratino are at the vanguard of queer figurative painting," conversation between Oscar yi Hou and Louis Fratino, with Morgan Becker, Document Journal, August
- "16 Rising Artists of the Asian Diaspora in the United States," Artsy
- "Meet the Asian art world's dynamic new duo," FT Weekendy
- "An Introduction to Art by Russell Tovey," BBC's The One Showy (television)
- "Interview: Oscar Yi Hou, Crane Seeking Comfort – T293," Exhibart
- "Oscar yi Hou: Crane Seeking Comforts," CURA Magazine
- "Oscar yi Hou – Crane Seeking Comforts," Artribune
- "L'artiste s'expose à la galerie T293 au sein du projet « Also on View », " Luxe Magazine
- 2020 "ENGAGE IN DIALOGUE WITH THE DILIGENTLY LAYERED PAINTINGS OF OSCAR YI HOU," Art of Choice
- 2019 "EXPLORING SELFHOOD THROUGH MEDIUM AT KOHN GALLERY, LA," Art of Choice
- 2018 Columbia Journal of Literary Criticism, June
- 2017 "ARTIST OF THE WEEK: OSCAR YI HOU," Milk.xyz, June
- "Rising Creatives," ROOT-ed Zinerch
- "VICELAND: Underrepresented," VICELAND (television)
- "INTERVIEW XVI: OSCAR HOU," Ratrock Magazine, October (print, web)
- 2016 "Art Hoe Collective Meets Lorna Simpson," Tate Gallery, July (online video)
- "oscar yi hou," Recens Paper, ISSUE #4: INVENT, August
- "OSCAR HOU," Issue 2, Grounders Magazine, August
- "Oscar yi Hou," Average Art Magazine, September

Published Writing

- 2022 Oscar yi Hou, James Fuentes Press, New York, edited by Morgan Becker
- 2019 "In Which Humanness Rests," Journal of Art Criticism, Spring

Honors and Awards

- 2023 Philip Pearlstein Painter Distinction, Sharpe-Walentas Studio Program
- 2022 Third Annual UOVO Prize, awarded by The Brooklyn Museum
- 2019 Robert Gamblin Painting Award, Columbia University

Public Projects

- 2022 Flock together, aka: a mural family portrait, UOVO facade, Brooklyn
- 2021 Already Home: AAPI Artists on Belonging, "Moments in Culture by Outfront," via Artsy, Digital displays in national transit systems, USA
- 2020 Queer the City, Homotopia Festival, Billboard, Liverpool

Residencies

- 2023 Sharpe-Walentas Studio Program, New York
- 2024
- 2021 Silver Arts Project Studio Residency, New York

Curatorial Projects

- 2021 QUEER OUT T/HERE, Tong Art Advisory, New York

Public Talks

- 2023 "All of It" with Alison Stewart, New York Public Radio
- "Oscar yi Hou: Concepts of Practice, with Eugenie Tsai," New York Studio School of Drawing, Painting, and Sculpture
- The Brooklyn Rail NSE #834: Oscar yi You, online
- 2022 Brooklyn Talks: Oscar yi Hou (with Amanda Ba, Sasha Gordon, and Eugenie Tsai), Brooklyn Museum
- 2021 Seminar: "The Effective Artist," New York Film Academy

Teaching

- 2023 Guest Critic, Mason Gross School of The Arts, Rutgers University
- 2022 Guest Seminar Speaker, Princeton University
- 2021 Guest Seminar Speaker, New York Film Academy

Public Collections

- Brooklyn Museum, NY
- Cantor Arts Center, CA
- Columbus Museum of Art, OH
- Grinnell College Museum of Art, IA
- ICA Miami, FL
- M+ Museum, Hong Kong
- New-York Historical Society, NY
- Whitney Museum of American Art, NY