

## **Joe King MA RCA**

### **artist filmmaker**

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### **Short statement**

Joe King is an artist filmmaker living and working in Essex and London. He originally studied Film and Photography at The International Film School Wales and Animation at Royal College of Art. His work uses animated stills and live-action to investigate architecture and man-made forms in the landscape.

His films and videos have received funding from Film London's Artists' Film and Video Awards, S4C and Sgrin, Film London Artists' Moving Image Network and BBC Radio 4, and Wellcome Trust. They have been nominated for and won prizes including from Jerwood Moving Image Award 2008, SXSW Film Festival (USA 06), Ann Arbor Film Festival (USA 06), Hull International Film Festival (UK, 06) Festival du Nouvea Cinema, Montreal (Canada, 06), 25 fps (Croatia, 06).

### **Group Exhibitions**

- 2008 Jerwood Moving Image Awards, Jerwood Space, London
- 2007 *Art at Britdocs*, Keble College, Oxford
- 2006 *Sublime Spaces*, Wolverhampton Art Gallery
- 2006 *Screenland*, Whitstable Biennale, Satellite programme
- 2006 *TOPOS, The Moving Image between art and architecture*, University College London
- 2005 EMAF tour to 15 international venues including: Ursula Blickle Lounge, Kunsthalle Wien; Contemporary Arts Museum, Guadalajara, Mexico; Museo de Arte Moderno, Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic; and Goethe Institut, Kyoto, Japan.
- 2003 *Survey*, Truman Brewery, London

### **Film Festivals**

- 2007 *Sea Change*: Interfilm, Berlin; Regensburger Kurzfilmwoche; Lens Politica, Helsinki.
- 2006 *Sea Change*: Clermont-Ferrand; Rotterdam; Tampere; Syracuse, NY; Ann Arbor, USA; Aspen, USA; European Media Art Festival, Osnabruck; Courtisane, Ghent, Belgium; ISFF Dresden, Germany.
- 2005 *Sea Change*: London Film Festival; Hamburg Film Festival; Cork Film Festival; L'alternativa, Barcelona; Interfilm, Berlin; Exground, Wiesbaden, Germany; Short Cuts Cologne, Germany; Zinebi, Bilbao, Spain; 10th Rencontres Internationales, Paris/Berlin.
- 2004 *Survey*: Stuttgart Filmwinter, Germany; Impakt, Holland; Kurzfilm, Hamburg; Melbourne Film Festival, Australia; Edinburgh Film Festival, Edinburgh; British Animation Awards, London; Resfest world tour visiting a dozen cities in six continents; Interfilm, Berlin; Alternativa, Barcelona; Uppsalla Film Festival, Sweden.
- 2003 *Survey*: Lux Open, Royal College of Art, London; Portobello Film Festival, London; 21<sup>st</sup> Braunschweig IFF, Germany;
- 2000 *Mobius Strip*: Edinburgh Film Festival; Stuttgart FilmWinter; Cork IFF; Cardiff IFF.
- 2000 *Time and Tide*: Edinburgh IFF, Stuttgart IFF, Cork and Cardiff International Film Festivals

1997 *Metronome*: Edinburgh IFF, Cardiff IFF, Stuttgart IFF; Broadcast MTV 1996.

#### **Awards and Commissions**

2007 'The City Speaks' production award, Film London Artists' Moving Image Network

2004 London Artists' Film and Video production award

2002 Animate it! production award, funded by S4C

2000 Short Shorts production award, funded by S4C and SGRIN

#### **Prizes and nominations**

2006 *Sea Change*, Doug Wandrei Award, Ann Arbor Film Festival, Michigan, USA

2006 *Sea Change*, Best Experimental Short, SXSW Film Festival

2006 *Sea Change*, Best Experimental Film, Hull International Short Film Festival, United Kingdom

2006 *Sea Change*, Special Jury Mention, 25fps Experimental Film Festival, Croatia

2004 *Survey*, British Animation Awards, nominee

#### **Education**

1999 MA Animation, Royal College of Art, London

1996 The Newport International Film School, Newport. BA (Hons) Class 1 Film and Photography

1993 Foundation in Film and Photography, Portsmouth College of Art and Design

#### **Teaching Experience**

2001/- P/T Lecturer, Royal College of Art, London, MA Animation

2001/6 P/T Lecturer, West Surrey Institute of Art and Design, Foundation Art & Design

2003 VT, Mahatma Gandhi Institute, Mauritius

2002 External Examiner, Lancaster University, ongoing  
External Examiner,

2002 VT, Zargreb Art School Croatia

2001 VT, St Lucas Art School, Brussels, experimental moving image workshop

2001 VT, West Surrey Institute of Art and Design, MA Fine Art

1998/9 P/T Lecturer, The Newport International Film School

#### **Research & professional practice**

2007 Personal research development project, Royal College of Art, 'Light, Object, Image' ongoing

2007 Member of professional practice committee, Royal College of Art, ongoing

2007 Speaker, Battle of Ideas, RCA, London

2005 Member of research group, Royal College of Art, 'Moving Frame', ongoing