

Cole Pauls CV

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Bio:

Cole Pauls is a Champagne and Aishihik Citizen and Tahltan comic artist, illustrator, and printmaker hailing from Haines Junction (Yukon Territory). He holds a BFA in Illustration from Emily Carr University. Residing in Vancouver, Pauls has created three graphic novels: Dakwäkäda Warriors (2019), Pizza Punks (2021) and Kwändür (2022). In 2017, Pauls won Broken Pencil Magazine's Best Comic and Best Zine of the Year Award for Dakwäkäda Warriors II. In 2020, Dakwäkäda Warriors won Best Work in an Indigenous Language from the Indigenous Voices Awards and was nominated for the Doug Wright Award categories The Egghead & The Nipper. In 2022, Artspeak gallery, Vancouver, held the first solo exhibition of Pauls' work, Dazhän Kwändür ch'e (This is a Story)

Education:

2012 – 2013 Yukon School of Visual Arts Foundation Year Program
2013 – 2015 Emily Carr University of Art & Design
2015 – BFA Illustration Major from Emily Carr University

Awards:

2017 Broken Pencil Magazine Best Comic and Zine of the Year
2020 Indigenous Voices Awards Best work in an Indigenous Language

Nominations:

2020 Doug Wright Awards The Nipper & The Egghead for Dakwäkäda Warriors (Conundrum Press)

Residencies:

2018 - 2019 AIRS Program - Queen Alexandra Elementary F.A.M.I.L.Y. School
Specialty Artist, Vancouver BC
2019 October - Klondike Institute of Art & Culture Artist in Resident, Dawson City
YT
2019 November - Art City, Winnipeg MB
2019 - 2020 AIRS Program - Queen Alexandra Elementary F.A.M.I.L.Y. School
Specialty Artist, Vancouver BC
2021 AIRS Program - Queen Alexandra Elementary F.A.M.I.L.Y. School Specialty
Artist, Vancouver BC
2022 November - Art City, Winnipeg MB

Illustration Work:

2020 Toronto Comics Arts Festival Poster
2020 Wonderhorse Music Festival Art Director
2019 Nehiyawak Band Tee
2019 City of Vancouver Utility Box Burrard Inlet
2019 Dawson Daily News Print & Publishing Festival Poster
2019 Vancouver Comics Arts Festival Land Acknowledgment Comic
2018 City of Vancouver Utility Box Dunbar & 18th
2018 Yukon School of Visual Arts Tote Bag
2018 Music Waste Art Director
2017 Discorder October issue Cover & Calendar
2016 Talent Time Shirt & Logo design
2016 ECUAD x Telus Box Wrap Project
2016 City of Vancouver Utility Box Hastings & Gore
2015 Yukomicon tote bag design
2015 Beaver Creek Pool uniform shirt
2014 Shawkak Valley Community Pool uniform shirt
2014 Beatroute + 303 Columbia gig poster
2014 Beatroute September Album of the Month Review Editorial

Editor:

2017 Pizza Robot and Tombstone Feet, Published by Big Rock Candy Mountain
2017 VCC Comic Jam, Published by Vancouver Community College
2018 I'm Proud of my Heritage: Intergenerational Landed Learning Comic Book
Published by ILLP
2018 Indigeneity in Comics, Zine published by 221A Pollyanna Library
2018 - 2019 Queen Alexandra Comic Anthologies, 6 different DIV **Published In:**
2012 - 2015 DUNK, issues 3-9, 11-20
2013 Super Fun Satan Club II
2013 Comic Carr: Dreams and Delusions

2014 Capilano Courier, 7 issues
2014 WOO spring issue
2014 Comic Carr: Overhaul
2014 PYXIS Volume 1: Superstitions
2015 WOO Spring Issue
2017 SAD MAG Space Issue
2019 Dakwākāda Warriors published by Conundrum Press
2019 This is SERIOUS: Canadian Indie Comics Catalog, published by Conundrum Press
2021 Pizza Punks, published by Conundrum Press
2022 Kwändür, published by Conundrum Press

Self-Published:

2012 Astral Projection Comix #4: Celestial Nomad, Laser Jet, Edition of 100
2013 Tripper, Laser Jet, Edition of 150
2013 Invisible Cities, Hand printed linoleum block art book, Edition of 25
2013 Shake, Hand bound 20 page hardcover anthology, Edition of 20
2014 Pizza Punks Collection #1, Photocopied, Edition of 300
2014 Untitled BIC sketch zine, Photocopied, Edition of 200 2014 Visions, eBook
2014 Field Studies, Photocopied, Edition of 150
2015 Field Studies II, Photocopied, Edition of 150
2015 Pizza Punks Collection #2, Photocopied, Edition of 400
2015 The Walking City, Anthology, Laser jet, Edition of 50
2016 Pizza Punks Collection #3, Photocopied, Edition of 400
2016 I Chew Chew Chew You! The Pizza Art Show Companion, Photocopied, Edition of 100
2016 Orbit, photocopied, Edition of 100
2016 Golgi Body, In collaboration with Kirsten Hatfield, laser print, Edition of 100
2016 Dakwakada Warriors #1: She Catcher, Risograph, Edition of 500
2017 Pizza Punks Presents, Photocopied, Edition of 150
2017 Dakwakada Warriors #2, Risograph, Edition of 500
2018 Dakwakada Warriors #3 Risograph, Edition of 250
2019 Kwändür, Photocopied, Edition of 250
2019 Estsiye Kime (Grandpa's Home), Laser jet, Edition of 50 2022 Arctic and Dene Games, Photocopied, Edition of 200

Interviews:

2013 Punk By The Slice issue 5
2013 CBC Radio Whitehorse Yukon
2014 Nardwuar VS Pizza Punks Zine (Radio)
2016 CBC Radio Vancouver Coast to Coast 2016 Broken Pencil Magazine #74 2017 CiTR Unceded Airwaves S2E20
2017 Broken Pencil Magazine #77

2018 Absolute Underground Magazine Vol 14-2 Issue 80
2018 Broken Pencil Magazine #78 Zine of the Year Recap

Solo Show:

2014 February - Pizza Punks Pizza Party at The Couch Gallery, Vancouver BC
2018 Select Pizza Punks work, Burnaby Public Library, Burnaby BC
2018 Dän K'e Futurism at the Youth Gallery in the Yukon Arts Centre, Whitehorse YT
2019 Select Dakwäkãda Warriors work, Lucky's Comics, Vancouver BC
2022 Dazhän Kwändür Ch'e (This is a Story), Artspeak, Vancouver BC

Group Shows:

2012 March - MYLARchitecture at Arts Underground, Whitehorse, YT
2012 April - Over The Wire at the ODD Gallery, Dawson City, YT
2012 April - SOVA Year-End Exhibition at the Confluence Gallery, Dawson City YT
2013 January - LIBRO: The Liberation of the Book at The Concourse Gallery, Vancouver BC
2013 March - Totally Legit Native Art at The Concourse Gallery, Vancouver BC
2013 November - No Memes No at Hot Art Wet City, Vancouver BC
2014 January - UGH! A Prehistoric Art Show at Hot Art Wet City, Vancouver BC
2014 March - Aboriginal Student Group Show at The Concourse Gallery, Vancouver BC
2014 March - Carpe Noctem at The Fall Gallery, Vancouver BC
2014 March - The Blue Show at The Ayden Gallery, Vancouver BC
2014 June - Print Ready: Art Waste at Dynamo Arts Association, Vancouver BC
2014 October - Boobies and Wieners at Hot Art Wet City, Vancouver BC
2014 November - Pandemonium at Hot Art Wet City, Vancouver BC
2015 March - Dragons 'n S**t, Unity Gallery, Vancouver BC
2015 March - Unceded ECUAD Aboriginal show, The Concourse Gallery, Vancouver BC
2015 April - The 7th Annual CARDED Show, Hot Art Wet City, Vancouver BC
2015 May - The Show ECUAD Grad exhibit, Emily Carr University, Vancouver BC
2015 September - 12th Annual Hot One Inch Action, Hot Art Wet City, Vancouver BC
2016 February - I Chew- Chew-Chew You!, Hot Art Wet City, Vancouver BC (co-curator & contributor)
2016 March - Print Ready 5, Dynamo Arts Association, Vancouver BC
2016 May - Print Ready VI: Stockholm Edition, Minibar, Stockholm Sweden
2016 June - Eat Yo Self, Hot Art Wet City, Vancouver BC
2016 June - Art Waste, Fortune Sound Club, Vancouver BC
2017 March - Print Ready, Dynamo Arts Association, Vancouver BC
2017 March - The 9th Annual CARDED!, Arts Factory, Vancouver BC
2017 October - 14th Annual Hot One Inch Action, Arts Factory, Vancouver BC

2018 March - Print Ready, Dynamo Arts Association, Vancouver BC

2019 June 21 - January 5 2020 - This is SERIOUS: Canadian Indie Comics, Art Gallery of Hamilton, Hamilton ON

2020 March 13 - August 28 - Emerging North, Yukon Arts Centre, Whitehorse YT

2022 February 5 - April 30 - Chew the bones, they're soft (Collaboration with Whess Harman), Open Space, Victoria BC

2022 May 30 - June 5 - PAULS X PARKIN - Yukon Arts Centre, Whitehorse YT