

DERRICK ADAMS

EDUCATION

Columbia University, New York NY. MFA 2003

Pratt Institute, Brooklyn NY. BFA 1996

SOLO EXHIBITIONS + PERFORMANCES

- 2019 *Derrick Adams: Beauty World*, Frieze New York, Vigo Gallery London
- 2019 *Derrick Adams: New Icons*, Mary Boone, New York
- 2019 *Derrick Adams: Interior Life*, Luxembourg & Dayan, New York
- 2018 *Derrick Adams: "People Person" Recent Works from the Deconstruction Worker Series*, Anne de Villepoix, Paris
- 2018 *Derrick Adams: Transmission*, Museum of Contemporary Art, Denver, CO
- 2018 *Derrick Adams: Sanctuary* Museum of Arts and Design, New York, NY
- 2017 *Derrick Adams: Black White & Brown*, Primary Projects, Miami, FL
- 2017 *Figures in the Urban Landscape*, Tilton Gallery, New York, NY
- 2017 *Repose*, UTA Artist Space, Los Angeles, CA
- 2017 *Tell Me Something Good*, Rhona Hoffman Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2017 *Derrick Adams: Patrick Kelly, The Journey* Countee Cullen Library, The Studio Museum in Harlem, New York, NY
- 2017 *Network*, California African American Museum, Los Angeles, California
- 2017 *Future People*, Stony Island Arts Bank, Rebuild Foundation, Chicago, IL
- 2017 *The Builders, 1947*, Savannah College of Art and Design, Savannah, GA (performance)
- 2016 *Float*, Vigo Gallery, London
- 2016 *Finding Derrick 6 to 8, The* Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York NY (performance)
- 2016 *NYON*, Pioneer Works, Brooklyn (installation and performance)
- 2016 *Project for Empty Space*, Newark NJ, *Culture Club*
- 2016 *Crossroad: A Social Sculpture*, Bemis Centre for Contemporary Arts (installation and performance)
- 2016 *Black and White and In Color*, Galerie Anne de Villepoix, Paris, France
- 2015 *Pablo Fanque's Circus Royal/SIDESHOW* PERFORMA '15, New York NY (performance)
- 2016 *The Holdout*, Aljira, A Center for Contemporary Art, Newark NJ (installation and performance)
- 2016 *Static | Distortion | Interference*, Birmingham Museum of Art, Birmingham AL (performance)
- 2014 *LIVE and IN COLOUR*, Jack Tilton Gallery, New York NY
- 2014 *The Entertainer: Static | Distortion | Interference*, Logan Centre, Chicago IL (performance)
- 2014 *Derrick Adams*, T Magazine at Villa Necchi-Campiglio, Milan Italy (solo video installation)
- 2013 *Aestheticized Reductions of Self-Representation*, Hales Gallery, London UK
- 2013 *Once Upon a Time*. Performa '13, Salon 94, New York NY (performance)
- 2013 *The Institute of Me* Performa '13, Performa Hub, New York NY (performance)
- 2013 *In the Company of Others*, Louis B. James Gallery, New York NY
- 2013 *DISPLAY: Cloaked in The Proprieties of The Culture Game*, 80WSE Gallery, New York
- 2013 *Becoming One with Your Environment*, Galerie Anne De Villepoix, Paris
- 2012 *The Channel*, BAM Next Wave Festival, Brooklyn Academy of Music, Brooklyn (performance)

- 2012 *Hillman U. - A Dream Deferred, A Dream Fulfilled*, Proposition Gallery, New York NY
- 2012 *The World According to Derrick* Mills Gallery, Boston Center for the Arts, Boston MA
- 2012 *Communicating with Shadows*, Studio Museum in Harlem, New York NY (performance)
- 2012 *Man, As His Element*, Colburn Gallery, University of Vermont, Burlington VT
- 2012 MoMA PS1, New York, NY *The Entertainer* (performance)
- 2012 *Deconstruction Worker*, Jack Tilton Gallery, New York NY
- 2012 *Derrick Adams – Man as His Element*, The University of Vermont, Burlington, VT (performance)
- 2010 *Feed Them with A Long Spoon*, Third Streaming, New York NY (installation and performance)
- 2010 *Go Stand Next to the Mountain*, The Kitchen, New York NY (performance)
- 2010 *Welcome to Monument*, City Collette Blanchard Gallery, New York NY
- 2009 *Introduction to Bizarro*, Wiz Collette Blanchard Gallery NADA, Miami Beach (installation and performance)
- 2006 *Sometimes I Just Don't Feel Like Myself*, Momenta Arts, Brooklyn NY (installation and performance)
- 2005 *Anew*, PERFORMA '05, Participant Inc, New York NY (performance)
- 2005 *I'm Sorry; I'm Lost*, Marvelli Gallery, New York NY
- 2005 *I'm Smoke; you're Mirror*, Participant Inc, New York NY (installation and performance)
- 2004 *Me and My Imaginary Friends*, Triple Candie (Project Space), New York NY (installation and performance)
- 2003 *The Big Getaway*, Jack Tilton Gallery, New York NY

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2018 *Punch*, Jeffrey Deitch, New York, NY
- 2018 *Postcard from New York- Part II* Anna Marra Contemporanea, Rome, Italy
- 2018 *Talisman in the Age of Difference*, Stephen Friedman Gallery, London, United Kingdom
- 2018 *Go Figure*, Pizzuti Collection, Columbus, OH
- 2017 *Prospect.4*, Prospect New Orleans, New Orleans
- 2017 *LA Maker*, Maker, Children's Museum of the Arts, New York, NY
- 2017 *Unobstructed Views*, Hawkins Ferry House in partnership with Library Street Collective and the Museum of Contemporary Art Detroit, Detroit, MI
- 2017 *Lines of Influence*, SCAD Museum of Art, Savannah, GA
- 2017 *Third Space /Shifting Conversations about Contemporary Art*, Birmingham Museum of Art, Birmingham, A
- 2016 *Black Pulp*, International Print Centre, New York NY
- 2016 *Messages in the Street*, Cargo Collective, Chicago IL
- 2016 *March Madness*, Fort Gansevoort, New York NY
- 2016 *Muse*: Aperture Foundation, New York NY
- 2016 *Experiments in Print: Derrick Adams, Matthew Day Jackson, Dread Scott & Kate Shepherd*
The Print Center, Philadelphia PA
- 2016 *Black Pulp* Yale School of Art, 32 Edgewood Gallery, New Haven CT
- 2015 *Young, Gifted and Black*, Goodman Gallery, Johannesburg, South Africa
- 2015 *OUs Is Them*, Pizzuti Collection, Columbus
- 2015 *All Killer No Filler*, Eric Firestone Gallery, East Hampton NY
- 2015 *Radical Presence: Black Performance in Contemporary Art*, Yerba Buena Center for the Arts CA
- 2015 *Geometries of Difference: New Approaches to Ornament and Abstraction*
Samuel Dorsky Museum of Art, SUNY, New Paltz NY
- 2014 *Retreat*, Valerie Carberry Gallery and Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago IL
- 2014 *Szalon*, Logan Center, Chicago IL
- 2014 *CORELEVANCE: Perspectives of the African American Experience*, Quintenz Gallery, Aspen

- 2014 *Black Eye*, Concept NV, New York NY
- 2014 *Radical Presence: Black Performance in Contemporary Art* Walker, Art Center, Minneapolis MN
- 2014 *Outside the Lines: Black in the Abstract, Part II: Hard Edges/Soft Curves*, The Contemporary Arts Museum Houston TX
- 2013 *Radical Presence*, Studio Museum in Harlem, New York NY
- 2013 *The Shadows Took Shape*, Studio Museum in Harlem, New York NY
- 2013 *Reading List: Artists' Selections from the MoMA Library Collection*, Museum of Modern Art, New York NY
- 2013 QF Gallery, East Hampton NY
- 2013 *Reloading the Canon: African Traditions in Contemporary Art*, The James E. Lewis Museum of Art, Baltimore MD
- 2012 *Radical Presence; Black Performance in Contemporary Art*, The Contemporary Arts Museum Houston TX
- 2012 *Bigger Than Shadows* Dodge Gallery, New York NY
- 2012 *Friends With Benefits*, Lehmann Maupin Gallery, New York NY
- 2012 Yancey Richardson Gallery, New York NY
- 2012 *The Road Ahead*, Roberts & Tilton, Los Angeles
- 2012 *Summer Group Show*, Galerie Anne de Villepoix, Paris France
- 2012 *Pratt Alumni Painters* Pratt Manhattan Gallery, New York NY
- 2012 *Sonando en Color, Havana Biennial* Centro Experimental De Los Artes Visuales, Havana Cuba
- 2012 *Next Generation: Selections by Artists in the 30 Americans Collection* Contemporary Wing, Washington DC
- 2012 *Tete-a-Tete* Rhona Hoffman Gallery, Chicago IL
- 2012 PS1 MoMa, Long Island City NY *Sunday Sessions* (performance)
- 2012 C24 Gallery, New York NY *Campaign*
- 2011 *The Bearden Project*, Studio Museum in Harlem, New York NY
- 2011 *The February Show*, Ogilvy & Mather, New York NY
- 2010 *Bite: Street Inspired Art + Fashion*, Third Streaming, New York NY
- 2010 *Lush Life: Chapter One: Whistle* Sue, Scott Gallery, New York NY
- 2010 *50 Artists Photograph the Future*, Higher Pictures, New York NY
- 2010 *Dissecting Intersections: Performative Responses*, Bowery Poetry Club, New York NY
- 2010 *Precarity and The Butter Tower*, CTRL GALLERY, Houston TX
- 2010 *NeoIntegrity: Comics Edition*, Museum of Comic & Cartoon Art, New York NY
- 2009 *Revelatory Tension*, BRIC Arts, Brooklyn NY
- 2009 *NYHarlem Postcards*, Studio Museum in Harlem, New York
- 2008 *Untitled (On Paper)*, Moti Hasson Gallery, New York NY
- 2008 *Bedtime Stories*, Red House Arts Centre, Syracuse NY
- 2008 *1968: Then and Now*, Nathan Cummings Foundation, New York NY
- 2008 *FLCasa de Carton*, Ingalls & Associates, Miami
- 2007 *Neo Integrity*, Derek Eller Gallery, New York NY
- 2007 *Dream of Today*, Steve Turner Contemporary, Los Angeles CA
- 2007 *Possession*, University of Arkansas at Little Rock *Taking*
- 2007 *Reasons to Riot*, Memphis College of Art, Memphis TN
- 2006 *Invalidate My Dreams*, Taxter & Spengemann, New York NY
- 2006 *The Pulse of New Brooklyn*, MoCADA, Brooklyn NY
- 2005 *If You're Feeling Sinister*, Alona Kagan Gallery, New York NY
- 2005 *Greater New York 2005*, MoMA PS1, Long Island City NY
- 2005 *Jack Tilton Inaugural Exhibition*, Tilton Gallery, New York NY
- 2004 *Art Downtown: Connecting Collections*, Wall Street Rising / Deutsche Bank, New York NY
- 2004 *Me, Myself & I, Florida* Atlantic University Gallery, Boca Raton FL
- 2004 *Notorious Impropriety*, Samson Projects, Boston MA

- 2004 *Open House: Working in Brooklyn*, Brooklyn Museum of Art, Brooklyn NY
- 2003 *24/7: Wilno – Nueva York (Visa Para)*, Contemporary Art Centre, Vilnius, Lithuania
- 2003 *Confrontation or Commentary*, Nathan Cummings Foundation, New York NY
- 2003 *NYSummer Jam*, Roebling Hall – Satellite, New York
- 2003 *LYou isa*, Kirk Projects, New York NY
- 2003 *Adams, Cerrillo, Perkins* Massimo Audiello, New York NY
- 2003 *Veni Vidi, Video* Studio Museum in Harlem, New York NY
- 2003 *Urbanites: New York, London, Tokyo* Centenary Gallery, Camberwell College of Arts, London, UK
- 2002 *Hotel/Motel*, Triple Candie, New York NY
- 2001 *Striking Blows*, Manhattan Borough President's Office, New York NY

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Birmingham Museum of Art, Birmingham, AL
Ford Foundation, New York, NY
JP Morgan Chase, New York, NY
The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York
Microsoft Art Collection, Redmond, WA
Museum of Arts and Design, New York, NY
Studio Museum in Harlem, New York, NY
Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond, VA
Pizzuti Collection, Columbus, OH
Progressive Insurance, Mayfield OH
US Embassy in Nouakchott, Mauritania
Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY
USB Art Collection, New York, NY