

Nolan Simon

Born 1980, Detroit, MI  
Lives and works in Detroit, MI

#### Education

2005 BFA, College for Creative Studies, Detroit, MI

#### One and Two Person Exhibitions

2023 *The First Machine*, What Pipeline, Detroit, MI

2022 *Sons and Daughters and Lovers*, Lars Friedrich, Berlin, Germany

2021 *Polyamory*, 47 Canal, New York

2019 *Other People*, 47 Canal, New York

2017 *Reflections*, What Pipeline, Detroit, MI

2016 *Okok*, Lars Friedrich, Berlin, Germany

2015 *Fights: Collaborative Works By Nolan Simon & Dylan Spaysky*, Night Club, Chicago, IL  
*Impressions*, Green Gallery East, Milwaukee, WI  
*Portraits*, 47 Canal, NY

2013 *Paintings for School*, Lars Friedrich, Berlin, Germany

2012 *8-10 American Paintings*, Reisebüroalerie, Cologne, Germany  
*Paintings*, 47 Canal, New York

2011 *jsəʌ*, Cave, Detroit, MI

2009 *Events and Characteristics*, Public Surface, Stockholm, Sweden

2004 *Passage, Inference and Surface*, Meadowbrook Art Gallery, Oakland University,  
Rochester MI

#### Group Exhibitions

2023 *Hoi Köln Part 2: In The Belly of The Machine*, Kölnischer Kunstverein, Cologne,  
Germany  
*Get Together*, Reyes Finn, Detroit, MI

2019 *The Samovar*, Overduin and Co, Los Angeles, CA  
*Techniques of the Observer*, Green Naftali, New York

Group Exhibitions (continued)

2019 *The Rest*, Lisson Gallery, New York

2017 *Light Duress*, organized by Baby Grand, Circa Modern, Chicago, IL

2016 *You Never Actually Own Anything*, Lucas Hirsch, Düsseldorf, Germany  
*LANDSCAPES*, Marlborough Chelsea, New York  
*Ever get the feeling we're not alone in this world?* What Pipeline, Detroit, MI  
*Pledge Allegiance*, On Stellar Rays, New York  
*Walk Artisanal*, Los Angeles, CA

2015 *Pet Sematary*, Shoot the Lobster, New York  
*Let's Get Figurative*, Nicelle Beauchene Gallery, New York  
*Maraschino*, curated by Adrienne Rubenstein, Fourteen30, Portland, OR

2014 *U:L:O Part II Paper for the Sky*, Interstate Projects, Brooklyn, NY  
*Multimedia Messaging Service*, curated by Nolan Simon, Dylan Spaysky and Curtis Glenn  
Center Galleries, CCS, Detroit, MI

2013 *Reproduction*, What Pipeline, Detroit, MI  
*Snail Salon*, Regina Rex, Queens, NY  
*The digital divide*, curated by Henning Strassbure, Sies + Höke Galerie, Düsseldorf, Germany

2012 *Painting and Flowers*, Cleopatras, Brooklyn, NY  
*Pig Party*, New York City, New York  
*In Plain Sight*, Mitchell-Innes & Nash, New York

2011 *of certain instability*, Thomas Erben Gallery, New York

2010 *179 Canal / Anyways*, organized by Margaret Lee, White Columns, New York

2009 *Episode 16, Untitled (Television Show)*, BCAT Public Television, Brooklyn, NY  
*Workout*, curated by Ryan Sullivan, OTOM, Brooklyn, NY  
*All the Splendors of the Earth*, Center Galleries, CCS, Detroit, MI  
*Far Out*, Apartment Show, Brooklyn, NY

2008 ASPN, Showroom 8, ASPN Galerie, Leipzig, Germany  
Q, Showroom 10, Hammerstrasse 133, Basel, Switzerland  
*If I Told You You Were Beautiful Would You Date Me on the Regular?*, curated by Nicholas Weist, Oliver Kamm/5BE Gallery, New York  
*A New High in Getting Low*, John Connelly Presents, New York  
ASPN, Showroom 7, ASPN Galerie, Leipzig, Germany

2007 *Brian Clifton-Nolan Simon*, John Connelly Presents: Tunnel Room, New York  
*The Gap*, part of the In Practice Projects, Sculpture Center, Long Island City, NY

### Group Exhibitions (continued)

2007 *I Wanna Be A Hippie*, Showroom 5, Capana Magnone, Switzerland

2006 *René Zeh and Friends of RICHRICHRICH*, RICHRICHRICH, Shelby Twp., MI  
untitled exhibition, RICHRICHRICH, Shelby Twp., MI

2003 *DETROIT NOW*, Detroit Artists Market, Detroit, MI

### Curatorial Projects and Lectures

*Multimedia Messaging Service*, Center Galleries, CCS, Detroit, MI, 2014

*Whaddaya Wanna Be, a Flower!?*, Alexander and Bonin, New York, NY, 2009

*All the Splendors of the Earth*, Center Galleries, CCS, Detroit, MI, 2009

*On Fluxations in the Field of Dreams*, part of Jeffrey Tranchell's *Informal Lectures Series*, 11th Street Bar, New York, NY, 2008

RICHRICHRICH, Founder and member, Shelby Twp., MI, 2006

*Artist's Choice Lecture Series*, Detroit Institute of Arts, Detroit, MI, 2006

*I remain the same: Changed*, Center Galleries, CCS, Detroit, MI, 2005

*Detroit Now Artist Lecture*, Detroit Artists Market, Detroit, MI, 2003

### Published Writings, Interviews and Conversations

"Miami Recap: Detroit Representations by Nolan Simon, edited by Rachel Pontius," *Runner Magazine*, January 3, 2022

"An interview with Nolan Simon by Virginia Torrence," *Runner Magazine*, May 11, 2020

"Feature: Productive Contradictions — *Jamian Juliano-Villani, Greg Parma Smith, Nolan Simon* by Eli Diner," *Flash Art*, Issue 303, July - August - September 2015

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AnOther: "AnOther's Highlights From Frieze Art Fair 2016," October 6, 2016

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Goodrich, John. *Hyperallergic*: "The Formal Challenges of Figurative Painting," November 9, 2015

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Smith, Paul. *Newcity Art*: "Review: Nolan Simon and Dylan Spaysky/Night Club," August 18, 2015

Minerath, Kat. *Shepherd Express*: "'Impressions' of Nolan Simon," August 13, 2015

Diner, Eli. *Flash Art*: "Productive Contradictions," July 1, 2015

Rubenstein, Adrienne. *Art Viewer*: "Maraschino at Fourteen30 Contemporary," April 8, 2015

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Miller, Michael. Gallerist NY: "Opening: Nolan Simon at 47 Canal," May 14, 2012  
DetroitArts: "Nolan Simon @ Motor City," September 7, 2006