

Danielle Dean

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Education

- 2013 The Whitney Museum of American Art: Independent Study Program, New York
- 2012 MFA California Institute of Arts, Los Angeles
- 2006 BFA (Hons) Fine Art, Central Saint Martins, London
- 2003 Foundation studies, Central Saint Martins, London

Solo Exhibitions

- 2022 *HIT Human Intelligence Task*, Commonwealth and Council, Los Angeles  
*Art Now Danielle Dean*, Tate Britain, London
- 2020 *Continental Private Road*, 1646 Art Space, The Hague, NL
- 2019 *Trigger Torque*, Ludwig Forum Aachen, Germany  
*Fordism*, UP Projects, London, UK, (exhibited online)
- 2018 *Danielle Dean: A Portrait of True Red*, Cranbrook Art Museum, Bloomfield Hills, MI  
*Bazar*, 47 Canal, New York, NY  
*Landed*, (two-person show), Cubitt Gallery, London, UK  
*True Red Ruin*, Museum of Contemporary Art Detroit, Detroit, MI
- 2017 *a shoe, a phone, a castle*, Commonwealth and Council, Los Angeles, CA  
*Point of Sale*, (two-person show), Vermilion Sands, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2016 *Focus*, Studio Museum, Harlem, New York
- 2015 *Hexafluorosilicic*, Commonwealth and Council, Los Angeles, CA
- 2012 *Confession on a Dance Floor*, The Bindery projects, Minnesota, MN  
*Part Time Lover*, Commonwealth and Council, Los Angeles, CA  
*Baby Girl, No Lye*, CalArts Thesis Show, Los Angeles, CA
- 2011 *Heaven on Earth*, CalArts Thesis show, Los Angeles, CA
- 2010 *Future Essence*, 198 Contemporary Arts and Learning @ 45, London, UK  
*Future Essence*, Central St Martins Window Gallery, London, UK

Group Exhibitions

- 2022 *Whitney Biennial 2022: Quiet as It's Kept*, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York
- 2021 친구, 47 Canal, New York
- 2018 Athens Biennale, ANTI, Athens, Greece  
*Artist's film international*, Museum of Art, Architecture and Technology in Lisbon, Portugal

Group Exhibitions (continued)

- 2018 *Freedom of Movement*, Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam, Netherlands  
*Knock Knock: Humour in Contemporary Art*, The South London Gallery, London, UK  
*Commonwealth and Council*, Carmen Argote, Danielle Dean, Katie Grinnan, Young Joon Kwak, Kenneth Tam, 47 Canal, New York  
*Le centre ne peut tenir*, Lafayette Anticipation, Paris, FR  
*Artist's film international*, The Whitechapel Gallery, London, UK  
*Object Love*, Museum de Domijnen Hedendaagse Kunst Sittard, Netherlands
- 2017 *True Red Ruin* (performance) Centre for experimental lectures, BAM, New York  
*Rijks Open*, Rijksakademie van Beeldende Kunsten, Amsterdam, Netherlands  
*Where Do We Stand?: Two Years of Drawing with Open Sessions*, The Drawing Centre, New York  
*She*, SFMOMA Open Space, online commission, San Francisco, CA  
*From Concrete to liquid to spoken worlds to the word*, Centre D'Art Contemporain Geneve, Geneva, Switzerland  
*Watch List*, Signal, New York  
*Soft Skills*, The James Gallery, CUNY, New York  
*In Practice: Material Deviance*, Sculpture Center, New York
- 2016 *Lagos Live*, Goethe Institute Nigeria, Lagos, Nigeria  
*Experimental People*, High Line Art, New York  
*At the Seams*, The Grimsby Public Art Gallery, Grimsby, ON, Canada  
*Open Source*, Contemporary arts festival, Dalston, London, UK  
*It Can Howl*, Atlanta Contemporary Art Center, Atlanta, GA  
*The doer of great deeds and the speaker of great words*, Hap Gallery, Portland, OR  
*Shifters*, Art in General, New York  
*Flavr Savr\**, curated by Alexandra Gaty, The Pit, Los Angeles, CA  
*Gentrification*, Houston Museum-African American Culture, Houston, TX  
*What Shall We Do Next?* Diverse Works, Houston, TX
- 2015 *Art and the measure of Liberty*, Korea, United Nations, New York  
*After Biopolitics*, SLSA Conference at Rice University, Houston, TX  
*It Came From CalArts*, CentralTrak: The University of Texas at Dallas, TX  
*Core Exhibition*, Glassell school of art, Houston, TX
- 2014 *Effeminaries*, Western Exhibitions, Chicago, IL  
*Made in L.A 2014*, The Hammer Museum, Los Angeles, CA  
*Whitney Independent Study Program Studio Exhibition*, {TEMP}, New York  
*Open*, Papillion, Leimert Park, Los Angeles, CA
- 2013 *Demolition Women*, The Guggenheim gallery at Chapman University, Orange, CA
- 2012 *Full Time Lover*, CoLab, Art Platform, Los Angeles, CA  
*Authenticity?* Untitled Art Projects, Los Angeles, CA  
*MMXII*, LA Mart, Los Angeles, CA
- 2011 *Tropical Lab*, LASALLE College of the Arts, Singapore  
*Open Ending*, The Farley Building, Los Angeles, CA  
*Womanhouse*, Main Gallery: CalArts, Los Angeles, CA

Group Exhibitions (continued)

- 2011 *The White Woman with the Brown Skin with a White Name with a Gun on a Horse*, Human Resources, Los Angeles, CA
- 2010 *LuckyPDF*, Episode 2, Auto Italia LIVE, Internet broadcast from London, UK  
*Yes Way 2*, Auto Italia South East with Upset The Rhythm, London, UK  
*No Soul For Sale*, Tate Modern, London, UK
- 2009 *Melrose Place*, James Taylor Gallery, London, UK  
*Rob Pruitt's Flea Market*, Tate Modern, London, UK  
*Menu*, Savoy Café, London, UK  
*Panda Malin-Head*, Auto Italia South East, London, UK  
*Yes Way*, Auto Italia South East with Upset The Rhythm, London, UK
- 2008 *Epic*, Auto Italia South East, London, UK
- 2007 *For One Night Only*, Auto Italia South East, London, UK

Screenings

- 2019 *Fordism*, Art Night London on the Floating Festival by UP Projects
- 2017 *Based on Kathy Rae Huffman*, Goldsmiths University, London, UK  
*It feels right to me, From the Interior + more*, Lux Scotland, Glasgow, UK  
*The Petty Biennial*, Arts Incubator, Chicago, IL  
*Screen: A Portrait of True Red by Danielle Dean*, Art Viewer, Online  
*Comrade, what is your visual bond today?*, Moma PS1, New York  
*How 2 do: being other, being real*, Transart Triennale, Berlin, Germany  
*Tableux*, Assembly Point, London, UK
- 2015 *Regional, International & Extraterrestrial*, Museum as Retail Space, Los Angeles, CA  
*BORIS R. Gulp*, 2601-2603 Studios, Los Angeles, CA  
*Discourse in New Media*, Frye Art Museum, Seattle, WA  
*Seeing Hearing* Screening, Dark Lodge, Chicago, IL  
*&NOW 2015 at Calarts*, Maggie Nelson, Los Angeles, CA
- 2014 *Danielle Dean, Hannah Price, Rodrigo Valenzuela*, Diverse Works, Houston, TX  
*2nd Annual Afterglow Summer Video Series*, Pieter Performance Space, Los Angeles, CA  
*Moving Situations*, Hammer Museum, Los Angeles, CA  
*Made for Television*, Aux Performance Space, Vox Populi, Philadelphia, PA
- 2013 *74 MINUTES*, Human Resources, Los Angeles, CA  
*Los Angeles < 9811.81 km Vienna*, Atelier Sachlink, Vienna, Austria

Residencies

- 2017-19 Rijksakademie van Beeldende Kunsten, Amsterdam, NL  
2016-17 Open sessions, The Drawing Center, New York  
2014-16 The Core, The Museum of Fine Art Houston, Houston, TX  
2013-14 The Whitney Museum of American Art: Independent Study Program, NY  
2012 Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, Skowhegan, ME

### Residencies (continued)

2011 Tropical Lab, LASALLE College of the Arts residency and exhibition, Singapore

### Awards and Grants

2021 Tomorrowland Projects Foundation Award, New York  
2015 Creative Capital, Visual Arts Award, New York  
2014 Rema Hort Foundation Award, New York  
2013 Emdash Award, Frieze Foundation, Finalist, London, UK  
2012 Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, ME  
Interdisciplinary Project Grant / CalArts' Provost Fund  
2010 MFA CalArts full scholarship  
2005 Celeste Art Prize, finalist, London, UK

### Artist Lectures

2018 *Artist talk: Danielle Dean and Jeanine Oleson*, Cubitt Gallery, London, U.K  
*Simone Browne and Danielle Dean in conversation*, Museum of Contemporary Art  
Detroit, Detroit, MI  
2017 *On Making and Signifying race, wealth, and labor through photography*, panel,  
International Center of Photography, New York  
Cranbrook Art Museum, DeSalle Auditorium, Bloomfield Hills, MI  
2016 Paul Brach Lecture Series, California Institute of the Arts, CA  
Visiting artist/lecturer, Parlor Room Lecture series, School of the Art Institute of Chicago,  
Chicago, IL  
Visiting artist/lecturer, Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfield Hills, MI  
2015 Panel discussion, CentralTrak: The University of Texas at Dallas, TX  
The University of Texas at Dallas, TX  
2012 Bethel University, Saint Paul, MN

### Publications

X.TRA, volume 20, number 4, 2018  
Art Viewer Screen Anthology, Holoholo Books, 2018  
*True Red Ruin*, Exhibition Catalog, Museum of Contemporary Art Detroit, 2018  
*Soft Skills*, Exhibition Catalog, The Graduate Center, CUNY, 2017  
*In practice: Material Deviance*, Exhibition Catalog, SculptureCenter, 2017  
*Art and the measure of Liberty* catalogue, Baik Art, 2015  
*Made in LA* catalogue, Connie Butler and Michael Ned Holte, 2014  
*Demolition Women* catalog, The Guggenheim gallery at Chapman University, 2013  
*Monaco Magazine*, Issue five, edited by Katie Guggenheim, 2012  
*Monaco Magazine*, Printed Matter, Issue four, 2011  
*Monaco Magazine*, ICA, Issue two, 2010  
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*Panda Malin-Head catalogue*, Auto Italia South East, 2010

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- 2021 Editors. The Brooklyn Rail: "Amazon (Proxy)'Talking about the past was a way to talk about the present.'" October 7
- 2020 van den Boogerd, Dominic. De Witte Raaf: "Danielle Dean. Continental Private Road," September  
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- 2018 Howe, David Everitt. Art in America: "Danielle Dean," November 1  
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- 2017 Lookofsky, Sarah. Artforum: "Critics' Picks, 'Soft Skills,'" May 19  
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Kryger, Mathias. Politiken: "Ibyen's Art Recommendations: Experience the most sexy show of the time," March 25  
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Geoffrey Wood, William. Houstonia magazine: "Restless Finger Syndrome," January 8  
Not that but this arts and culture webzine: "Imitating the Aesthetics of Gentrification – Part One"
- 2015 Huete, Betsy The Great God Pan is dead: "Betsy Huete's Top Ten of 2015," December 13  
Karraker, Miriam W. Bitch Media: "Five Rad New Media Artists to Watch," September 8  
Drew, Kimberly. Walker Reader: "Towards a New Digital Landscape, Representation, Erasure, and the Future of Digital Art," May 11  
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