Ellen Schafer

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Lives and works in Los Angeles, USA

Education

2020 University of California, Irvine, CA, US (MFA)

2015 University of Southern California Roski School of Arts and Design, CA, US

(1 year of MFA program)

2012 Glasgow School of Art, Scotland, UK

Solo & duo exhibitions

2022 Open Arm for Other Places Art Fair, San Pedro, CA

2021 Artissima Art Fair (duo presentation with Georg Petermichl), Turin, IT

Nickelodeon Universe, WONNERTH DEJACO, Vienna, AT

Simplicity, New Low, Los Angeles, and The Fulcrum, Los Angeles, US

2020 Adult Costume, UAG Gallery, University of California, Irvine, CA, US

2018 You're Fierce. You're Perfect. You Slay., new jörg, Vienna, AT

2016 I Reach Out and Touch Another, curated by Anne Luther,

Elijah Wheat Showroom, Brooklyn, NY, US

XSS, XS, S, M, L, XL, XXL, Helmuth Projects, San Diego, CA, US

2013 Palpable Flesh, CirkulationsCentralen, Malmö, SE

Black Sun, OK Corral, Copenhagen, DK

2012 Conditional Love, Glasgow School of Art, Glasgow, Scotland, UK

Things That Touch, Glasgow School of Art, Glasgow, Scotland, UK

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2011 Art is Hard, Vic Gallery, Glasgow School of Art, Glasgow, Scotland, UK

Selected group exhibitions

2024 The Mountain Outside Our Window, a group show with the 12 represented

artists, curated by Katharina Höglinger, WONNERTH DEJACO, Vienna, AT

Loose Ends/Unerledigte Dinge, MODEST common, Los Angeles, CA, US

2022 Other Places Art Fair, San Pedro, CA, US

Identity-the Inner Border, Pavelhaus, Bad Radkersburg, AT

2020 Cerebro con huevo/Hirn mit Ei (co-curated by Offshore

Projects and new jörg), Bikini Wax EPS, Mexico City, MX

2019 Wooba presents The 2015 Honda Fit, Wooba, Austin, TX, US

San Marino Health Lab, Dread Lounge, Los Angeles, CA, US

Spa Day, UAG Gallery, University of California, Irvine, CA, US

2018 Ordination, curated by Sophie Tappeiner and Kerstin von Gabin, Vienna, AT

Las Lenguas, BBQLA, Los Angeles, CA, US

Abode Gallery, Other Places Los Angeles at the Angels Gate Arts Center, San Pedro, CA, US

Belt Friction, Kopeiken Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, US

All Hands on Deck, Ben Maltz Gallery, Otis College

of Art & Design, Los Angeles, CA, US

2016 This Psychodrama (curated by Morgan Mandalay),

SME Gallery, San Diego, CA, US

Figure as Form, Itd los angeles, Los Angeles, CA, US

Pleasure Principle, Actual Size, Los Angeles, CA, US

No! I Am Not a Singular Instrument, Various

Small Fires, Los Angeles, CA, US

[We] once became a [cloud] that drove each and every one of [my

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clouds] outside, then played, Actual Size, Los Angeles, CA, US

2015 Tanya Brodsky, Sofia Londono, Ellen Schafer, SPF 15, San Diego, CA, US

Being With People, Shanaynay, Paris, FR

Recesses, Park View, Los Angeles, CA, US

2012 New Firm, Candid Arts Trust, London, UK

Publications

2016 Pleasure Principle, collaborative flux box published

by Gold Editions, Los Angeles 2016

Thoughts are Full, self-published artist book

Selected bibliography

2018 Jeanne Dreskin, "All Hands on Deck," Artforum, February 2018

Anna Garner, "Kopeiken Gallery: Belt Friction," *Artillery Magazine*, February 2018

2016 Angella d'Avignon, "Figure as Form at Itd Los

Angeles," Carla, September 2016

ED Noice, "Picking Through Gold Press' Pleasure

Principle," Airbnb, August 2016

Kate Messinger, "No, I Am Not a Singular Instrument," *Paper Magazine*, July 2016

Catherine Wagely, "No, I Am Not a Singular

Instrument," LA Weekly, June 2016

Aria Dean, "No, I Am Not a Singular Instrument," Artforum, June 2016

Paris LA: 14, Art Education, "The Class That

Got Away," Paris LA, Winter 2016

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2015 Jan Tumlir, "Recesses," *Artforum*, November 2015

Awards

2017 Emerging Artist Grant Nominee (Los Angeles), Rema Hort Mann Foundation