

Shay Kun

Lives and works in New York, NY

Education

2000

MA in Fine Art, Goldsmiths College, London, England

1998

BA in Fine Art, Bezalel Academy of Art and Design, Jerusalem, Israel

Selected Solo Exhibitions

2013

Untitled, Linda Warren Gallery, Chicago, IL

2012

Be First, Be Smarter or Cheat, Benrimon Contemporary, New York, NY

Domestic Sticky Wildlife, Martine Chaisson Gallery, New Orleans, LA

2011

Rebreather, Lamotagne Gallery, Boston, MA

VOLTA NY 'Take Off', New York, NY

2010

Exfoliations, Benrimon Contemporary, New York, NY

Overcast, Hezi Cohen Gallery, Tel-Aviv, Israel

Slack Tide, Lamontagne Gallery, Boston, MA

2009

Opportunities multiply as they are seized, David Castillo Gallery, Miami, FL

2008

Nails & Feathers, BUIA Gallery, New York, NY

2007

Old Flames Don't Die Out They Build New Fires, Tavi Dresdner Gallery, Tel-Aviv, Israel

2007

Perversion Is the Love We Feel When Others Feel Love, SEVENTEEN Gallery, London, UK

2006

Melting Midlands, BUIA Gallery, New York, NY

2005

I Care Because You do Too, BUIA Gallery, New York, NY

1999

Desktop-The Reunion, Efrat Gallery, Tel-Aviv, Israel

1992

Gesher Gallery, Tel-Aviv, Israel

Selected Group Exhibitions

2012

Group show, Illoulia Contemporary, Los Angeles, CA

Sight (UN) Scene, Benrimon Contemporary, New York
Good Intentions, Hezi Cohen Gallery, Tel-Aviv, Israel

2011

Russ and Liz Ultimate Playlist, Four Eleven Studio, Provincetown, MA
Update Your Realty, Alexander Ochs Gallery, Berlin, Germany
Art Cologne, Alexander Ochs Gallery, Berlin, Germany
Savage Grace, Russell Projects, Richmond, VA
Pulse Art Fair, Benrimon Contemporary, New York
Fresh Paint, Israeli Art Fair, Tel Aviv, Israel

2010

The Law of the Jungle, Lehmann Maupin Gallery, New York, NY
Interrupted Landscape, Champion Contemporary, Austin, TX
Generations, DNA Gallery, Provincetown, MA
Fresh Apples, Hezi Cohen Gallery, Tel-Aviv, Israel
Sky Was Yellow, Sun Was Blue, Russell Projects, Richmond, VA
LABA, 14TH Street Y, New York, NY
The Artist's Guide to the L.A. Galaxy, West Los Angeles College Art Gallery, L.A.

2009

Animamix, The Shanghai contemporary Art Museum, China
Viceroy Hotel, Vara Global Fine Arts, Special Projects, Art Basel Miami Beach
Golden Record: Sounds of Earth, The Collection, Lincoln, England
Three Painters, BUIA Gallery, New York, NY

2008

In Your Face, BUIA Gallery, New York, NY
Pole Shift, Project Gentili, Berlin, Germany
Somewhere To Elsewhere, Linda Warren Gallery, Chicago, IL.
Pulse Art Fair, Saatchi online, New York
Golden Record, Collective Gallery, Edinburgh, Scotland
Fresh Paint, Israeli Art Fair, Tel Aviv, Israel
London Confidential, MEWS 42, London, UK
Artfutures, Bloomberg Space, London, UK

2007

Holiday!, BUIA Gallery, NY
...A Landscape Show, Samson Projects, Boston, MA
Slick Art Fair, Vanessa Suchar, Paris, France
Sunny, Clear and Cool, BUIA Gallery, NY
The Most Curatorial Biennial, Apexart, NY
The Juddykes, John Jones Gallery, London, UK
Subreality, Aftermodern Gallery, SF
Reddot Art Fair, Vanessa Suchar, NY
Invisible Jet, Buia Gallery, NY

2006

Winter Salon, Lesley Heller Gallery, NY
Bridge Art Fair, Vanessa Suchar, Miami
Art 212, Aftermodern Gallery, NY
Learning How to Make New Friends, Mackb Gallery, Florida, U.S.A
Shifting Landscapes, Aftermodern Gallery, SF
Breezer, BUIA Gallery, NY
Draw_Drawing 2, The Foundry (in conjunction with London Biennial), London, UK
The Pop Art Show, The Kaufmann Arcade, NY

2005

Children of the Grave, the Agency, London, UK
Our World, World Arts Media, New York, NY
Utopia, Fournos Center For Digital Art, Athens, Greece
Poles Apart / Poles Together, 51st Venice Biennale, Venice, Italy
In the Ring, BUJA Gallery, New York, NY
This dream, America, Art League of Long Island, Dix Hills, NY
Tsunami Benefit Auction, at Philips de Pury, New York, NY
Wandering, a part of Artis05' (Israeli Art Week), Makor, NY
"...and death", New Space Gallery, Manchester College, CT

2004

Boundless Joint, Oslo, Norway
The Peekskill Project, HVCCA, Peekskill, NY
Wandering Library, Book Art Museum, Lodz, Poland
Draw_Drawing, Gallery 32 (in conjunction with London Biennial), London, UK
Primo, Buia Gallery, New York, NY
Feast or Famine: Artists and Food, DNA Gallery, Provincetown, MA
Social Order, Buia Gallery, New York, NY
Raid Projects, The Armory Show, New York, NY
Sub-Plot, Barthelemy Gallery, New York, NY
The Mouth Breathers, Nurture Art Gallery, New York, NY

2003

Banners III, Lubbock, TX
The Bill Clinton Show, Locus Media Gallery, New York, NY
Puppy Love, Pelham Art Center, Westchester, NY
Eickholt Gallery, New York, NY

2002

PoT, Joint Exhibition, Gallery Fortes Villaca, Sao Paulo, Brazil
PoT, Joint Exhibition, Liverpool Biennale, Liverpool, England
Artists Respond, Joint Exhibition, Somerville Museum of Art, Boston, MA

2001

Hi Falutin', Hi Kickin', VTO Gallery, London, England
Egotripping, Anthony Wilkinson Gallery, London, England
Plastic Sheet, A.A. Silver Gallery, Tel-Aviv, Israel
Cream, Rosenfeld Gallery, Tel-Aviv, Israel
Glamour Hammer, The Boxing Ring, London, England

2000

Assembly, Royal College of Art and Goldsmiths College, Stepney City, London, England
Master's Degree Show, Goldsmiths College, London, England
Outhouse, The Rich and Famous Gallery, London, England
Brainstorm, Curators' Space, Goldsmiths College, London, England

1998

Graduates' Exhibition, Fine Arts Department, Bezalel Academy of Arts and Design, Jerusalem

Residencies

2004

Makor Artist in Residence, 92nd Street Y, New York, NY

Projects

2005

Homeland Lessons, Lousy Art & Editions, Tel Aviv, Israel

2005

A Shell Of A Man, Lousy Art & Editions, Tel Aviv, Israel

Press

2011

Rooms Magazine, article by Ryan Max, Issue #7, Dec 2011

Cate McQuaid, Making their concept accessible, Boston Globe review, Dec 20th, 2011

Shane Ferro, "Expanding to Los Angeles, the Affordable Art Fair Hopes to Woo a New Pool of Budget-Conscious Buyers", Artinfo.com, August 26, 2011

Martina Kaden, 'Three Young Israelis Show Their Art'. B.Z. Berlin newspaper, July 29th, 2011

Ebony Bolt, Pulse Art Fair Event Review - Get the Latest Scoop on the NYC Fair, Splash Magazines, March 16th, 2011

Leor Grady, 'Masoret Avangard', Yedioth America, March 9th, 2011

Little Red Riding Hood To The Fighter/On Our Radar, Huffington Post, Feb 6th, 2011

Armory Week Daily Spotlight, Pulse NY, ARTLOG, Feb17th, 2011

2010

Saatchi Online, Shay Kun Featured at 'The Law Of The Jungle' at Lehmann Maupin, Dec7th.

Tara Kyle, DNAinfo, Israeli Artist Puts New Twists on Hudson School, Sept 29th, 2010

Anthony Haden-Guest, Back in the New York Groove, The Author Comes Home and Finds the Art World Changed', The New York Observer, p.50-51, Sept 28th, 2010

Daniel Zilberberg, Checking In – Interview, walla culture section, September 14th, 2010

Eiseley Tauginas, Industry Insiders, Blackbook Magazine, August, 2010

Cate McQuaid, Echoing and altering the landscape, Boston Globe review, Feb 3rd, 2010

Critics Pick, 'Slack Tide' at Lamotagne Gallery, Boston Globe, Jan, 2010

Kinki Magazine, p.20-27, January-February Issue, Zurich, SW 2010

2009

LoDown Magazine, October Issue no.168, Berlin, Germany 2009

Maznaim Magazine, September Issue no.4, Israel (cover back and front) 2009

Biscayne Times, Art Listings, Printed Edition, March 30th, 2009

2008

Brooks, Kimberly. "The Election and Art Swimming in My Head," The Huffington Post, November 3rd, 2008

Art Futures: The altruistic art fair, Art World Mag, Feb- March, Issue 3, p.11, 2008

Arts Council UK, "News: Artfutures - Own Art" , February 15th, 2008

2007

Meredith Etherington-Smith, "Letter from London", Artinfo.com, January 26, 2007

Shay Kun At Seventeen, Artdaily.org, February 11, 2007

Beth Greenacre, Artrabbit.com, January 30th, 2007

John Stones. "American Dreams", Design Week Magazine, January 11th, 2007

Tiffany Martini, "Subreality, A New View Of Pop Art", The SF Examiner, April 3rd, 2007

Dana Gilerman, "A Free Developing Market", Haaretz Newspaper, February 7th, 2007

Shay Kun at Seventeen, re-title.com, February 5th, 2007

John-Paul Pryor, "Shay Kun Chocolate's Box Paintings", Dazed Digital, February 1st, 2007

Jane Neal, Shay Kun: Saatchi Online Critic's Choice, August 6th, 2007

Kende Gyorgy, "Exhibitions", Uj Kelet Hungarian Weekly, December, 2007

Meni Peer, "Maga Shel Rahav", BIG TIME Magazine, p.54, October 2007

Megan And Murray, "A Landscape Show At Samson Projects", September , 2007

2006

Shay Kun, BA, MA, Cocksof Art News, December 24th, 2006
Merrily Kerr/ Ruth Perez Chaves: Shay Kun, Recent Paintings 2006-2008 (Cat.)
Mary Evangelista, "On Art", Maariv Weekend Edition, 14 July, p. 10
Megan Voeller, 'Lat Rites Of Summer', Creative Loafing, 25 October, 2006

2005

Tochin Andrea, "Wandering", NY Press, January, Volume 18 No.3, P.48, 2005.
Consulate General of Israel Cultural Department, January-February, 2005.
Whats Up! whatsupnyc.com, New York, NY, January, 2005
Moyal, Raviv. "The Big Apple Falls Close to the Tree." Maariv International Ed., 14 January. p. 46

2004

Cerbini, Lorenza, "Alla Buia Gallery si Festeggia con 'Primo,'" America Oggi, 27 June, 2004, p. 9.
Jon Elliot, "The Mouth Breathers at NURTUREart." The Greenline, 11-29 February, 2004, p. 11.

2003

New York Magazine, (Intelligencer section), "The Bill Clinton Show", New York, NY, October.

2002

PoT Exhibition Catalog, Sao Paulo, Brazil, September.
"Artists Respond," Art New England Reviews, New England, September.

2003

Maariv America, weekend edition, New York.
Maariv America, weekend edition, New York, September.

2001

Time Out Magazine London Art Review, London, England, May.
Time Out Magazine London Art Review, London, England, March.

2000

Assembly Group Exhibition Catalog, London, England, October.
Goldsmiths Master's Thesis Exhibition Catalog, London, England, July.

1999

Ouie Kelete Hungarian Weekly Paper, Jerusalem, Israel, May.
Studio Art Magazine, Tel-Aviv, Israel, May.

1995

Jewish Week News, Art Section, New York, December.1995