

RUSSO ▲ LEE GALLERY

SAMANTHA WALL

Born: 1977, Seoul, South Korea

EDUCATION

MFA Visual Studies, Pacific Northwest College of Art, Portland, OR	2011
BFA Studio Art/Drawing, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC	2001

SOLO AND TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS

"Phantom Limbs," Russo Lee Gallery, Portland, OR	2018
"Inheritance," King School Museum of Contemporary Art (KSMoCA), Portland, OR	2018
"See Me See You," Russo Lee Gallery, Portland, OR	2016
"Let Your Eyes Adjust to the Dark," Roq La Rue, Seattle, WA	2015
"Let Your Eyes Adjust to the Dark," The Laura Russo Gallery, Portland, OR	2014
"Indivisible," Stella Jones Gallery, New Orleans, LA	2014
"Only Part of the Story," Fairbanks Gallery, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR	2014
"Indivisible," Ampersand Gallery, Portland, OR	2013
"Laid to Rest," Art Gym, Marylhurst University, Marylhurst, OR	2013
"Interdependence," Portland Center Stage, Portland, OR	2013
"Partially Severed," MFA Central Gallery, Pacific Northwest College of Art, Portland, OR	2012
"Shame on Me," Goldsmith Building, Portland, OR	2011
"Reversed Reality," Worksound Gallery, Portland, OR	2008
"Drawn Conclusions," Olive Hyde Art Center, Fremont, CA	2007
"Beauty Lies," McMaster Gallery, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC	2001

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

Hallie Ford Foundation Fellows Traveling Exhibition, [Umpqua Valley Art Center, Roseburg, OR; Whipple Fine Arts Gallery, Roseburg, OR; Hallie Ford Museum of Art, Salem, OR; Disjecta, Portland, OR; Museum of Northwest Art, La Conner, WA; Schneider Museum of Art, Ashland, OR] (upcoming)	2019-2021
"The Work Continues," Sylvania North View Gallery, Portland Community College, Portland, OR	2018
"A Necessary Festival," Russo Lee Gallery, Portland, OR	2017
"Implied Fictions," Pivot Art + Culture, Seattle, WA	2016
"30 Years: New Work by Gallery Artists," Russo Lee Gallery, Portland, OR	2016
"Contemporary Northwest Art Awards Winners," Russo Lee Gallery, Portland, OR	2016
"Contemporary Northwest Art Awards Exhibition," Portland Art Museum, Portland, OR	2016
"Group Exhibition of Gallery Artists," Laura Russo Gallery, Portland, OR	2013, 2015
"Drawing Deeper," Gretchen Schuette Art Gallery, Chemeketa Community College, Salem, OR	2015
"Fast Forward," Worksound International, Portland, OR and Stadelschule Frankfurt, Germany	2015
"Manifest Justice - Pop-up Art Show," Los Angeles, CA	2015
"A Likeness: Works on Contemporary Portraiture," Archer Gallery, Clark College, Vancouver, WA	2014
"Reparations: Contemporary Artists from New Orleans," Curated by Diego Cortez for Luciano Benetton's IMAGO MUNDI Collection, New Orleans Museum of Art, New Orleans, LA	2014
"Self(ie) Portraits," Upfor Gallery, Portland, OR	2014
"I Never Can Say What I Mean," Hap Gallery, Portland, OR	2014
"Verge," Arthouse, Portland, OR	2013
"New Views," Laura Russo Gallery, Portland, OR	2013

"The City and the City," LxWxH Gallery, Seattle, WA	2013
"Considering How Exaggerated Music Is," Affordable Art Fair, Seattle, WA	2012
"The Portrait Project," FOCO Gallery, Portland, OR	2012
"Joan Mitchell Foundation MFA Award Exhibition," CUE Art Foundation, New York, NY	2012
"First Look III," Hudson Valley Center for Contemporary Art, Peekskill, NY	2011
"Drawing Connections," Sienna Art Institute, Sienna, Italy	2011
"Feminists: Performance and Perspectives," East End, Portland, OR	2010
"NwModern, The Spirit of Place," Twombly House, Portland, OR	2010
"Stray Fires," Disjecta, Portland, OR	2010
"Graphomania," Garbage Astronaut Project Space, Portland, OR	2010
"MFA Meet and Greet," Gallery 214, Portland, OR	2009
"Prints for PICA," Portland Institute for Contemporary Art, Portland, OR	2008
"Au Naturel, Nude in the 21st Century, 2nd Annual International Juried Exhibition," The Art Center Gallery, Clatsop Community College, Astoria, OR	2008
"Drawn: Exploration in Line," Archer Gallery, Clark College, Vancouver, WA	2007
"Tilt Export: In Season," Studio Gallery Linfield College, McMinnville, OR	2007
"Buswater On The Boulevard," Gallery 1520, Charleston, WV	2006
"SinTax," Gallery 500, Portland, OR	2004
"Body Politics: It's What You Look Like," Gallery 110, Seattle, WA	2004
"32nd Annual Willamette Valley Juried Exhibition," Corvallis, OR	2002
"Black/White/Grey Juried Art Show," Keizer Art Association, Keizer, OR	2002
"Meeting People," Charm Bracelet, Portland, OR,	2001

AWARDS AND RESIDENCIES

Artist in Residence, Crow's Shadow Institute of the Arts, Pendleton, OR	2016
Artist in Residence, Joan Mitchell Center, New Orleans, LA	2016
Project Grant, Regional Arts & Culture Council, Portland, OR	2016
Arlene Schnitzer Prize, Contemporary Northwest Art Awards, Portland Art Museum, Portland, OR	2016
Exhibition Selection, Contemporary Northwest Art Awards, Portland Art Museum, Portland, OR	2015
Semifinalist, Outwin Boochever Portrait Competition 2016, National Portrait Gallery, Smithsonian Institution, Washington DC	2015
Career Opportunity Grant and Ford Family Foundation Grant, Oregon Arts Commission, Salem, OR	2015
Hallie Ford Fellow in the Visual Arts, Ford Family Foundation, Roseburg, OR	2015
Purchase Award, Portable Works Collection, Regional Arts & Culture Council, Portland, OR	2015
Individual Artist Fellowship, Oregon Arts Commission	2014
Finalist, 2015 Contemporary Northwest Art Awards, Portland Art Museum, OR	2014
Purchase award, Visual Chronicle of Portland, OR	2013
Residency, Joan Mitchell Center, New Orleans, LA	2013
Project Grant, Regional Arts & Culture Council, Portland, OR	2013
Individual Artist Fellowship, Oregon Arts Commission, Salem, OR	2013
Professional Development Grant, Oregon Arts Commission & Ford Family Foundation	2012
MFA Grant, Joan Mitchell Foundation, New Orleans, LA	2011
MFA Merit Scholarship Award: Visual Studies, Pacific Northwest College of Art, Portland, OR	2010
MFA Merit Scholarship Award: Visual Studies, Pacific Northwest College of Art, Portland, OR	2009
Best of Show, Au Naturel International Competition, Clatsop Community College, Astoria, OR	2008
Viewing Program, The Drawing Center, New York, NY	2008

COLLECTIONS

Northern Arizona University Art Museum, Flagstaff, AZ
Multnomah County, Regional Arts & Culture Council, Portland, OR
Portland Art Museum, Portland, OR
Portland Community College, Rock Creek, Portland, OR

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