

# Devan Shimoyama

Born 1989

Lives and works in Pittsburgh, PA, USA

## EDUCATION

2011 BFA, Drawing & Painting, Pennsylvania State University, PA

2014 MFA, Painting & Drawing, Yale School of Art, New Haven, CT

## SOLO AND TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS

2023 *Forthcoming*, Site specific room installation, the Spotlight Gallery at The Rockwell Museum, Corning, NY

2022 *Make-Believe*, with Georgia Saxelby, Katzen Arts Center, American University Museum, Washington D.C.  
*A Counterfeit Gift Wrapped in Fire*, Kavi Gupta, Chicago, IL

2021 *Devan Shimoyama: All The Rage*, Kunstpalais Erlangen, Erlangen, Germany

2021 *DIAMOND*, De Buck Gallery, New York, NY

2019 *We Named Her Gladys*, Kavi Gupta, Chicago, IL

*Mighty Mighty*, The Barbershop Project, CulturalDC, Washington, DC

*Shh...*, De Buck Gallery, New York, NY

2018 *Cry, Baby*, Andy Warhol Museum, Pittsburgh, PA

2017 *Sweet*, De Buck Gallery, New York, NY

PULSE Miami Beach, Solo Booth with Samuel Freeman Gallery, Miami Beach, FL

Independent NY, Booth with Stems Gallery, New York, NY

2016 PULSE Miami Beach, Solo Booth with Samuel Freeman Gallery, Miami Beach, FL

*Myth and Body*, Lesley Heller Workspace, New York, NY

*Devan Shimoyama*, Lesley Heller Workspace, New York, NY

*Devan Shimoyama/Salomon Huerta*, Samuel Freeman Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

2015 *Hocus Pocus*, Bunker Projects, Pittsburgh, PA

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2023 *Forthcoming*, *Multiplicity: Collage in Contemporary America*, Frist Art Museum, Nashville, TN

*Forthcoming*, *The Culture: Hip Hop and Contemporary Art in the 21st Century*, Baltimore Museum of Art, Baltimore, MD

2022 *Forthcoming*, *Opulence: Performative Wealth and the Failed American Dream*, Bemis Center for Contemporary Arts, Omaha, NE

*Forthcoming*, *When We See Us*, Zeitz Museum of Contemporary Art Africa, Cape Town, South Africa

*Oh, Gods of Dust and Rainbows*, FRONT International, Cleveland, OH

*Garmenting: Costume As Contemporary Art*, Museum of Arts and Design, New York, NY

*Still Lives in Contemporary Art*, Museum of the African Diaspora, San Francisco, CA

*The Regional*, Contemporary Arts Center, Cincinnati, OH and the Kemper Museum of Contemporary Art, Kansas City, MO

*Men of Change: Power. Triumph. Truth.*, Traveling exhibition on view at California African American Museum, Los Angeles, CA

*In These Truths*, Albright Knox, Buffalo, NY

2021 *Realms of Refuge*, Kavi Gupta, Chicago, IL

*FUTURES*, Smithsonian Institution, Arts and Industries Building, Washington, DC (November)

*QUEER/DIALOGUE*, Grinnell College Museum of Art, Grinnell, IA

2020 *Friends and Friends of Friends*, Schlossmuseum, Linz, Austria

*The Hoodie*, Het Nieuwe Instituut, Rotterdam, Netherlands

*Tell Me A Tale*, Wentrup Gallery, Berlin, Germany

*SIT STILL: Self-Portraits in the Age of Distraction*, Anna Zorina Gallery, New York, NY, curated by Patty Horing and Deborah Brown

- Tell Me Your Story*, Kunsthal KAdE, Amersfoort, Netherlands, curated by Rob Perrée  
*Translating Valence: Redefining Black Male Identity*, Urban Institute for Contemporary Arts, Grand Rapids, MI, curated by Juana Williams
- 2019 *Getting to Know You*, Cleveland Institute of Art, Reinberger Gallery, Cleveland, OH  
*The GAG*, De Buck Gallery, New York, NY, curated by Devan Shimoyama  
*Men Of Change: Power. Triumph. Truth.*, National Underground Railroad Freedom Center, Cincinnati, OH  
*Punch*, Jeffrey Deitch, Los Angeles, CA, curated by Nina Chanel Abney
- 2018 *Parallel Lives*, Kavi Gupta, Chicago, IL  
*LOVE 2018: Purple Hearts*, LeRoy Neiman Gallery, New York, NY
- 2017 *Fictions*, Studio Museum in Harlem, New York, NY
- 2016 *Bedazzled*, Lehman College Gallery, Bronx, NY  
*The Soul of Black Art: A Collector's View*, Upfor Gallery, Portland, OR  
*Cultural Landscapes*, The Fed Galleries at KCAD, Grand Rapids, MI  
*Introspective*, BravinLee Programs, New York, NY
- 2015 *Love is Love*, Emmanuel Gallery, Denver, CO  
*It Does and It Doesn't*, Alter Space, San Francisco, CA  
*UNLOADED*, Northern Illinois University Art Museum, Dekalb, IL  
*Realities in Contemporary Video Art*, screening, Fondation des Etats Unis, Paris, France  
*PaperRoute 66*, BravinLee Programs, New York, NY
- 2014 *People Staring*, Kravets Wehby Gallery, New York, NY

#### RESIDENCIES

- 2018 The Fountainhead Residency, Miami, FL  
2017 La Brea Studio Artist Residency, Los Angeles, CA  
2015 Fire Island Artist Residency, Fire Island, NY

#### AWARDS AND GRANTS

- 2013 AI Held Fellowship, Yale School of Art  
2011 Gerald Davis Prize, Pennsylvania State University  
2011 Margaret Giffen Schoenfelder Memorial Scholarship, Pennsylvania State University

#### SELECT PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

- Smithsonian Institution, Washington, DC  
Brooklyn Museum, Brooklyn, NY  
Grinnell College Museum of Art, Grinnell, Iowa  
The Andy Warhol Museum, Pittsburgh, PA  
Pérez Museum of Art, Miami, FL  
Columbus Museum of Art, Columbus, OH  
Albright-Knox Art Gallery, Buffalo, NY