ANYA KIELAR

Anya Kielar (b. 1978, New York, NY) received her MFA from Columbia University, New York, NY in 2005 and a BFA from The Cooper Union School of Art, New York, NY in 2002. Kielar has had recent solo and two-person exhibitions at Document Gallery, Chicago, IL (2023); Pioneer Works, New York, NY (2022); Livie Fine Art, Zurich, Switzerland (2022); and Rachel Uffner Gallery, New York, NY (2021). Her work has been included in recent group exhibitions at Mindy Solomon Gallery, Miami, FL (2024); Angers Musée des Beaux-Arts, Angers, France (2023); Rachel Uffner Gallery, New York, NY (2021); and Kasmin, New York, NY (2022). Her work is included in the permanent collections of the Aishti Foundation, Beirut, Lebanon; the Christian Dior Art Collection, Paris; the Dikeou Collection, Denver; the Henry Art Gallery, Seattle, WA; the New Century Art Foundation, Singapore; the Rubell Family Collection, Miami, FL; the Tang Teaching Museum and Art Gallery, Saratoga Springs, NY; and the Zabludowicz Collection, London. Kielar lives and works in Brooklyn, NY.

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EDUCATION

- 2005 MFA, Columbia University
- 2002 BFA, The Cooper Union School of Art

SELECTED SOLO AND TWO PERSON EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 Madam, Document Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2022 *Shadow Box*, Pioneer Works, New York, NY *Pastel House*, with Johannes VanDerBeek, Livie Fine Art, Zurich, Switzerland
- 2021 The Muses, Rachel Uffner Gallery, New York, NY
- 2012 WOMEN, Rachel Uffner Gallery, New York, NY Lines, Locust Projects, Miami, FL
- 2010 FACE, Rachel Uffner Gallery, New York, NY
- 2009 Anya Kielar, Casey Kaplan, New York, NY
- 2007 Lady, Daniel Reich Gallery, New York, NY
- 2005 Anya Kielar, Daniel Reich Gallery, New York, NY

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 Fairyland 2: Deeper, Darker, Mindy Solomon Gallery, Miami, FL
- 2023 *I've Got A Feeling: The Five Senses in Contemporary Art*, Angers Musée des Beaux-Arts, Angers, France
 - Labor of Love, Rachel Uffner Gallery, New York, NY
- 2022 Somatic Markings, Kasmin, New York, NY
- 2021 *Miss Dior 12 Women Artists*, Ba-tsu Gallery, Tokyo, Japan; traveled to Chateau de la Colle Noire, Montauroux, France
- 2020 A Show of Hands, SEPTEMBER, Hudson, NY
- 2019 L'IM_MAGE_N, curated by Timothy Hull, Ashes/Ashes, New York, NY Cursives, Marinaro Gallery, New York, NY NADA House Governors Island, New York, NY Notebook, 56 Henry, New York, NY
- 2018 Ten Years, Rachel Uffner Gallery, New York, NY
- 2016 Rose Ocean: Living with Duchamp, Tang Teaching Museum and Art Gallery, Saratoga Springs, NY
 - Scale A Wall, curated by Town Hall Meeting, Cuevas Tilleard, New York, NY Her Wherever, Halsey McKay Gallery, East Hampton, NY No Man's Land, Rubell Family Collection, Miami, FL
 - Gallery Artist Group Show, Rachel Uffner Gallery, New York, NY
- 2015 *Tyger, Tyger: Lyn Chadwick and the Art of Now*, The Philip and Muriel Berman Museum of Art, Ursinus College, Collegeville, PA
- 2014 One Work, Tang Teaching Museum and Art Gallery, Saratoga Springs, NY The Crystal Palace, Rachel Uffner Gallery, NY The Last Brucennial, 837 Washington Street, New York, NY

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East Side to the West Side, curated by Brennan & Griffin, James Fuentes, Rachel Uffner, FLAG Art Foundation, New York, NY 2013 Suddenness + Certainty, curated by Robert Greene, Robert Miller Gallery, New York, NY Pop Up 1: Montauk, presented by Fabiola Beracasa and Art Production Fund, Old Montauk Highway, Montauk, NY Spectrum Suite, organized by Ned Colclough, Nicelle Beauchene Gallery, New York, NY Chick Lit: Revised Summer Reading, curated by Molly Rand and Pilar Vahey, Tracy Williams Ltd, New York, NY 2012 Pure Smoke Culture, curated by Nick Kramer, Anthony Greaney, Boston, MA Family Jewels, curated by Cleopatra's, Family Business, New York, NY Lucie Fontaine: Estate, Marianne Boesky, New York, NY Cosmo, Klaus Von Nichtssagend Gallery, New York, NY Leave it to Beavers, curated by Gina Beavers, Gallery Diet, Miami, FL Twisted Sisters, curated with Janet Phelps, DODGEgallery, New York, NY The Idea of the Thing That it Isn't, curated by Rachel Uffner, Halsey McKay, 2011 East Hampton, NY Summer Whites, curated by Eddie Martinez and Sam Mover, Rachel Uffner Gallery, New York, NY Incongruent Sum, 111 Leroy Street, New York, NY Free Soil, Canada, New York, New York, NY 2010 PortugalArte10, Portuguese Pavilion, Lisbon, Portugal Acts Are for Actors, Southfirst, Brooklyn, NY Looking Back: The White Columns Annual, selected by Primary Information 2009 Unnaming of Parts, Blackston Gallery, New York, NY The Ankles Bones are Higher on the Inside, Museum 52, New York, NY 2008 8 1/2 x 11 / A4, James Fuentes LLC, New York, NY PM Dawn, Taxter & Spengemann, New York, NY The Human Face is a Monument, Guild & Greyshkul, New York, NY 2007 Inaugural exhibition, Project 176, Zabludowicz Collection, London, England Distinctive Messengers. House of Campari by Scenic, New York, NY Post Retro, group show, Brooklyn Fireproof, New York, NY How to Build a Fire, Rivington Arms, New York, NY Wrong Number, Jack Hanley Gallery, San Francisco, CA 2005 Columbia MFA Thesis Show, New York, NY 2004 Past Perfect, Kantor Gallery, New York, NY Recent Alumni: Careers in Progress, The LaGuardia Gallery, New York, NY Jacob Karpio, at The Armory New York, NY First Year Exhibition, Miriam Ira D. Wallash Art Gallery, New York, NY Guild & Greyshkul at Placemaker Gallery, Miami, FL 2003 My Sources Say Yes, Guild & Greyshkul, New York, NY

2002 Best Dressed, Houghton Gallery, New York, NY

AWARDS AND HONORS

2004 Martin Birbaum Scholarship

2003 Columbia University General Scholarship

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2002 Leslie - Lohman Award for Visual Arts

PUBLICATIONS

- 2015 *No Man's Land*, Rubell Family Collection Emin, Tracey, John Baldessari, Ryan McGinley, Sarah Nicole Prickett, and Simon Castets. *Feelings: Soft Art*, Skira Rizzolii
- 2012 WOMEN, published by Rachel Uffner Gallery and PictureBox, New York
- 2008 *Collage: Assembling Contemporary Art*, published by Black Dog Publishing, London
- 2007 Distinctive Messengers, House of Campari by Scenic, New York

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- 2008 Smith, Roberta. "The Human Face is a Monument", *New York Times*, April 25 Scott, Andrea K. "All in the Family", *New Yorker*, May 1
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