

LOUIS K. MEISEL GALLERY

TARA LEWIS

Biography

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BORN

1970 New Hampshire, USA

EDUCATION

1995 Tufts University & School of Museum of Fine Arts Boston, M.A.T Visual Studies

1992 University of New Hampshire, B.A. Fine Arts

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2022 *Role Modeling*, Louis K. Meisel Gallery, New York, NY, May 4th- May 27th

2020 *Hell Yes*, Lyons Wier Gallery, New York, NY

Too Cool for School, Blackbird Gallery, New York, NY

2011 *Some Girls*, Conant Gallery, Lawrence Academy, Groton, MA

2004 *Double Feature*, Lamont Gallery, Phillips Exeter Academy, NH

2002 *True Grit*, Firehouse Gallery, Newburyport, MA

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2021 *so Much had Happened since Then*, Salomon Contemporary, Brooklyn, New York

Les Femmes, Tethy's Art, Southampton, New York

2020 *Ladies of Lyons*, Wier Gallery, New York, NY

Autumn Benefit Art Auction, The Watermill Center, Watermill, New York

Present 3, Lamont Gallery, Phillips Exeter Academy, NH

2019 *On Guard NY*, LES Storefront Project Kasia Kay Art Projects, New York, NY

Most Likely, NOMO SoHo Curatorial Partnership Installation, New York, NY

NY RxArt Party 2019, RxArt & Paddle 8 Benefit Auction, New York, NY

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- Tabula Rasa*, The Watermill Center 26th Summer Art Benefit, Watermill, New York
- IRL: Investigating Reality*, The Untitled Space, New York, NY
- Articulate*, Lamont Gallery, Phillips Exeter Academy, NH
- Impact*, Museum of Art, University of New Hampshire, Durham, NH
- 2018 *Metamorphosis: MILLY x Tara Lewis Studios NYFW SS/19 Collaboration*, Spring Studios, New York, NY
- ArtCrush*, Aspen Art Museum & Sotheby's Art Auction & Gala, Aspen, CO
2017. *Small Works*, Trestle Gallery curated by Bill Carroll, Brooklyn, New York
- She Inspires*, The Untitled Space, New York, NY
- Et Tu, Art Brute*, Andrew Edlin Gallery, New York, NY
- 2016 *Indy 500 & Beyond*, Lamont Gallery, Phillips Exeter Academy, NH
- 2015 *Print Facets: 6 Centuries of Printmakers*, Michelman Fine Art, New York, NY
- 2014 *Self-Made*, Lamont Gallery, Phillips Exeter Academy, NH
- 2012 *PaperView*, Manhattan Print Center, New York, NY
- 2011 *Seven-Up*, Lamont Gallery, Philips Exeter Academy, NH
- NurtureART Benefit Auction & Juried Auction*, Chelsea Art Museum, New York, NY
- In Portrait*, Blank Space Gallery, New York, NY
- Portraits Now*, Black Pop Contemporary, Copenhagen, Denmark
- Dual*, Gershwin Hotel, New York, NY
- ReView*, Museum of Art, University of New Hampshire, Durham, NH
- 2010 *NY Art Now*, New York Studios Gallery, LES, New York, NY
- Get it on Paper*, PlaySpace Projects, New York, NY
- 2009 *Hey, Hot Shot!* Jen Bekman Projects, New York, NY
- Rare Pleasures*, Parlor Gallery, Asbury Park, NJ
- 2007 *Art x : New Works*, Lamont Gallery, Phillips Exeter Academy, NH
- Momentum II*, George Marshall Store Gallery, York, ME

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SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- 2021 ARTMAZE MAG, Issue #24, Curated by Harper Levine, Harper's, New York,
September 16th, 2021
- 2020 WHITEWALL MAGAZINE, "Tara Lewis and the Teens: Art That Talks Back"
April 30th, 2020
- THE JEALOUS CURATOR, ART FOR YOUR EAR PODCAST: "trophies 'n tiaras"
episode #169, March 14th, 2020
- SURFACE MAG, "Quarantine Culture: 6 Ways to Experience Art Without Leaving
Your Home", April 6th, 2020
- THE CURIST MAGAZINE, "Tara Lewis Exclusive Interview", March 2nd, 2020
- QUIET LUNCH, "Last Days of 'Hell Yes!' by Tara Lewis at Lyons Wier Gallery,
February 21st, 2020
- FINE ART CONNOISSEUR MAGAZINE, "Playful Portraits with Timeless
Resonance", January 24th 2020
- THE JEALOUS CURATOR Review of "Hell Yes!" Solo Exhibition, February 17th,
2020
- LODOWN MAGAZINE, "Tara Lewis: Hell Yes!", January 10th, 2020
- ARTSPEAK, "Hell Yes! Tara Lewis, Lyons Wier Gallery" January 30th, 2020
- 2019 ARTNET NEWS, "Editors' Picks: 19 Things Not To Miss in New York's Art Word This
Week", October 29th, 2019
- 2018 WHITEWALL MAGAZINE, "Milly Gets Artsy With Tara Lewis SS19",
September 11th, 2018
- CULTURED MAGAZINE, "Our 2018 ArtCrush Diary", August 6th 2018
- PAPER CITY, "Fashion Designer's Ha Ha Moment Goes Beyond the Michelle
Obama Love", October 15th 2018
- 2017 NY MAGAZINE "This Art Exhibition Is Raising Money for Women to Run for Office",
April 30th, 2017
- Creators x VICE, 'SHE INSPIRES' at a Massive Exhibition of Artists, May 11th, 2017
- ELLE, "60 Powerful Women Are on Show She Inspires", May 2017

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WWD, "The Untitled Space Art Gallery Launches Latest Exhibit 'She Inspires', April 24th 2017

VICE, "60 Contemporary Artist Made Works to Honor Inspiring Women", May 5th, 2017

Bullett Magazine, "The Exhibit Honoring Radical Women From Joan Didion to Cher", May 2017

- 2014 Five Centuries of Printmakers Catalogue, Michelman Fine Art, New York, 2014
- 2013 LA REVIEW OF BOOKS, Summer Issue, Diptychs Photo Spread, July, 2013
- 2012 ART+AUCTION Blouin Artinfo, "Getting Schooled", May 2012
- ART+AUCTION Blouin Artinfo, "Inside Avenues", June 2012
- 2010 ART BOARS, New York, "Tara Misenheimer, Twiggy Braid", Feature, September 2010
- 2009 JEN BEKMAN PROJECTS, New York NY, "Hey Hot Shot!", Critical Review, October 2019
- Red Bank Orbit, New Jersey, "Always a Pleasure", Art Review, June 2009
- 2007 Artscope Magazine, "Cover Out Takes", September 2007
- 2004 artMatters Juried Exhibition-In-Print, Boston, MA, June 2004
- The Wire Magazine, "Review" Double Feature", Portsmouth, NH, January 2004
- Portland Phoenix, "Art Review", Portland, ME, January 2004
- 2003 Art New England Magazine, December 2003
- 1988 Smithsonian Institution, National Zoological Park. Illustrator, *All About Birds*, August 1988

SCHOLARSHIPS AND HONORS

- 2019 RxART's *Between the Lines, Volume 7: Contemporary Artist Coloring Book*, New York, NY
- 2018 *Artist Advancement Grant Finalist*, New Hampshire Charitable Foundation
- 2013 *New Prints Autumn Juror*, International Print Center of New York, NY
- 2012 *Pace Gallery + Estate of Sol LeWitt Wall Drawing Installation Team*, New York, NY

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- 2003 *Artist Advancements Grant Finalist, New Hampshire Charitable Foundation, NH*
- 1993 *Hearst Grant, Tufts University Graduate School Recipient, Boston, MA*
- 1990 *Robert Hooper Talent Grant, University of New Hampshire, Durham, NH*