

JEFF SONHOUSE

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2001 MFA, Hunter College, New York, NY 1998 BFA, School of Visual Arts, New York, NY

Solo Exhibitions

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2018	Entrapment, moniquemeloche, Chicago, IL
2017	Masked Reduction, Tilton Gallery, New York, NY
2016	PARTICULAARS, Zidoun-Bossuyt Gallery, Luxembourg
2014	Opener 26 Jeff Sonhouse: Slow Motion, Frances Young Tang Teaching Museum and Art Gallery
	at Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, NY
2010	<i>'Better Off Dead,' Said The Landlord</i> , Martha Otero Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
2008	Pawnography, Tilton Gallery, New York, NY
2005	The Panoptic Con, Kustera Tilton Gallery, New York, NY
2003	Probable Cause, Atlanta Contemporary Art Center, Atlanta, GA
2002	Tailored Larceny, Kustera Tilton Gallery, New York, NY

Selected Group Exhibitions

2017	Face to Face: Los Angeles Collects Portraiture, California African American Museum, Los
	Angeles, CA
2016	Us is Them, Pizzuti Collection, Columbus, OH

2015 Reality of My Surroundings: The Contemporary Collection, Nasher Museum of Art at Duke University, Durham, NC

2014 Point of View: Contemporary African American Art from the Elliot and Kimberly Perry Collection, Flint Institute of Arts, Flint, MI; travelled to Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History, Detroit, MI

2013 FLAG's 5th Anniversary Group Exhibition, The FLAG Art Foundation, New York, NY In God We Trust, Zacheta Narodowa Galerie Sztuki, Warsaw, Poland

2012 *The Bearden Project*, The Studio Museum in Harlem, New York *Under The Influence*, Zidoun-Bossuyt Gallery, Luxembourg

2011 Converging Voices, Transforming Dialogue: Selections from the Elliot and Kimberly Perry Collection, University Museum, Houston, Texas Building the Contemporary Collection; Five Years of Acquisitions, Nasher Museum of Art, Durham, NC

2010 Adaptation: Between Species, Power Plant, Toronto, Canada

2009 Herd Thinner, Charest-Weinberg Gallery, Miami, FL
Poised, Solomon Projects, Atlanta, GA
BEASTIN', Zidoun-Bossuyt Gallery, Luxembourg

2008 30 Americans, Rubell Family Collection, Miami, FL; traveled to: North Carolina Museum of Art, Raleigh, NC; Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C.; Chrysler Museum of Art, Norfolk, VA; Milwaukee Art Museum, Milwaukee, WI; First Center for Visual Arts, Nashville, TN; Contemporary Arts Center New Orleans, New Orleans, LA;; Arkansas Art Center, Little Rock, AK; Detroit Institute of Arts, Detroit, MI; Cincinnati Art Museum, Cincinnati, OH; Tacoma Art Museum, Tacoma, Washington; McNay Art Museum, San Antonio, TX; Juliet Art Museum, Charleston, SC

2007 Mask, James Cohan Gallery, New York, NY

Taking Aim: Selections from the Elliot L. Perry Collection, Clough-Hanson Gallery, Memphis, TN

2006 Do Not Stack, Roberts & Tilton, Los Angeles, CA

Black Alphabet: ConTEXTS of Contemporary African-American Art, Zacheta Narodowa Galeria Sztuki, Warsaw, Poland

10 Curatorial Perspectives, Haven Arts, New York, NY Lag-Time Line Up, Mumbo Jumbo Gallery, New York, NY

Legacies: Contemporary Artists Reflect on Slavery, New York Historical Society, New York, NY Black Panther Rank and File, Yerba Buena Center for the Arts, San Francisco, CA

2005 Frequency, The Studio Museum in Harlem, New York, NY Neo Vernacular, Steve Turner Gallery, Los Angeles, CA



Selected Group Exhibitions continued

2005 Celebrate: 22 Years and A New Home, Jack Tilton Gallery, New York

The Whole World is Rotten: Free Radicals and the Gold Coast Slave Castles Of Paa Joe, Jack Shainman Gallery, New York, NY

2004 The Ludovicio Treatment, curated by David Hunt, Muller de Chiara, Berlin, Germany

Low Life, Kustera Tilton Gallery, New York, NY

Notorious Impropriety, Samson Projects, Boston, MA

She's Come Undone, Artemis Greenberg Van Doren, New York, NY

2003 The Changing Same: Artists in Harlem, Triple Candie, New York, NY

Off the Record, Curated by Kambui Olujimi, The Skylight Gallery, Brooklyn, NY

City Mouse / Country Mouse, Space 101, Brooklyn, NY

Summer Solos: Jim Barsness, David Eisenhour, and Jeff Sonhouse, Atlanta Contemporary Art Center, Atlanta, GA

2002 New Wave, Kravets/Wehby Gallery, New York, NY

2001 Being There, Derek Eller Gallery, New York, NY

Selected Books, Catalogues, and Brochures

- 2015 Berry, Ian, ed. *Opener 26 Jeff Sonhouse: Slow Motion*. Exhibition catalogue. Saratoga Springs, NY: The Frances Young Tang Teaching Museum and Art Gallery at Skidmore College. Essay by Isolde Brielmaier
- 2012 Lott, Jessica, and Samir S. Patel. *The Bearden Project*. Exhibition catalogue. New York, NY: The Studio Museum in Harlem.
- 2011 Joo, Eungie, and Joseph Keehn, eds. Rethinking Contemporary Art and Multicultural Education. London: Routledge.
- 2010 Reckitt, Helena. Adaptation: Between Species. Exhibition catalogue. Toronto: Power Plant...
- 2008 Hobbs, Robert, Franklin Sirmans, and Michele Wallace. 30 Americans: Rubell Family Collection. Exhibition catalogue. Miami, FL: Rubell Family Collection.
- 2005 Golden, Thelma, and Christine Y. Kim. Frequency. Exhibition catalogue. New York, NY: The Studio Museum in Harlem. Essay by Ali Evans
 - Kuramitsu, Kris, and Lizzetta LeFalle-Collins. *Linkages and Themes in the African Diasphora: Selections from the Eileen Harris Norton and Peter Norton Art Collections*. San Francisco, CA: Museum of the African Diaspora.
- 2003 Olujimi, Kambui. Off the Record. Exhibition brochure. New York, NY: Skylight Gallery at Restoration Plaza.

Selected Articles and Reviews

- 2018 Dluzen, Robin. "Editorial: Jeff Sonhouse." Visual Art Source. June.
 - Rodney, Seph. "Blackness, Portraiture, and the Weight of Identity." Hyperallergic. July 17.
- 2017 Rodney, Septh, "Inventive, Mysterious Paintings that Exceed Expectations." *Hyperallergic*, October 24. Valentine, Victoria. "New Season, New Art: Fall Begins with 45 Notable Exhibitions Featuring Works by Black Artists." *Culture Type*, September 30.
- 2016 Feldblum, Samuel. "Reality of My Surroundings: The Contemporary Collection." The Brooklyn Rail. March 4.
- 2015 Sargent, Antwaun. "Detroit Exhibition Showcases 30 Years of Black Contemporary Art." *Creators*, November 2.
- 2014 Griffin, Amy. "Self Conscious: Two Artists Delve into Matters of Identity and Perceptions at Tang." *Times Union*, October 1.
 - Odufunade, Bomi. "The Motivation of Our Collection is to Encourage Dialogue." *Contemporary And*, January 20.
- 2013 Prins, Richard. "Crying For the Razor in Dar es Salaam." *Transition*.
- 2011 Cudlin, Jeffry. "Reviews and Previews: 30 Americans Has Little to Say About It's 31 Artists." Washington City Paper, October 7.

Meir, Lauren. "The Evolution of Change: African American Art." Mutualart.com, September 21.

Michaud, Chris. "Warhol, Calder Works in African Charity Art Auction." Reuters.com, July 5.

Davis, Eleanor Scott. "Building The Contemporary Collection: Five Years of Acquisitions." *Durham Magazine*, March 14.

- 2010 Ollman, Leah. "Art Review: Jeff Sonhouse at Martha Otero." Los Angeles Times, October 14.
- 2009 Copeland, Huey. "Figures and Grounds." Artforum, April.

Bedolla, Myrtis. "Rubell Show, A Stand Out." International Review of African American Art, no. 3.

Collin, Laetitia. "Visions san complaisance." La Voix du Luxembourg.

Ruble, Casey. "Jeff Sonhouse: Tilton." Art In America, February.



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Selected Articles and Reviews continued

2008 Pearse, Emma. "Artist Jeff Sonhouse Saves You The Cost of LSD." New York Magazine, November 18.

Rosenberg, Karen. "Upper East Side: Linger (Quietly) for a While." The New York Times, November 14.

Davis, Ben. "Pawn Shop Conceptualism." Artnet.com, December 11.

Laster, Paul. "Jeff Sonhouse, Pawnography." Time Out New York, December 11 – 17.

Fightner, Brian, "Jeff Sonhouse: Pawnography," Coolhunting.com, November 14.

Exploring Race Through Mixed Media, Trendhunter.com, November 14.

"Jeff Sonhouse Solo Exhibition at The Tilton Gallery." Artdaily.org, November 5.

2006 Cotter, Holland. "Emancipation Remains a Work in Progress." The New York Times, June 20.

Valdez, Sarah. "Bling and Beyond." Art in America, April.

Schwendener, Martha. "Color Field: The Studio Museum in Harlem the State of Young 'Post Black' Art." Time Out New York, February 23 - March 1.

Kastner, Jeffrey. "Frequency." Artforum, January.

Smith, Roberta. "Art Review: Where Issues of Black Identity Meet the Concerns of Every Artist." The New 2005 York Times, November 18. Johnson, Ken. "Art Listings." The New York Times, June 3.

Baker, R.C. "Voice Choice." The Village Voice, June 1-7.

Cotter, Holland. "Imaginings of Africa, Chained or Unchained, Dispersed or Together." The New York Times, February 25.

"Featured NYFA Fellow Interview: Jeff Sonhouse." New York Fine Arts Quarterly, Winter.

2004 Gordon, A.L. "Portrait of the Curator as a Jet Setter." New York Sun, December 6.

Johnson, Ken. "She's Come Undone." The New York Times, July 9.

Levine, Cary. "Jeff Sonhouse at Jack Tilton/Anna Kustera." Art in America, December. 2003

Stillman, Nick. "Kehinde Wiley: Faux Real." *The Brooklyn Rail*, August 1. Feaster, Felicia. "Sex, Lies and Videotape." *Creative Loafing*, July 2.

Fox, Catherine. "Vizarts: About-Face." The Atlanta Journal Constitution, July 3.

Fox, Catherine. "Sex in Many Guises and More." The Atlanta Journal Constitution, June 29.

Ashford, Doug. "Off the Record." Time Out New York, May 8 – 15.

Cotter, Holland. "Art in Review, Off the Record." The New York Times, May 16.

Kerr, Merrily. "New Wave at Kravets/Wehby." Flash Art, March/April.

2002 Cotter, Holland. "Art in Review; Jeff Sonhouse" The New York Times, December 6.

Awards

2005 **New York Community Trust**

Lambent Fellowship in the Arts, Tides Foundation, NY 2004

> The Joan Mitchell Foundation, NY New York Foundation for the Arts

Public Collections

Rubell Family Collection, Miami, FL Nasher Museum of Art at Duke University, Durham, NC Pizzuti Collection, Columbus, OH Artist Pension Trust, New York, NY