

# Curriculum Vitae

SONYA RADEMEYER

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## EDUCATION:

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1990 – 1996 BA (FA) Willem de Kooning Academy, Rotterdam (NETHERLANDS)

## SELECTION OF SOLO EXHIBITIONS:

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- 2019 April The In-Between AVA Gallery, Cape Town (SA)  
Sept All we need is a Conductor NWU Aardklop National Festival (SA)
- 2011 Feb looking to see AVA Gallery, Cape Town (SA)
- 2009 Jan not in a body of words US Gallery, Stellenbosch (SA)
- 2008 June I am an African Blank Projects, Cape Town (SA)
- 2007 Mar Babble AVA Gallery, Cape Town (SA)
- 2005 Oct Origin art-B Gallery, Bellville (SA)

## SELECTION OF GROUP EXHIBITIONS:

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- 2022 Mar Creative Research Lab, Breytenbach Theatre Pretoria (SA)  
Jun NAF The Fringe (online) Makhandanda (SA)  
Oct Live collaborative performance, Bodhi Khaya Artists Residency (SA)  
In Utero, RK Contemporary, Riebeeck Kasteel (SA)  
Visual Orchestrations, FPAC Assemblage Gallery, Boston (USA)
- 2021 Jan POINTS4, International Virtual Exhibition (EGYPT)
- 2020 Jun vNAF online (curated, Makhandanda (SA)  
Art in Isolation Imibala Gallery, Somerset West (SA)  
TransCulturalExchange hello world virtual exhibition, Boston (USA)
- Jul vNAF online Fringe, Makhandanda (SA)
- Sep Traces Exhibition Biblioteek Produksies online (SA)
- Oct Vrystaat Arts Festival Hoofstroom online, Bloemfontein (SA)  
Vrystaat Arts Festival Snelstroom online, Bloemfontein (SA)

2019 Jan #unfinished Vol 7 Youngblood Gallery, Cape Town (SA)  
 Feb Admin UNTITLED Cape Town (SA)  
 Memory & Mapping FreeSpace Zeitz Mocca, Cape Town (SA)  
 May Tankwa Artscape, (SA)  
 Jun Miss/Seen Vrystaat Arts Festival, Bloemfontein (SA)  
 Live drawing performance, Stroud Green Festival London (UK)  
 Jul Dwell in Possibility Centenary Art Gallery UOFS, Bloemfontein (SA)  
 Dec Tankwa Artscape Residency group exhibition (ROMANIA)

2018 Jun Tankwa Artscape, (SA)  
 Jul OPENLab Richmond (SA)  
 Aug OtherLands.OtherSounds Raizvanguardia, Bordeiro (PORTUGAL)  
 Sep Humanity: Friend or Foe? Youngblood Africa Gallery, Cape Town (SA)  
 Dec Forward? Forward! Forward... Stellenbosch University Museum (SA)

2016 Jun 15<sup>th</sup> Lessandra World Art Print Annual Sophia, (BULGARIA)  
 Oct Stories of Rain AVA Gallery, Cape Town (SA)

2015 Apr SILENCE Artworks on Paper, Cape Town (SA)  
 Oct Workshops' Showcase at Warren Editions, Cape Town (SA)

2014 Aug Joburg Fringe, Johannesburg (SA)

2013 Mar Happening Now Mojo Gallery, Dubai (UAE)

2012 Aug Appeal 2012 Guerilla Gallery, Johannesburg (SA)

2011 Feb mother nature Sasol Art Museum, Stellenbosch (SA)  
 May Lens Sasol Art Museum, Stellenbosch (SA)  
 Judgment AVA Gallery, Cape Town (SA)  
 Nov A Natural Selection 1991–2011 AVA Gallery (SA)

2009 May One World Many Papers Exhibition Distillery Gallery, Boston (USA)  
 Aug 2009 Incheon Women Artists' Biennale, Incheon (KOREA)  
 William Humphreys Art Gallery, Kimberley (SA)

Oct t\_a\_p\_e Madein Arnhem Arnhem (THE NETHERLANDS)

2008 Jan DWAYER L'Atelier D' Alexandrie Alexandria (EGYPT)  
 May DAK'ART Biennale Dakar (SENEGAL)  
 Jun I am an African Blank Gallery, Cape Town (SA)

2007 Jan self-portrait\_a show for Bethlehem International Contemporary Art Center,  
 Naples (Italy)

Feb self-portrait\_a show for Bethlehem MACRO – Museum of Contemporary Art Rosario (ARGENTINA)

MarFlesh KKNK, Oudtshoorn (SA)

Mar X-Cape Cape Town (SA)

Resonance, Blindfolds & Disbelief, Babble AVA Gallery (SA)

May her shorts/perform IT Performance Art Tucson, Arizona (USA)

Jun South African Short Films National Arts Festival, Grahamstown (SA)

Jul self-portrait\_a show for Bethlehem MAC – Museo Arte Contemporaneo, Sante Fe (BETHLEHEM)

Sep Fleiss East West Artists Muzeul de Artã, Satu Mare (ROMANIA)

Cultivaria Festival Paarl (SA)

Oct ART AIUD'07 Aiud (ROMANIA)

Dec self-portrait\_a show for Bethlehem International Contemporary Art Center, Naples (ITALY)

2006 Jan Ecartists 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Web Exhibition online (EGYPT)

Apr The Abstract Mind Mural Museum of Science & Industry, Chicago (USA)

Jul self-portrait\_a show for Bethlehem Al Kahf Gallery Bethlehem (PALESTINE)

Dept of Science & Technology National Art Competition Pretoria (SA)

Oct Traces Rust-en-Vrede Gallery (SA)

self-portrait\_a show for Bethlehem Officyna Art Space Szezecin & Museum of Swinoujcie (POLAND)

Nov artwords Rust-en-Vrede Gallery (SA)

Waste at Work Spier, Cape Town (SA)

Too much Freedom? Freewaves 10th Biennale Festival of Film, Video and Experimental Media, Hammer Museum, Los Angeles (USA)

Dec Cent livre – Objects pour Senghor Maison de la Culture Douta Seck, Dakar (SENEGAL)

self-portrait\_a show for Bethlehem MAC– Museo Arte Contemporaneo Sante Fe (ARGENTINA)

2005 April Imagining the Book International Biennale Alexandria (EGYPT)

Jun A Cross-Cultural View of Women in the Arts Aldo Castillo Gallery, Chicago (USA)

Sep VULEKA Art-B Gallery, Bellville (SA)

2004 Aug Exfoliate Art-B Gallery, Bellville (SA)

Sep VULEKA Art-B Gallery, Bellville (SA)

Art at War Exhibition Aldo Castillo Gallery, Chicago (USA)

- Oct Brett Kebble Art Awards Cape Town (SA)
- Nov NY International Independent Film and Video Festival (USA)
- 2003 May AVA Members Exhibition AVA Gallery, Cape Town, (SA)
- Sep Brett Kebble Art Awards Cape Town (SA)
- Oct VULEKA Art-B Gallery Bellville (SA)
- PPC Young Sculptors Awards Pretoria Art Museum, Pretoria (SA)
- 2001 Sep Women's Work 8 Windsor Cottages, Kalk Bay (SA)
- 1998 Sep Unity in Diversity Arts Festival Good Hope Gallery (SA)
- 1996 June Eindexamen Willem de Kooning Academie, Rotterdam (THE NETHERLANDS)

#### ART FAIRS:

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- 2021 Turbine Art Fair: "Sublime Multimedia Experience"
- 2020 Art Harare

#### ART FESTIVALS:

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- 2022 Virtual National Arts Festival Fringe (vNAF Fringe), Makhanda (SA)
- 2020 Virtual National Arts Festival (vNAF), Makhanda (SA)
- Virtual National Arts Festival Fringe (vNAF Fringe), Makhanda (SA)
- Vrystaat Arts Festival, Bloemfontein (SA)
- 2019 Vrystaat Arts Festival,  
Bloemfontein (SA)
- Live drawing performance at Stroud Green Festival London (UK)
- 2014 Joburg Fringe, Johannesburg (SA)
- 2007 South African Short Films National Arts Festival, Grahamstown (SA)
- Cultivaria Festival Paarl (SA)
- Flesh KKNK Oudtshoorn (SA)
- 2004 NY International Independent Film and Video Festival (USA)

## RESIDENCIES:

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- 2022 Bhodi Khaya Art Residency (SA)
- 2021 Bhodi Khaya Art Residency (SA)
- 2019 Tankwa Artscape (SA)
- 2018 Tankwa Artscape (SA)  
OLOS Residency (Portugal)  
OPENLab (SA)
- 2009 1-day Residencies at the UCT Irma Stern Museum (SA)
- 2008 Dwyer Group Residency (EGYPT)
- 2006 Cent livre – Objets pour Senghor » project (SENEGAL)  
Dorothea Fleiss East West Artists Symposia and Residency / TransCultural Exchange (ROMANIA)

## BIENNALES:

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- 2020 Geumgang Nature Art Biennale (KOREA)
- 2009 2009 Incheon Women Artists' Biennale, Incheon (KOREA)
- 2008 DAK'Art Biennale (SENEGAL)
- 2006 Too much Freedom? Freewaves 10th Biennale Festival of Film, Video and Experimental Media, Hammer Museum, Los Angeles (USA)
- 2005 Imagining the Book International Biennale Alexandria (EGYPT)

## ACHIEVEMENTS & AWARDS:

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- 2020 Standard Bank Arts Ovation Award (vNAF Fringe 2020)
- 2019 Miss/Seen nominated for a Blinker at the Vrystaat Arts Festival
- 2007 Distinction, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition International Artistic Documentaries (ROMANIA)
- 2004 Winner New Media, VULEKA
- 2003 Brett Kebble Art Awards Cape Town (SA)  
Merit Award, PPC Young Sculptor Award

WORKS PUBLIC COLLECTIONS:

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Bibliotheca Alexandrina, Alexandria (EGYPT)

Dept of Science & Technology (SA)

International Contemporary Art Centre, Naples (ITALY)

SELECTED BIOGRAPHY:

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<https://www.interaliomag.org/interviews/sonya-rademeyer/>