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David Wightman · CV

Born 1980 in Stockport, Greater Manchester / Lives and works in London

Education

MA (RCA) Painting, Royal College of Art, London (2001/03)
BA (Hons) Fine Art, Middlesex University, London (1998/01)

Selected Solo Shows

2018 A Devotion, Someth1ng Gallery, London (two-person exhibition with Fran Giffard)
2016 EMPIRE, Long & Ryle, London (catalogue)
2015 New prints, Royal Over-Seas League, London
2014 New paintings + Akris collaboration, Akris, 30 Old Bond Street, London
2014 Redux, 10 Gresham Street + Halcyon Gallery, London (2013/14)
2013 Hero, commissioned by Arts Council England for House Arts Festival, Brighton
2012 Paramour, Halcyon Gallery, London (catalogue)
2011 Homage to Loreleia, Berwick Gymnasium Gallery, Berwick-upon-Tweed
2010 Secret Name, Sumarria Lunn / Art Work Space, The Hempel, London
2009 Behemoth and Other New Paintings, Cornerhouse, Manchester
2008 Aspirations, William Angel Gallery, London
2007 New Work, Found Gallery, Trinity Buoy Wharf, London

Selected Group Shows and Art Fairs

2018
Edit, Adapt, Evolve, Royal Over-Seas League, London
London Original Print Fair with Long & Ryle, The Royal Academy of Arts, London
New prints curated by Gas Gallery at Volcano Coffee Works, London
Affordable Art Fair with Liberty & Gas Gallery, New York City
Affordable Art Fair with Gas Gallery, Battersea, London
Art Wynwood with Duran|Mashaal Gallery, Miami
London Art Fair with Long & Ryle, London

2017
New Prints curated by Rise Art, Cass Art Space, Islington, London
Context Art Miami with Duran|Mashaal Gallery, Miami
Art on a Postcard, Unit London, London
Megalopolis, curated by Caiger Contemporary, Gallery Oxo, Oxo Tower Wharf, London
The Other Art Fair, Old Truman Brewery, London
Affordable Art Fair with Duran|Mashaal Gallery, New York City

2017, continued

Jealous Gallery at The Hoxton Hotel, Paris
Gallery Artists, Someth1ng Gallery, London
Art Market Hamptons with Duran|Mashaal Gallery, The Bridgehampton Museum, NY
Gallery Artists, Curious Duke Gallery, London
London Original Print Fair with Long & Ryle, The Royal Academy of Arts, London
Gallery Artists, Duran|Mashaal Gallery, Montréal, Canada
Affordable Art Fair with Caiger & Liberty, New York City
Time, Memory, and Landscape, Long & Ryle, London ([catalogue](#))
Affordable Art Fair with Caiger Contemporary Art, Battersea, London
London Art Fair with Long & Ryle, London

2016

Incognito, Royal Over-Seas League, London
Christmas Show, Jealous Gallery, London
Gallery Artists, Someth1ng Gallery, London
Curious Duke Gallery at Walthamstow Window Gallery, London
Moniker Art Fair with Jealous Gallery, Old Truman Brewery, London
Art on a Postcard, Moniker Art Fair, Old Truman Brewery, London
New prints, Someth1ng Gallery, London
LAPADA Art & Antiques Fair with Long & Ryle, Berkeley Square, London
Jealous Gallery Take Over at Ply Gallery, Hornsey Town Hall Arts Centre, London
Summer Show, Jealous Gallery, London
Summer Exhibition, Curious Duke Gallery, London
Gallery Artists, Someth1ng Gallery, London
The Art & Antiques Fair with Long & Ryle, Olympia, London
Affordable Art Fair with Jealous Gallery, Hampstead, London
Art 16 with Long & Ryle, Olympia, London
London Original Print Fair with Long & Ryle, The Royal Academy of Arts, London
Dallas Art Fair with 10 Hanover, Dallas, Texas
MTV RE:DEFINE - a contemporary art + music showcase benefiting the MTV Staying Alive
Foundation and Dallas Contemporary, Dallas, Texas
After Show Party, Scream London, London
Insert [Art] Here, Curious Duke Gallery, London
London Art Fair with Long & Ryle, London

2015

Christmas Show, Jealous Gallery, London
Winter Exhibition, Scream London, London
New prints, Something Gallery, London
The Curious Society, Curious Duke Gallery, London
Affordable Art Fair with Jealous Gallery, Amsterdam, the Netherlands
Affordable Art Fair with Jealous Gallery, Battersea, London
The Other Art Fair, Old Truman Brewery, London
Art on a Postcard, Moniker Art Fair, Old Truman Brewery, London
New prints, Curious Duke Gallery, London
Scream London goes to Stockholm, Östermalm, Stockholm, Sweden
LAPADA Art & Antiques Fair with Long & Ryle, Berkeley Square, London
20|21 British Art Fair with Long & Ryle, Royal College of Art, London
Summer in the City, Scream London, London
Summer Exhibition, Jealous Gallery, London
Henley Festival with My Life In Art, Henley-on-Thames, Oxon
An Occasional Vacation, UCLH Street Gallery, London

2015, continued

Affordable Art Fair with My Life In Art, Hampstead, London
Affordable Art Fair with Jealous Gallery, Hampstead, London
20|21 International Art Fair with Jealous Gallery, Royal College of Art, London
The Art House at Rizon Jet curated by Artelier, London Biggin Hill Airport
Stroke Art Fair with Jealous Gallery, Munich
The Other Art Fair, Victoria House, Southampton Row, London
London Original Print Fair with Jealous Gallery, Royal Academy of Arts, London
Affordable Art Fair with Jealous Gallery, New York City
Affordable Art Fair with My Life In Art, Battersea, London
A Collection of Small Paintings, The Contemporary London at Space W10, London
London Art Fair with My Life In Art, London
Jealous Take Over CNB Gallery, Cock 'n' Bull Gallery, London

2014

Winter Collective, Albemarle Gallery, London
New paintings, McRae Litt Fine Art, Vail, Colorado, USA
Other Abstractions, Nitra Gallery, Thessaloniki, Greece
The Contemporary London at Space W10, London
Fresh, Jealous Gallery, Crouch End, London
Affordable Art Fair with Jealous Gallery, Battersea, London
The Other Art Fair, Old Truman Brewery, London
Moniker Art Fair with Jealous Gallery, Brick Lane, London
Art Car Boot Sale with Jealous Gallery, Folkestone
New Contemporaries, Halcyon Gallery, New Bond Street, London

2013

House Arts Festival, as part of Brighton Festival
– commissioned by Arts Council England and curated by Mariele Neudecker
Contemporary Showcase, Halcyon Gallery, New Bond Street, London
Summer Exhibition, Halcyon Gallery, New Bond Street, London
Contemporary Art, Halcyon Gallery, New Bond Street, London

2012

Mixed Exhibition, Halcyon Gallery, New Bond Street, London
Contemporary Art, Halcyon Gallery, New Bond Street, London
Mixed Exhibition, Halcyon Gallery, Harrods, London
Mixed Exhibition, Halcyon Gallery, New Bond Street, London

2011

The Art Room Auction, Halcyon Gallery, Bruton Street, London
Gallery Artists, Halcyon Gallery, New Bond Street, London
Seeking New Landscapes, Halcyon Gallery, Bruton Street, London
London Art Fair with Sumarria Lunn, London

2010

KIAF - Korea International Art Fair, with Sumarria Lunn + Hanmi Gallery, Seoul, Korea
Junoesque, Hackney Wicked Art festival, London
Geometry Is Never Wrong, Wieden + Kennedy, London
London Art Fair with Sumarria Lunn, London
New Year Show, Blackheath Gallery, London

2009

The Medical Foundation Art Auction, Sumarria Lunn, London

Open Studio, Hackney Wicked Art Festival, London

2009, continued

In A Word, Sumarria Lunn, London

Travelling Light, Wilson Williams Gallery, London and La Biennale di Venezia, Venice

Mink Schmink, Wilson Williams Gallery, London

2008

CUBE Prize, CUBE Centre for the Urban Built Environment, Manchester

Affordable Art Fair, London

Open Studio, Hackney Wicked Art Festival, London

Aureole, installation in St. George's Church, Stockport

Shoplifters, Conway Hall, University of the Arts London, London

New Work, Serco Ltd., London

2007

Christmas Show, My Life In Art, London

Affordable Art Fair, London

New Work, Neo, ExCel Centre, London

Gallery Artists, Rowley Gallery, London

The House and Garden Fair, London

2006

Beneath, Surface Gallery, Nottingham

ReNew: A Collaboration, Liverpool John Moores University, Liverpool

Prelude, Spitalfields Market, London

Twisted · Cognitive · Sublime, Wine Gallery, London

What Is Domestic?, one.c, South Brent, Devon

Lived In, Chapel Gallery, Ormskirk

The Viewing Club, The Uxbridge Arms, London

06, EyeStorm Gallery, Ipswich

2005

Opening Show, My Life In Art, Broadway Market, London

The London Art and Design Show, Mary Ward House, London

2D Open, Surface Gallery, Nottingham

2004

My Fest, The Foundry, London

RCA Secret, Royal College of Art, London

Summer Show, Florence Trust, St. Saviours, London

Spring Show, Blackheath Gallery, London

2003

Under Construction, Florence Trust, London

Lexmark European Art Prize, EyeStorm Gallery, London

Eye Jam, Ogilvy + Mather, London

The Show, Royal College of Art, London

Over The Road, curated by Artlab, Imperial College, London

Hunting Art Prize, Royal College of Art, London

2002
Painting Interim, Royal College of Art, London
Diversion, Royal College of Art, London

2001
RCA Secret, Royal College of Art, London
Middlesex University Degree Show, London

Awards / Residencies

2013 Aesthetica Art Prize, Shortlisted, Aesthetica Magazine, York
2010 [Berwick Gymnasium Arts Fellowship](#), Berwick-upon-Tweed, Northumberland
2010 Fringe MK Painting Prize, Shortlisted, Fringe MK, Milton Keynes
2008 CUBE Prize, Shortlisted, CUBE Centre for the Urban Built Environment, Manchester
2006 Celeste Art Prize, Shortlisted, The Old Truman Brewery, London
2003 Annual Studio Residency, Florence Trust, St Saviour's, London
2003 Lexmark European Art Prize, Finalist, EyeStorm, London
2003 Hunting Art Prize, Young Artist of the Year, Royal College of Art, London
2003 Jerwood Artist Platform, Shortlisted, Jerwood Foundation, London

Publications

[EMPIRE](#), exhibition [catalogue](#) published by Long & Ryle (2016)
[Paramour](#), exhibition [catalogue](#) published by Halcyon Gallery (2012)

Press / Media

2018 [The Top 7 Art Exhibitions to see in London this week](#), FAD
2018 Exhibition view of [A Devotion](#), Someth1ng Gallery, YouTube
2018 An introduction to [A Devotion](#), Someth1ng Gallery, YouTube
2018 [A Devotion](#), Someth1ng Gallery, YouTube
2018 [Interview](#) with Art on a Postcard
2018 [Feature](#) by The Jealous Curator
2018 [Interview](#) with Rise Art
2017 Trendwatch: Cobalt Blue, Homes & Interiors Scotland
2017 Art on a Postcard, The International Business Times
2017 The Art of Disguise, The Times, London
2017 The Hot List, Metro London
2017 [Feature](#) in Create Mag
2016 [Curator's Choice](#) with Mall Galleries
2016 [Interview](#) with Tabish Khan, FAD
2016 [EMPIRE featured](#) in Kolaj Magazine
2016 [Review](#) of EMPIRE by Paul Carey-Kent, FAD
2016 [Foreword](#) by Sarah Long, EMPIRE, exhibition catalogue
2016 [Interview](#) with Art Pharmacy
2016 [Interview](#) with Jung Katz
2016 Waterfalls and Wallpaper: an [interview](#) with The Other Art Fair
2015 [Studio visit](#) with Scream London
2015 [Instagram takeover](#) with The Other Art Fair
2015 [How To Start Your Own Art Collection Without Breaking The Bank](#), Londonist

Press / Media, continued

- 2015 [Interview](#) with Tabish Khan, FAD
- 2015 Constructing Landscapes: an [interview](#) with The Other Art Fair
- 2015 Emmaline ii [featured](#) on WeTransfer
- 2015 [Studio visit](#) with New York based design blog Campsite
- 2014 [5 Artists To Look Out For At The Other Art Fair](#), Londonist
- 2014 [Five to Watch During London's Art Fair week](#), Axisweb
- 2014 [Investing in art](#), Money Week, issue 716
- 2014 [Behind the scenes campaign shoot, Akris collaboration](#), YouTube
- 2014 [Alumnus interview](#) with Middlesex University
- 2014 Avant art, Glass magazine
- 2014 Teton [featured](#) in Coveteur
- 2014 Teton [featured](#) in Harper's Bazaar
- 2014 [How to buy tomorrow's Damien Hirsts](#), The Telegraph
- 2014 [Interview](#) with The Palette Pages
- 2014 [Alumnus interview](#) with the Royal College of Art
- 2013 [Interview](#) with Mark Sheerin, Criticismism
- 2013 [Interview](#) with House Arts Festival, YouTube
- 2013 [Review](#) of Hero by Mark Sheerin, Criticismism
- 2013 [Making modern art pay by degrees](#), The Guardian
- 2013 Odalisque [featured](#) in Image Magazine
- 2012 [Studio visit](#) with Art Wednesday
- 2012 [Review](#) of Paramour by Tabish Khan, Londonist
- 2012 [In conversation](#) with Judith King, Paramour, exhibition catalogue
- 2012 [Foreword](#) by Cherie Federico, Paramour, exhibition catalogue
- 2011 [In conversation](#) with Alli Sharma, Articulated Artists
- 2010 [Q&A](#) with Sarah Kendell, People Like Me
- 2010 [Introducing Hybridity](#) by Donna Marie Howard, Who's Jack
- 2008 Designers at home, Marie Claire
- 2007 [Sit pretty with paintings](#), Financial Times
- 2003 David's brush with Euro success, Stockport Times West
- 2003 [Painters target the Turner](#), The Guardian

Teaching / Talks

- 2018 Royal Over-Seas League, London
- 2014 [Visiting Artists Society, University of Brighton](#)
- 2013 University of Brighton, as part of [House Arts Festival](#)
- 2011 Northumbria University
- 2011 City of Sunderland College
- 2010 ISIS Arts, Newcastle
- 2010 Newcastle University
- 2010 Berwick Gymnasium Art Gallery
- 2003 Liverpool John Moores University

Collections

Royal College of Art, General Energy UK, Imperial College Healthcare Charity, St John's Hospice, and private collections worldwide.