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## NATHANIEL RACKOWE

Born in 1975, UK  
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### EDUCATION

2001 MFA Sculpture, The Slade School Of Fine Art, UCL, London  
 1998 B.A. Honours Fine Art (Sculpture), Sheffield Hallam University  
 1995 B.T.E.C Diploma, Foundation Studies, Cambridge Regional College

### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2022 *Fractured Landscapes*, Lawrie Shabibi Gallery, Dubai, UAE  
 2021 *Passing Through*, Fold Gallery, London, UK  
 2018 *Shape of a City*, Letitia Art Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon  
 2018 *(De)figured*, Dance / Installation with Angela Woodhouse, Elephant x Griffin, London, UK  
 2017 *Threshold*, FOLD Gallery, London, UK  
 2017 *Signs of a City*, Galerie Jérôme Pauchant, Paris, France  
 2016 *Parasolstice – Winter Light*, Parasol Unit, London, UK  
 2016 *The Luminous City*, Canary Wharf, London, UK  
 2015 *Radiant Trajectory*, Lawrie Shabibi, Dubai, UAE  
 2014 *Edge Lands*, Galerie Jérôme Pauchant, Paris, France  
 2014 *The Consequence of Light*, Bodson Gallery, Brussels, Belgium  
 2013 *NR for F&M*, Installation, Covent Garden, London, UK  
 2013 *Reflections on Space*, BISCHOFF/WEISS, London, UK  
 2013 *Spin NY*, temporary installation for EDUN, New York, New York, USA  
 2013 DEN FRIE Centre of Contemporary Art, Copenhagen, Public Art Project  
 2012 *Spin*, Edun Fall/Winter Collection Fashion Show, New York, New York, USA  
 2012 Solo show, Art Cologne, Cologne, Germany  
 2011 *On the Floor: John Gibbons and Nathaniel Rackowe*, Gooden Gallery, London, UK  
 2011 *Black Beacon*, Calvin Klein Project, New York, New York, USA  
 2010 *Legacy I – An outdoor sculpture exhibition*, LIU gallery, London, UK  
 2010 *What the city left behind*, BISCHOFF/WEISS, London, UK  
 2010 Solo show at the Delfina Foundation, London, UK  
 2010 *Positions* with BISCHOFF/WEISS, Art Basel Miami Beach, Miami, Florida, USA  
 2009 *Divisions*, Centro Colombo Americano, Bogotá, Colombia  
 2008 *Pathfinding*, Galerie AlmineRech, Paris, France  
 2008 *Preverberation*, Siobhan Davies Studios, London, UK  
 2007 *Luminous Territories*, BISCHOFF/WEISS, London, UK  
 2007 *First Floor*, Galerie AlmineRech, Project Space, Paris, France  
 2007 *Shift*, BISCHOFF/WEISS, London, UK  
 2005 *Stanhope Solo Exhibition*, Serpentine Pavillon, London, UK  
 2005 Timebase Gallery, Hull, UK  
 2004 Garden Fresh Gallery, Chicago, Illinois, USA

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 *The Summer Exhibition*, Royal Academy of Arts, London, UK  
2020 *EVI Lichtungen, Light Art Festival*, Hildesheim, Germany  
2020 *Lightkeepers*, S12 Gallery, Bergen, Norway  
2019 *Carry On*, Fold Gallery, London, UK  
2018 *Royal Academy Summer Exhibition*, London, UK  
2018 *(Un)touched*, National Museum of Serbia, Belgrade, Serbia  
2018 *Heavy Metal*, Jerome Pauchant Gallery, Paris, France  
2018 *Lumiere London*, UK  
2017 *Occasional Geometries*, Longside Gallery, London, UK  
2017 *In the Mood of Space*, Paris Design Week, with Galerie Studiolo, France  
2017 *Sculpture in the City*, The Square Mile, London, UK  
2017 *Threshold*, FOLD Gallery, London, UK  
2017 *Contemporary Sculpture Fulmer*, curated by William Benington Gallery, West London, UK  
2017 *Monologue Dialogue 4: Mysticism and Insecurity*, The Koppel Project, London, UK  
2017 *Odds*, Assembly Point, London, UK  
2017 *L'Im-matériel*, Galerie Épisodique, Paris, France  
2016 *Beyond*, curated by Fabrice Bousteau, Abu Dhabi Art, Warehouse 421, UAE  
2016 Abu Dhabi Art with Lawrie Shabibi, Abu Dhabi, UAE  
2016 *The Blue Hour*, Basement Gallery, London, UK  
2016 *Low Fidelity*, two person show with Nathaniel Rackowe & Ulrik Weck, Etage Projects, Copenhagen, Denmark  
2016 *Il suffit d'un grand morceau de ciel*, Galerie Jerome Pauchant, Paris, France  
2016 *Sculpture by the Sea*, Perth, Australia  
2016 *État Second*, L'Hoste Art Contemporain, Arles, France  
2016 *Green Man Festival*, group show, Brecon Beacons, UK  
2016 *Portals to Fantasy Destinations: Nathaniel Rackowe, Shuster & Moseley*, House of St Barnabas, Soho, London, UK  
2016 *Portal*, 12 Hay Hill, Mayfair, London, UK  
2016 *Platonic Spin*, Lumiere London, Regents Place, London, UK  
2015 Abu Dhabi Art, with Lawrie Shabibi, Abu Dhabi, UAE  
2015 *Sculpture By the Sea*, Aarhus, Denmark  
2015 *(Un)touched, version 2 sharing*, OXO tower, London  
2015 *New DG works*, Rod Barton, London, UK  
2015 *Art Dubai Contemporary*, Lawrie Shabibi, Dubai, UAE  
2014 *Light Fantastic*, House of the Nobleman, London, UK  
2014 *Nathaniel Rackowe & Julien Lombardi: Installation, Drawing, Photography*, L'HOSTE Art Contemporain, Arles, France  
2014 *Monologue / Dialogue*, Bangkok Art and Cultural Centre, Bangkok, Thailand  
2014 *Géométrie Immatérielle*, UnSpaced, Bordeaux, France  
2014 Abu Dhabi Art, Lawrie Shabibi, Abu Dhabi, UAE  
2013 *Monologue / Dialogue*, Bangkok Cultural Centre, Bangkok, Thailand  
2013 *Empty Lines*, Galerie Bertrand Grimont, Paris, France  
2013 *The Double Illums Bolighus*, Copenhagen, Denmark

2013 *Platonic Spin*, Lumiere, Light Festival of Durham, Durham, UK  
2013 *The Double IllumsBolighus*, Copenhagen, Denmark  
2013 *Dynamo: A century of light and movement in art, 1913-2013*, Grand Palais, Paris, France  
2012 *Royal Academy Summer Show*, London, UK  
2012 *21 x 29,7*, Galerie De Roussan, Paris, France  
2011 *Come le lucciole*, Nicoletta Rusconi, Milan, Italy  
2011 *What The Thunder Said*, Lu Magnus, New York, New York, USA  
2010 *Legacy I: An Outdoor Sculpture Exhibition*, Formans Smokehouse Gallery, London, UK  
2009 *The Shape of Things*, Ferrate Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel  
2009 *Kaleidoscopic Revolver*, British Art, Hanjiyun Contemporary Space, Beijing, China  
2009 *Natural Wonders: New Art from London*, Group Show, Baibakov Art Projects, Moscow, Russia  
2009 *Superposition*, Two Person Show, Duve Gallery, Berlin, Germany  
2009 *London Calling*, Total Museum of Contemporary Art, Seoul, Korea  
2008 Zoo Art Fair, BISCHOFF/WEISS, London, UK  
2008 *Nathaniel Rackowe and Douglas White*, Art Vandelay Gallery, London, UK  
2008 *Constructs for Illumination*, Allsopp Contemporary London, UK  
2008 *Domestic Appliance*, Flowers East, London, UK

- 2008 *Art After Dark*, Louise Blouin Foundation, London, UK
- 2008 *Walls & Gateways*, Existentie, Ghent, Belgium
- 2008 *Monologue/Dialogue Part II*, Thai/UK Art, BISCHOFF/WEISS, London, UK
- 2008 *Lumiere*, Galerie Jan Wentrup, Berlin, Germany
- 2007 Group Show, Du machinique et du vivant, La Reserve, Pacy-sur-Eure, France
- 2007 *The Body Electric*, Truman Brewery, London, UK
- 2007 *All Tomorrows Pictures*, ICA, London, UK
- 2007 *Jerwood Sculpture Prize: Short Listed Artist Exhibition*, Jerwood Space, London, UJK
- 2007 *Time*, Burghley Sculpture Garden Burghley House, Stamford, UK
- 2006 *Artificial Light*, MoCA Miami, Florida, USA
- 2006 *Artificial Light*, Anderson Gallery, Richmond, Virginia, USA
- 2006 *Residency followed by Monologue/Dialogue Part I*, Bangkok, Thailand
- 2006 *Reveal*, Installation for the Sculpture Trail Forest of Dean, UK
- 2005 *Sine Qua Non*, BISCHOFF/WEISS, London, UK
- 2005 *2X2*, Dahl Gallery, Luzern, Switzerland
- 2004 *Trackers*, PM Gallery, London, UK
- 2004 *I am a Curator*, Chisenhale Gallery, London, UK
- 2003 *Origin*, Castlefield Gallery, Manchester, UK
- 2003 *R type and Pests*, BLOC, Sheffield, UK
- 2003 *Bloomberg New Contemporaries*, Static Gallery Liverpool in September during Biennial and Barbican Center in December, UK
- 2002 *Fame and Promise*, Victoria Miro Gallery, London, UK
- 2002 *It Was Bigger Than All of Us*, The Prenelle Gallery, South Quay, London, UK
- 2002 *Communicating at an Unknown Rate*, Engine Group Show Harrow Road, London, UK
- 2001 Postgraduate Degree Show, Slade School of Fine Art, London, UK
- 2000 *Slade Engine*, Group show, Vauxhall London, UK

## **PUBLIC SCULPTURE**

- 2022 *Folly* at Tremenhoe Sculpture Park, London, UK
- 2022 *Summer Lights Festival*, Canary Wharf, London, UK
- 2018 *Origin*, permanent public sculpture, Aarhus, Denmark
- 2018 *Deconstructing the Domestic*, Lumiere London Festival, Universal Building Vittrines, Goods Way, King's Cross, London, UK
- 2017 *Square Prism* commissioned by the Royal British Society of Sculptors, London, UK
- 2016 *The Moment of Light, Beyond*, Abu Dhabi Art, Warehouse 421, Abu Dhabi, UAE
- 2016 *Platonic Cube*, Green Man Festival, Brecon Beacons, Wales
- 2015 *Portal*, 12 Hay Hill, London, UK
- 2015 *Platonic Spin*, Lumiere London Festival, Regents Place, London, UK
- 2014 *Black Shed Expanded*, Village Royal, Paris, France
- 2013 *Black Cube*, DEN FRIE Centre of Contemporary Art, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2013 *Platonic Spin*, Lumiere, Light Festival of Durham, UK
- 2010 *Spin*, Lima, Peru
- 2008 Government Art Collection commission for 50 Queens Anne's Gate, London, UK
- 2007 *RP3*, Economist Plaza with CAS, London, UK
- 2006 *LP4*, Victoria, London, UK

## **GRANTS/AWARDS**

- 2016 Arts Council UK award for development and presentation of *(Un)Touched*
- 2009 Delfina Foundation Residency Award
- 2004 Stanhope Fellowship
- 2003 Boise Travel Scholarship
- 2001 Arts and Humanities Research Board award for Postgraduate Study
- 2001 Arts and Humanities Research Board award for Postgraduate Study, 1999-2001

## **RESIDENCIES**

- 2012 DEN FRIE Centre of Contemporary Art / CPH Air Residency, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2009 Artist residency with the Delfina Foundation in Beirut, Lebanon
- 2006 British Council Residency in Bangkok, Thailand

2006 Forest of Dean Sculpture Park residency  
2005 Hull Time Based Arts residency

### **SELECTED COLLECTIONS**

Ventes Privées, Paris, France  
Museum of Old and New Art (MONA), Tasmania, Australia  
Modern Forms, London, UK  
CAPC Musée D'ArtContemporain de Bordeaux, France  
CIFO (Cisneros Fontanals Art Foundation), Miami, Florida, USA  
Jumex Collection, Mexico City, Mexico  
Museum of Modern Art, Lima, Peru  
LVMH Collection, Paris, France  
Museum of Old and New Art, Tasmania, Australia  
David Roberts Collection, London, UK  
UK Government Art Collection  
Hauser & Wirth Collection, London, UK  
Ernst & Young Collection, London, UK  
Salama bint Hamdan Foundation, Abu Dhabi, UAE  
VR d'Affaux Collection, Paris, France  
Hussam Otaibi, Private collection, and Sculpture Park, UK  
Patricia Marshall, Private collection, Paris, France  
Marc Blondeau, Private collection, Geneva, Switzerland  
Almine-Rech-Picasso, Private collection, Paris, France  
Rafic Said, Private Collection, Dubai, UAE & Switzerland  
British Ambassador to Beirut, Lebanon