

STEFFANI JEMISON

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Education

- 2009 MFA, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago
- 2008 Skowhegan School of Painting & Sculpture, Madison, Maine
- 2003 BA, magna cum laude, Columbia University, New York

Solo Exhibitions

- 2026 The Kitchen, New York (forthcoming)
Untitled (Same Time/black bird), Moody Center for the Arts at Rice University, Houston
- 2025 *Augur*, Westfälischer Kunstverein, Münster
clear skies / troubled water, Lafayette Anticipations – Fondation Galeries Lafayette, Paris
Steffani Jemison, Galería Madragoa, Lisbon
Matrix 195: Steffani Jemison, Wadsworth Atheneum Museum of Art, Hartford, Connecticut
- 2024 *Tumblers*, Centre d'Art Contemporain Genève
Bound, Greene Naftali, New York
Way in the Middle of the Air, Annet Gelink Gallery, Amsterdam
- 2022 *End Over End*, JOAN, Los Angeles
Steffani Jemison, Annet Gelink Gallery, Amsterdam
- 2021 *Broken Fall*, Greene Naftali, New York
Steffani Jemison: WLD, Galeria Madragoa, Lisbon
End Over End, Contemporary Arts Center, Cincinnati
Steffani Jemison: Sensus Plenior, Everson Museum of Art, Syracuse, New York
Steffani Jemison: Figure 8, Urban Video Project, Syracuse, New York
- 2020 *Steffani Jemison*, Annet Gelink Gallery, Amsterdam
- 2019 *Steffani Jemison*, Kai Matsumiya, New York
Steffani Jemison: New Videos, Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam
Decoders – Recorders, De Appel, Amsterdam
Steffani Jemison: Sensus Penior, Beursschouwburg, Brussels
- 2018 *Steffani Jemison: Revelation*, Iceberg Projects, Chicago
Mikrokosmos: Another time, this time, one time (with Justin Hicks), Western Front, Vancouver
- 2017 *Sensus Plenior*, curated by Osei Bonsu, Jeu de Paume, Paris; CAPC Bordeaux (exh. cat.)
Steffani Jemison: Personal, Brooklyn Academy of Music, Brooklyn
Steffani Jemison: Plant You Not, Dig You Later, MASS MoCA, North Adams, Massachusetts
- 2016 *Escaped Lunatic*, MoMA, New York
Steffani Jemison: Prime, NutureArt, New York
Steffani Jemison: Sol, Jacob Lawrence Gallery, Seattle
- 2015 *Steffani Jemison: Maniac Chase, Escaped Lunatic, and Personal*, RISD Museum, Providence, Rhode Island
Garage Door Video Series: Steffani Jemison, BRIC, Brooklyn, New York
- 2013 *Stroke*, Bindery Projects, St. Paul, Minnesota
Same Time, curated by Amanda Hunt, LAXART, Los Angeles
When I Turn My Head, Hagedorn Foundation Gallery, Atlanta
Alpha's Bet Is Not Over Yet (with Jamal Cyrus), Juxtaposition Arts, Minneapolis
- 2012 *Such is your luck*, Real Art Ways, Hartford
Alpha's Bet Is Not Over Yet (with Jamal Cyrus), Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art, Copenhagen
- 2011 *Museum as Hub: Alpha Bet Is Not Over Yet (with Jamal Cyrus)*, New Museum of Contemporary Art, New York (exh. cat.)

Solo Screenings and Performances

- 2025 *Rectatif (Perfect Mind)*, Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York
Flight Theater (with Quincey Flowers), Museum of Contemporary Art, Denver
- 2024 *Flight Theater (with Quincey Flowers)*, Centre d'Art Contemporain, Geneva
In Succession (Means), Centre d'Art Contemporain, Geneva
- 2023 *The Short Films of Steffani Jemison*, Gene Siskel Film Center, Chicago
Steffani Jemison: A Rock, A River, A Street, Eye Filmmuseum, Amsterdam
Steffani Jemison: A Rock, A River, A Street, Center for Contemporary Arts, Berlin
Steffani Jemison: A Rock, A River, A Street, After 8 Books, Paris
A Rock, A River, A Street with Steffani Jemison, Rile*, Brussels
Steffani Jemison: A Rock, A River, A Street, 2220 Arts + Archives, Los Angeles
A Screening and Reading with Artist Steffani Jemison, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts
Steffani Jemison: A Rock, A River, A Street, Center for Art, Research, and Alliances, New York
- 2022 *Mikrokosmos (with Justin Hicks)*, Contemporary Arts Center, Cincinnati
- 2020 *Steffani Jemison: Similitude*, Art Rotterdam Projections, Rotterdam
Screening and Conversation with Steffani Jemison, Leonard and Bina Ellen Art Gallery, Montreal
Mikrokosmos (with Justin Hicks), Albertinum Dresden, Dresden
Steffani Jemison: Sensus Plenior, Beursschouwburg, Brussels
- 2019 *Recitatif*, Kalamazoo Institute of Arts
On Similitude, Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago
On Similitude, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York
Recitatif, Jessica Silverman, San Francisco
Mikrokosmos (with Justin Hicks), De Appel, Amsterdam
- 2018 *Steffani Jemison: Sensus Plenior*, Galerie Rudolfinum, Prague
Steffani Jemison: Sensus Plenior, Gene Siskel Film Center, Chicago
Artist Spotlight: Steffani Jemison, Lincoln Center, New York
Recitatif: I will make your tongue stick, Jeu de Paume, Paris
Mikrokosmos (with Justin Hicks), Nottingham Contemporary
Steffani Jemison: Listening Session, Kadist, Paris
- 2017 *Recitatif: Never Saying Anything at All*, Nottingham Contemporary, UK
Mikrokosmos (with Justin Hicks), Western Front, Vancouver
Mikrokosmos (with Justin Hicks), MASS MoCA, North Adams
- 2016 *Shift Screenings: Steffani Jemison*, Center for the Humanities, New York
Mikrokosmos (with Justin Hicks), Neue Galerie, Graz
- 2015 *Steffani Jemison: Promise Machine*, Museum of Modern Art, New York
- 2013 *You Completes Me*, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
You Completes Me, Studio Museum in Harlem, New York

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2026 *Constitutive Outside*, Carpenter Center for the Visual Arts, Cambridge (forthcoming)
ABC Powder, Greene Naftali, New York
Geometries, Studio Museum in Harlem, New York
Rara, D.D.D.D., New York
New Humans: Memories of the Future, New Museum, New York (catalogue)
- 2025 *From Now: A Collection in Context*, Studio Museum in Harlem, New York
What's Left in the Remaking, CUE Art, New York
Counting, Galerie Tschudi, Zuoz, Switzerland
ton not. not ton, curated by Nguyen Phuong-Dan and Merle Radtke, Kunsthalle Münster, Germany
Wayward Signs: Steffani Jemison & Renee Gladman, curated by Zoë Hopkins, Wallach Art Gallery, New York

- 2024 *A Movement in Every Direction: Legacies of the Great Migration*, Chicago Cultural Center, Chicago
New New Babylon – Visions for Another Tomorrow, Kunstmuseum Den Haag, The Hague, Netherlands
Flight into Egypt: Black Artists and Ancient Egypt, 1876–Now, Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York
Movements Towards Freedom, curated by Leilani Lynch, Museum of Contemporary Art, Denver
Makeshift Memorials, Small Revolutions, Blaffer Art Museum, Houston & KADIST, San Francisco
Air de repos (Breathwork), CAPC musée d'art contemporain, Bordeaux
L'opera al nero, Fondazione CRT, Piedmont, Italy
In Plain Sight, curated by Anne Pontegnie, Francesca Pia Gallery, Zürich
Expanded With, Castello di Rivoli Museo d'Arte Contemporanea, Turin, Italy
Seeing through Stone, San José Museum of Art, California
New Directions: Recent Acquisitions, Eastman Museum, Rochester, New York
The Apex Is Nothing, Pratt Manhattan Gallery, New York
The Shape of Language, Wagner Foundation, Cambridge
New Directions: Recent Acquisitions, Project Gallery, George Eastman Museum, Rochester, New York
- 2023 *Gimme Shelter*, The Historic Hampton House, Miami
Artissima 2023, Torino, Italy
THIS TOO, IS A MAP, Seoul Mediacity Biennale, Seoul Museum of Art
A Study in Form (Chapter One), curated by Arden Wohl, James Fuentes Gallery, New York
Counterpublic 2023, St. Louis Triennial
Of Mythic Worlds: Works from the Distant Past Through the Present, The Drawing Center, New York
(catalogue)
Aimless. Confronting Imago Mundi, Esbaluard Museum of Modern and Contemporary Art of Palma, Spain
Current Exhibitions 50th Anniversary: Selections from Light Work Collection, Everson Museum of Art, Syracuse, New York
- 2022 *A Movement in Every Direction: Legacies of the Great Migration*, Mississippi Museum of Art, Jackson, 2022; Baltimore Museum of Art, 2022; Brooklyn Museum, New York, 2023; California African American Museum, Los Angeles, 2023; UC Berkeley Art Museum and Pacific Film Archive, Berkeley, California, 2024; Chicago Cultural Center, 2024 (catalogue)
New Formations, deCordova Sculpture Park and Museum, Lincoln, Massachusetts
CLOSER, curated by Kathrin Bentele, Kunstverein für die Rheinlande und Westfalen, Düsseldorf
Beneath Tongues, Swiss Institute Annual Architecture and Design Series, curated by Sable Elyse Smith, Swiss Institute, New York
- 2021 *Our Whole, Unruly Selves*, San José Museum of Art, California
Greater New York, MoMA PS1, Long Island City, New York
Angela Davis – Seize the Time, Zimmerli Art Museum, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey
Enunciated Life, curated by Taylor Renee Aldridge, California African American Museum, Los Angeles
The Inconstant World, Institute of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles
of things not seen, Hessel Museum of Art, Center for Curatorial Studies, Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson, New York
- 2020 *In-Between Days: Video from the Guggenheim Collections*, Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York
100 Drawings from Now, organized by Claire Gilman, Rosario Güiraldes, and Laura Hoptman, with Isabelle Kapur, The Drawing Center, New York
Scrivere Disegnango: When Language Seeks Its Other, Centre d'Art Contemporain Genève in collaboration with Collection de l'Art Brut, Lausanne (catalogue)
À voix haute, La Graineterie, Houilles
Paulo Cunha e Silva Art Prize 2nd Edition, Galeria Municipal de Porto, Portugal
1 Million Roses, Albertinum, Dresden
- 2019 *Black Refractions: Highlights from The Studio Museum in Harlem*, presented by The Studio Museum in Harlem and The American Federation of Arts; travelled to The Museum of the African Diaspora, San Francisco, 2019; Gibbes Museum of Art, Charleston, South Carolina, 2019; Kalamazoo Institute of Arts, Michigan, 2019; Smith College Museum of Art, Northampton, Massachusetts, 2020; Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, 2021; Frye Art Museum, Seattle, 2021 (catalogue)
Whitney Biennial 2019, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York
The Empathy Lab, Jessica Silverman Gallery, San Francisco

- Screen Acts*, San Jose Museum of Art
Reset, Kai Matsumiya, New York
Deadwood, Nagel Draxler, Berlin
Direct Message, Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago
Sensational and Antigenerative Successions, Nir Altman, Munich
BOOKWORKS, Tufts University Galleries, Boston
 2018 *Body / Building*, Galeria Madragoa, Lisbon
In the Air, Ma.ma, Toronto
Patio, Syndicate at Arcade, London
Another Time and Place, The Meeting, New York
Out of Easy Reach, Grunwald Gallery, Bloomington
Out of Easy Reach, DePaul Art Museum, Chicago
Unleashing, Columbia University, New York
20/20 Hindsight: 40 Years Anniversary Exhibition, Spaces, Cleveland
Economy of Living Things, Maison d'Art Bernard Anthonioz, Paris
This is Utopia, to some, Kadist, Paris
 2017 *Separation Penetrates*, Mercer Union, Toronto
Not Normal, Shulamit Nazarian, Los Angeles
Speech Acts, Institute of Contemporary Art, Philadelphia
Their Own Harlems, Studio Museum in Harlem, New York
Never Odd Nor Even, Good Weather at Syndkt, Cologne
Unstable Objects, The Alice, Seattle
That I am reading backwards and into for a purpose, to go on.:, The Kitchen, New York
Power, Sprüth Magers, Los Angeles
 2016 *Active Voice*, Ulises, Philadelphia
The Window and the Breaking of the Window, Studio Museum in Harlem, New York
Mortal Sequence, Brennan and Griffin, New York
Frozen World of the Familiar Stranger, Kadist Foundation, San Francisco
20th Anniversary Exhibition, Smack Mellon, Brooklyn
Frozen World of the Familiar Stranger, KHOJ, New Delhi
On Empathy, Bridget Donahue, New York
PDF-OBJECTS, Mana Contemporary, Chicago
 2015 *Of Gentle Birth*, Reclaim the World, Brooklyn
Sensations That Announce The Future, Evergreen Gallery, Olympia
Name It By Trying To Name It, The Drawing Center, New York
Five Artists, David Nolan Gallery, New York
Open Sessions 3, The Drawing Center, New York
Respond!, Smack Mellon, Brooklyn
I See Myself in You: Selections from the Collection, Brooklyn Museum, New York
 2014 *Crossing Brooklyn*, Brooklyn Museum, New York
How the Light Gets In: Work by Seven Former Core Fellows, Museum of Fine Arts Houston
The Intuitionists, The Drawing Center, New York
 2013 *Every Act, A Repetition*, Laura Gitlen, New York
The West in South Harbor, Sydhavn Station, Copenhagen
Bronx Calling: The Second AIM Biennial, Bronx Museum of Art
Silhouettes, Fort Hamilton Gallery, Brooklyn
Things in Themselves, Studio Museum in Harlem, New York
Observer Effect, Gallery 400, Chicago
Black Cake, Team Gallery, New York
 2012 *The Bearden Project*, Studio Museum in Harlem, New York
Resonance and Repetition, Elizabeth Foundation for the Arts, New York
Fore, Studio Museum in Harlem, New York
 2011 *Material Difference*, McKinney Avenue Contemporary, Dallas
Hang In There, Co-Prosperity Sphere, Chicago

- 2010 *Tapando el sol con un dedo*, Carol Jazzar Gallery, Miami
A Vague Whole, Spaces Gallery, Cleveland
This Means War, Unspeakable Projects, San Francisco
CORE Artist-in-Residence Exhibition, Museum of Fine Arts Houston (catalogue)
- 2009 *Gained in Translation*, Eel Space, Chicago
MFA Thesis Exhibition, Sullivan Galleries, Chicago
Something About Nothing, Wayne and Geraldine Kuhn Gallery, Marion
- 2008 *Wight Biennial 2008: Collaboration as Process and Form*, UCLA New Wight Gallery, Los Angeles
(n) those that from a distance resemble flies, Sullivan Galleries, Chicago
- 2007 *Carking It*, Penrose Gallery, Elkins Park

Selected Group Screenings and Performances

- 2026 *The Earth, The Fire the Winds, Workshop/Lecture*, CARA, New York
- 2024 *Screens: A Panafrica Film Series*, Art Institute of Chicago
Ritual Unions, curated by Counter Encounters, Network Aalst, Belgium
- 2023 *Steffani Jemison & sadé powell: Reading*, The Poetry Project, New York
Spanner in the Works/Plan B, Tibet House, New York
Segues Reading Series: Steffani Jemison & Anne Waldman, Artists Space, New York
- 2022 *Ensemble*, The Polygon Gallery, North Vancouver, Canada
- 2021 *Short Films*, Frye Art Museum, Seattle, WA
- 2020 *Shift Key*, Museum of Contemporary Art, Toronto
Alien vs. Citizen, Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago
3rd Annual Film Festival, Cosmic Rays Film Festival, Varsity Theater, Chapel, NC
17th Annual ICDOCS, Iowa City International Documentary Film Festival, Online
- 2019 *2009 – The Blind Spot Is The Most Recent Past*, Mumok, Vienna
Artists' Moving Image Festival, Tramway, Glasgow
- 2018 *PopRally Presents Rachel Kaadzi Ghansah: A Woman's Work*, The Museum of Modern Art, New York
- 2017 *Revolve: Performance Art Days*, Uppsala Konstmuseum, Uppsala
Peppermint Shower Gel, CK2 Gallery, Montreal
Breakout Sessions: Artist Takes, The People's Summit, Chicago
Dear Watchers in the Shadows, Renaissance Society, Chicago
- 2016 *Dreamlands: Pain Revisited*, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York
Pictures That Matter, The Mistake Room, Guadalajara
Citizens: 1971 – 2014, Gene Siskel Film Center, Chicago
Che Gossett and Steffani Jemison, The Poetry Project, New York
Blinking, transfixed, The Drawing Center, New York
- 2015 *The Multifarious Array*, Pete's Candy Store, Brooklyn
- 2014 *Lets Mots et Les Choses*, Southern Exposure, San Francisco
- 2011 *An Evening with Future Plan and Program*, ThreeWalls, Chicago
An Afternoon with Future Plan and Program, Project Row Houses, Houston
Everything Again, Scott Projects, Chicago
- 2009 *Accidental Festival*, Institute of Contemporary Art, London
- 2008 *Vernon Avenue and Untitled (Hilliard Homes)*, UnionDocs, New York

Monographs

- 2026 Jemison, Steffani. *Bound*. Paris: Lafayette Anticipations.

Selected Artist Writings and Interviews

- 2025 Jemison, Steffani. "Responsible Freedom." *Las Vegas Ikebana: Maren Hassinger and Senga Nengudi*, 117-122. Portland: Pacific/Douglas F. Cooley Memorial Art Gallery.
- 2023 Jemison, Steffani. "Our bodies are filled with stones. We call them bones." *THIS TOO, IS A MAP, AN ANTHOLOGY*. Seoul Mediacity Biennale; ed. Rachael Rakes.
- Jemison, Steffani and Gabrielle Civil. "On Navigating Multiplicity." *Movement Research*, 14 March: web.
- 2022 Jemison, Steffani. "Wind Bag." *The Brooklyn Rail*. December/January: 94-101.
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- Jemison, Steffani. "Reading Material." *Art in America*, September: 32-36.
- 2021 Jemison, Steffani and Erica Cardwell. "How Steffani Jemison Made Movement an Extension of Being." *Frieze*, 17 September: web.
- Jemison, Steffani, and Cindy Sissokho. "Steffani Jemison: 'Recitatif (What if we need new words?)'." *The Kitchen OnScreen*, 12 July.
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- 2020 Jemison, Steffani. "On Similitude." *Triple Canopy*: web.
- 2019 Jemison, Steffani and Justin Hicks. "Another time, this time, one time." *Western Front*, 2020.
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- 2017 Jemison, Steffani, "Eyes, minds, man, thoughts..," and "I will make Your tongue stick to the roof of your mouth." In *Sensus Plenior*, edited by Osei Bonsu, 32-61. New York: Art Book Magazine Distribution.
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- 2013 Jemison, Steffani. *Same Time: Appendices*. Los Angeles: LAXART.
- 2012 Hart, Heather, Jemison, Steffani, and Valentine, Jina. "The Present Classification." *Skowhegan Journal*: 8-10.
- 2011 Jemison, Steffani, editor. *Book Club Book*, Future Plan and Program.
- Jemison, Steffani and Cyrus, Jamal, editors. *The Reader*, Future Plan and Program.
- Jemison, Steffani. "Truth and Greatness." *Two Nonfiction Novellas*.
- 2010 Cordova, William and Jemison, Steffani. "Eco, Xiang, Eco" catalogue essay.
- 2009 Jemison, Steffani. "Artist as Performer." *Art Lies* 64: 96-97.
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Selected Awards, Residencies, and Fellowships

- 2026 CARA Legacy Award
- 2023 Anonymous Was a Woman Award
- 2021 Herb Alpert Award
- 2020 John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation Fellow
- Creative Capital Award
- 2018 Paulo Cunha e Silva Art Prize
- New York Foundation for the Arts Fellow, Film/Video
- 2017–18 Nominee, American Academy in Rome Prize
- 2016 Fellow, Radcliffe Institute, Harvard University
- Robert Rauschenberg Artist-in-Residence Award
- The Jacob Lawrence Gallery Artist-in-Residence
- 2015–16 Nominee, Rema Hort Mann Foundation Award
- 2014–15 Sharpe-Walentas Residency Studio Program Award
- 2014 Smack Mellon Artist-in-Residence Award
- Louis Comfort Tiffany Foundation Biennial Award
- 2013 Artist-in-Residence, Hermitage Artist Retreat
- Art Matters Foundation Grant
- 2012–13 Artist-in-Residence, Hermitage Artist Retreat
- 2012 Artist-in-Residence, Studio Museum in Harlem
- Artist-in-Residence, Denniston Hill Artist Colony, Woodridge NY
- Artist in the Marketplace, Bronx Museum of Art
- 2011 Van Lier Fellowship, International Studio and Curatorial Program
- Ann Plato Fellowship, Trinity College
- 2010–11 The Studio Museum in Harlem StudioLab Artist-in-Residence

- 2010 Project Row Houses Artist-in-Residence
- 2009–11 The Wassaic Project Artist-in-Residence
- 2008 Core Program Artist-in-Residence, Museum of Fine Arts Houston
Skowhegan School of Painting & Sculpture Scholarship
- 2007 The School of the Art Institute of Chicago Skowhegan Matching Scholarship
- 2003 Flaherty Philadelphia Fellowship, Flaherty Foundation
- 2001–03 Phi Beta Kappa, Columbia University Chapter
Mellon Minority Undergraduate Fellowship

Public Collections

Art Institute of Chicago
Baltimore Museum of Art
Brooklyn Museum, New York
Bryn Mawr Art and Artifact Collections, Bryn Mawr College, Pennsylvania
Buffalo AKG Art Museum, Buffalo, New York
Castello di Rivoli Museo d'Arte Contemporanea, Turin, Italy
George Eastman Museum, Rochester, New York
Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, Washington, D.C.
KADIST, Paris and San Francisco
Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York
San José Museum of Art, California
Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York
Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam
Studio Museum in Harlem, New York
The Museum of Modern Art, New York
Whitney Museum of American Art, New York