

# REGINA RUFF

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## Education:

- 2012** MFA, Painting and Drawing, State University of New York at New Paltz, NY  
**2005** BFA, Fine Arts, Fashion Institute of Technology, State University of New York, NYC

## Selected Exhibitions:

- 2017** *Summer Group Exhibition: Collaborative performance by Lady Firm, Untitled Mourning*, DAC Gallery, Los Angeles, CA  
*Yonkers Arts Weekend*, 86 Main Street, Yonkers, NY  
*Press: Pause*, WAH Center, Brooklyn, NY
- 2016** *Exhibition: #WIP*, Seaport Culture District Gallery, NYC  
*Collaborative performance by Lady Firm, Untitled Mourning*, Soil Gallery, Seattle, WA  
*Summer Exhibition*, Urban Studio Unbound Gallery, Yonkers, NY  
*Hat Show*, 313 Gallery, Jersey City, NJ
- 2015** *You're so Familiar*, KMOCA, Kingston, NY, **Three-person show**  
*Girl Power*, Hewn Gallery, Jersey City, NJ  
*You're Such a Tool*, Gallery 865, Jersey City, NJ **Two-Person Show**  
*Annual Drawing Show*, Greenpoint Gallery, Brooklyn, NY  
*Support Space*, Hewn Art Center, Jersey City, NJ **Two-Person Show**
- 2014** *Art Basel Mukwonago*, Bahamas Biennale Gallery, Mukwonago, Wisconsin  
curated by Sean J Patrick Carney  
*We Got This, Pillars on the Edge*, J Studio Gallery, Long Island City, NY  
*Nesting... For Fall*, The Raven Gallery, Jersey City, NJ  
*JC CAST, Ruff House: Open Studio*, 24 Rock St, Jersey City, NY  
*Old Paltz*, Hewn Art Center, Jersey City, NJ **Three-person show**  
*A Ruff Decade*, Hewn Art Center, Jersey City, NJ **Solo Show**
- 2013** *Square Route*, Hewn Art Center, Jersey City, NJ  
*A Room With a View*, Hostel International, New York, NYC
- 2012** *I Love You*, Samuel Dorsky Museum, New Paltz, NY **Solo Show**  
*It's a Small, Small World*, Family Business, NYC
- 2011** *Threshold*, The Shirt Factory, Kingston, NY  
*Framework*, M55 Art, Long Island City, NY  
*Snow Bear Group Show*, Bacchus, New Paltz NY
- 2010** *Color Matters*, Gardiner Library, Gardiner, NY
- 2009** *Neo Paintings*, Chelsea Piers, Pier 61, NYC **Solo Show**  
*Brooklyn We Go Hard*, 151 19<sup>th</sup> St. 11<sup>th</sup> floor, NYC
- 2008** *Enlightenment or Death*, Sapphire Lounge Gallery Space, NYC **Solo Show**  
*Poppies*, World Culture Open Gallery, NYC  
*Art for Obama*, Brooklyn Artist Gym, Brooklyn, NY
- 2007** *Wire*, United Nations, NYC **Solo Show**  
*Square Footage*, Art Gotham, NYC
- 2006** *Walking Backwards*, P.S.122 Gallery, NYC **Three-person Show**

- 2005**      *Brush With Greatness*, Neo Studios, NYC  
*Origination*, The Creative Art Space 48-D Lynbrook, NY  
*Not Just Another Reality Show*, Gallery 27+, NYC  
 Graduating Student Exhibition, The Museum at F.I.T Student Space Gallery, NYC  
*Music and Me*, The Ernest Rubenstein Gallery, NYC
- 2004**      *Spring SUNY Art Exhibition*, State University Plaza Gallery, Albany, NY Juried
- 2003**      *Congruent*, 2/20 Gallery, NYC  
*Senior Show*, The Museum at F.I.T Student Space Gallery, NYC  
*Artist's Proof*, The Museum at F.I.T Student Space Gallery, NYC

**Professional Teaching Experience:**

- 2012**      MS Color Theory/ Design I, Instructor of Record  
                  Fashion Institute of Technology, State University of New York  
 MS Figure Drawing workshop, Instructor of Record  
                  Fashion Institute of Technology, State University of New York  
 Introduction to Painting, Instructor of Record  
                  State University of New York at New Paltz  
 Teaching Assistantship to Thomas Albretch, Art Seminar  
                  State University of New York at New Paltz
- 2010**      Teaching Assistantship to Carmen Lizardo, Color Theory/ Design I  
                  State University of New York at New Paltz

**Public Lecture/Visiting Artist Lectures**

- 2016**      *#WIP Exhibition*, Panel Discussion: *How We Live*, Seaport Culture District  
 Gallery, NYC
- 2007**      United Nations, New York, NY  
 Artists talk for closing reception of solo exhibition, *Wire*

**Publications**

- 2014**      Jersey City Independent, By Gia Portfolio • Apr 11th, 2014
- 2013**      (Affective) Craft Manifesto, The Journal of Modern Craft online, co-Author

**Awards / Grants**

- 2012**      Creative Projects and research Grant, State University of New York at New Paltz
- 2001**      Fine Arts Society, Sarasota, FL, Scholarship Recipient  
 National League of American Pen Women, Sarasota, FL Scholarship Recipient