

BETH DOW

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EDUCATION

MFA, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN
BA Studio Art, St. Olaf College, Northfield, MN

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, AND AWARDS

Berlin Artist Residency, UMN/DAAD, 2014
McKnight Foundation Fellowship, Photography, 2011
Minnesota State Arts Board, Artist Initiative Grant, 2011
Santa Fe Prize, Nominee, 2009
Photography.Book.Now international book award, *Grand Prize*, 2008
Aperture West 2009 Book Prize, Nominee, 2008
Critical Mass/Photolucida book award, *Top-six finalist*, 2007/8
Minnesota State Arts Board, Artist Initiative Grant, 2008
McKnight Foundation Fellowship, Photography, 2004
Minnesota State Arts Board, Artist Initiative Grant, 2003
Greater London Arts, Artist Grant, 1989

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

Pavillon am Milchhof, Berlin, *Happy Place*, 2014
AD Galerie, Genolier, Switzerland, 2011
Jen Bekman Gallery, New York, *Ruins*, 2009
Joseph Bellows Gallery, La Jolla, CA, *In the Garden*, 2009
Iris Gallery, Boston and Great Barrington, MA, *Fieldwork*, 2008
Blue Sky Gallery, Portland, OR, *In the Garden*, 2008
Jen Bekman Gallery, New York, *Fieldwork*, 2007
Franklin Art Works, Minneapolis, *Fieldwork*, 2007
Iris Gallery, Great Barrington, MA, *In the Garden*, 2006
Focal Length Gallery, Minnesota State University, Moorhead, *In the Garden*, 2006
St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minnesota, *Selections from the Grass Museum*, 1998
Past Rays Gallery, Yokohama, Japan, *Somewhere: Photographs by Beth Dow*, 1993
Impressions Gallery, York, England, *Still Lives*, 1993
The Special Photographers Company, London, *Still Lives*, 1992
Islington Arts Factory, London, *Antique and Future Worlds*, 1990

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

Katherine E. Nash Gallery, University of Minnesota, *Underlined Action*, 2015
Midnight Brigade, Minneapolis, *Stool Sample*, 2015
Portland Art Museum, *Halcyon Days: The Camera in the Garden*, 2014
Weisman Museum, University of Minnesota, *IMAGE/Transition*, 2014
Beijing Film Academy, *Mirror/Window*, 2013
Jen Bekman Gallery, NY, *Ten*, 2013
Minneapolis Photo Center, *Mirror/Window*, 2013
Walker Art Center, Minneapolis, *The Mirror Museum*, 2012
Galleria d'Arte Moderna, Orticola di Lombardia, Villa Reale, Milan, Italy, *Small Garden*, 2012
Form + Content, Minneapolis, MN, *Here I Am/Not*, 2012
Rochester Art Center, *McKnight Photography Fellows*, 2012
Quarter Gallery, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, *Minty Fresh*, 2012
LOOK3 Festival, Charlottesville, VA, *Shots & Works Projections*, 2012
Anderson Center, Red Wing, MN, *The Art of the Book*, 2012

Photographic Resource Center, Boston University, 2011
Threefold: Selections from the Indie Photobook Library,
 cur. Shane Lavalette, Larissa Leclair, and George Slade
 Jen Bekman Gallery, NY, *Land Use Survey*, 2010
 Joseph Bellows Gallery, La Jolla, CA, *The End of Summer*, 2010
 Portland Art Museum, Portland, OR, *Beyond Place: Recent Photography Acquisitions*, 2010
 Minneapolis Institute of Arts, MN, *Foot in the Door*, 2010
 IFP Center for Media Arts, Minneapolis, MN, 2010
The Imperfect Image: Beth Dow, Osama Esid, Keith Taylor
 Rutgers University, Newark, NJ, *Decadence and Decay*, Cur. Anonda Bell, 2009
 College of Visual Arts, St. Paul, *The Minnesota Eye*, Cur. Leslie Hammons, 2009
 Photographic Center Northwest, Seattle, WA, *Beth Dow and Ann Mitchell*, 2008
 Reedy Gallery, Minnesota Landscape Arboretum, *The Landscape of Memory*, 2007
 Wisconsin Union Galleries, U of W Madison, *Photo Midwest*, cur. Catherine Edelman, 2006
 Carleton College, Northfield, MN, *New Art, New Ideas: Students Curate the Collection*, 2006
 Pingyao Photography Festival, Pingyao, China, *Midwestern Views*, cur. George Slade, 2006
 Banfill-Locke Center, Fridley, MN, *Re-Constructed Realities*, 2006
 Nash Gallery, University of Minnesota, *New Photography: McKnight Fellows*, 2005
Photographs by Beth Dow, Alec Soth, JoAnn Verburg, Tobeichi Tobeckukwu
 Minnesota Center for Photography, *Photocentric*, cur. Joan Rothfuss, 2005
 Minnesota State Arts Board, St. Paul, *New Fellows*, 2004
 Carleton College Art Museum, *Vantage Points: Campus as Place*, 2002
Photographs by Beth Dow, Chris Faust, and Alec Soth
 Potteries Museum, Stoke-on-Trent, England, *International Print Exhibition*, 2002
 Royal Photographic Society, England, *International Print Exhibition*, 2002, 1993-95
 Icebox Gallery, Minneapolis, *Points of View: Beth Dow and Keith Taylor*, 2002
 Medtronic Corporate Gallery, Minneapolis, *Points of View: Beth Dow and Keith Taylor*, 2002
 Minnesota Center for Photography (pARTS), *Welcome to Minnesota*, 2002
 The Victoria and Albert Museum, London, *Fabergé Photographic Awards*, 1995
 The National Portrait Gallery, London, *John Kobal Portrait Awards*, 1995
 The Special Photographers Company, London, numerous group shows, 1991-95
 Zwemmer Gallery, London, *The London Exhibition*, 1994

REVIEWS

Minneapolis Star-Tribune, 11.2.12, Mary Abbe
 Boston Globe, Bookish Works, 10.17.11, Mark Feeney
 La Cote (Switzerland), Rêve méricain et génie des lieux, Francoise Gentinetta, 3.11
 Connaissance des art (spécial Photo), Beth Dow: Le bain révélateur du paysage,
 Katia Feltrin, 2.11
 Time Out New York, Land Use Survey, 8.4.10, Anne Wehr
 Design Arts Daily, In the Garden of the Sublime: Beth Dow, 1.13.10, Peggy Roalf
 Wall Street Journal, Veterans, Youngsters, and "Ruins," 4.25.09, William Meyers
 Village Voice, Canvassing the Neighborhood, 4.28.09,
 The New Yorker, 23.3.07, Vince Aletti
 10,000 Arts Magazine, Vol 1, Issue 4, 2007
 mnartists.org, Complicated Grey Eyes, 5.21.07, Sean Smuda
 Minneapolis Star Tribune, Four Fresh Photo Shows, 5.18.07, Mary Abbe
 Minneapolis Star-Tribune, Mining the Meaning of Images, 11.25.05, Mary Abbe
 mnartists.org, Rising and Falling to the Occasion, 11.25.05, Glenn Gordon
 mnartists.org, 8.24.05, Ann Klefstad
 The Independent, London, 1992, cited as one of best photo exhibitions in Britain

PUBLICATIONS

Underlined Action, catalog, Nash Gallery, University of Minnesota, The Dynamic Range, essay by Andy Sturdevant, 2015
Don't Take Pictures, Vol 4, 2015, *Transcending Time*, Joe Brennan
Imagine Architecture: Artistic Visions of the Urban Realm, Lukas Feireiss and Robert Klanten, Gestalten, 2014
Beth Dow: The Garden, Blue Sky, 2014
Rochester Art Center, *McKnight Photography Fellows*, exhibition catalog, 2012
Essays by Darsie Alexander and Lisa Sutcliffe
Real Simple Magazine, 3.12, photography feature
Unless You Will, online magazine, editor Heidi Romano, 12.11
Zoom Magazine, 10.11
Canteen Magazine, Issue Seven, 10.11
Camera Position, online podcast by Jeff Curto, 5.11
Harper's Magazine, photo essay, 11.10
Decadence and Decay, ed. Anonda Bell, Rutgers University, exhibition catalog, 2010
Beyond Place, Portland Museum of Art, exhibition catalog, 2010
Photography Quarterly, Center for Photography at Woodstock, 3.10
Monthly Photographer, Korea, Issue 6, Volume 509, 6.10
B&W Magazine, England, interviewed by Susan Burnstine, 12.10
Hayden's Ferry Review, Arizona State University, Issue 45, 2009
Blue Sky Gallery, 2008 annual catalog, published 2009
Black & White Magazine, April, 2009, essay by George Slade
Scape Magazine, MN Society of Landscape Architects, 10.08, Adam Arvidson
Shots Magazine, Issue #96, Summer, 2007
Photo Projects, Chris Dickie, Argentum Press, 2006
Ag Magazine, Issue 41, London, 12-page portfolio spread, 2005
New Photography: McKnight Fellows 2004/05, exhibition catalog
Vantage Points: Campus as Place, Photos by Beth Dow, Chris Faust, and Alec Soth, catalog, 2002
ed. Laurel Bradley, Carleton College
International Exhibition, Royal Photographic Society, England, 2002, 1995, 1994, 1993
British Journal of Photography, Interview and portfolio, 9.92
British Journal of Photography Annual, 1993, 1992
British Journal of Photography Annual, 1993, 1992
AG+ Magazine, London, articles

ONLINE INTERVIEWS

Littlebrownmushroom.com, On Being and Artist and a Mother, 2012 (*also on Walkerart.org*)
Urbanautica.com, interviewed by Gregory E. Jones, 2012
Garden Design Magazine, Art & Botany: Beth Dow's *In the Garden*, 2012
Minnesota Photo, interview, 3.12
CBS TV, Local Artist Profile: Beth Dow, 6.27.11
Underexposed, blog, interviews by Susan Burnstine, 9.11
AtLength.com, interviewed by Darren Ching and Debra Klomp Ching, 1.10
3-Minute Egg, online video interview, 4.10
Globalpost.com, Full Frame: In a Secret Garden, 5.28.09, audio interview and slideshow
Macworld.co.uk, Beth Dow and the Power of Self Publishing, 5.09
heyhotshot.com, Self Publishing: Interview with Beth Dow, 8.09
Lens Culture, interview and slide show, 4.08
20x200.com/blog/interview, 11.08
Walker Art Center blog, Raising Creative Moms, int. with Margaret Pezalla-Granlund, 7.07

COLLECTIONS

Minneapolis Institute of Arts
Portland Art Museum
Museum of Contemporary Photography *Midwest Photographers Project*
Fidelity Investments
ResMed
Carleton College
Indie Photobook Library
Adam Clayton Collection

ART FAIRS

PULSE NYC, Jen Bekman Gallery, 2012
Art San Diego, Joseph Bellows Gallery, 2011
PULSE Miami, Jen Bekman Gallery, 2010
PULSE NYC, Jen Bekman Gallery, Beth Dow: Fieldwork, 2009
AIPAD, NYC, Joseph Bellows Gallery, 2009
Photo LA, Paul Kopeikin Gallery, 2007

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Minneapolis Institute of Arts, Children's Summer Program, Instructor (photography), Summer, 2015
University of Minnesota, Introduction to Photography (digital and analog), Instructor of Record, Spring 2015
University of Minnesota, Guest lecturer, Professional Practices, Spring, 2015
University of Minnesota, Introduction to Photography (analog), Instructor of Record, Spring, 2014
University of Minnesota, Introduction to Photography (analog), Instructor of Record, Fall, 2013
University of Minnesota, Introduction to Photography (analog), Instructor of Record, Summer, 2013
University of Minnesota, Introduction to Photography (digital and analog), Teaching Assistant, two semester classes
University of Minnesota, Introduction to Photography (analog), Teaching Assistant, four semester classes
Franklin Art Works, Minneapolis, Teen Photo Workshop, Instructor, 2013
Franklin Art Works, Minneapolis, Teen Photo Workshop, Instructor, 2012

ARTIST TALKS AND WORKSHOPS:

Walker Art Center
University of Minnesota
Minneapolis College of Art and Design
College of Visual Arts
St. Olaf College
Carleton College
Bethel College
Minnesota Landscape Arboretum
Rochester Community and Technical College
Anoka-Ramsey Community College
Stoke-on-Trent College of Art (England)
Blue Sky Gallery, Portland

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

Christopher Cardozo scholarship
Gus Gustafson scholarship
UMN/DAAD artist residency Berlin

RELATED EXPERIENCE

Minnesota State Arts Board, artist grant panelist, 4 times