

# Sarah E. Brook

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Based in Brooklyn, New York

Born in Reno, Nevada

Sarah E. Brook is a sculptor and installation artist exploring the relationship between identity and the physicality of place, with particular emphasis on the activation of queerness. She investigates the process by which expansive space can be physically and psychologically internalized, allowing for the restructuring of normative narratives that limit the self. Her work is contextualized by a formative relationship with vastness in the high-desert where she was raised.

## SOLO AND TWO PERSON\* EXHIBITIONS:

- 2017 Surface Matters, BRIC, curated by 3walls, Brooklyn, NY\*
- 2017 Widening, Lazy Susan Gallery, New York, NY\*
- 2015 Offering, The Vanderbilt Republic, Gowanus Loft, Brooklyn, NY
- 2014 Necessity, Greenpoint Gallery, Brooklyn, NY

## PUBLIC ART:

- 2018 Viewfinding, Riverside Park South, New York, NY, in partnership with the NYC Department of Parks and Recreation
- 2018 Align, Crystal Park Art Center, Holmes, NY
- 2016 Open Shelter, Prospect Park, Brooklyn, NY, in conjunction with Artslope

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS:

- 2017 Soft Power, Lesley Heller Workspace, New York, NY
- 2017 Wide Open 8, Brooklyn Waterfront Artist Collective, Brooklyn, NY
- 2016 Rind, Carrie Able Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
- 2016 Portal, Ground Floor Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
- 2016 SOHO20 Fall Benefit, Brooklyn, NY
- 2016 Making the Future, David & Schweitzer Contemporary, Bushwick, NY
- 2016 Eutopia, Newhouse Center for Contemporary Art, Snug Harbor, NY
- 2016 Show 31, Field Projects, New York, NY
- 2016 Building Sights, Curated by Elizabeth Tenenbaum, Nha Minh, Brooklyn, NY
- 2016 The Art of Healing, Vespa Projects, Brooklyn, NY
- 2015 Bemis Center for Contemporary Art Auction, Omaha, NE
- 2015 (un)Scene Art Show (Formerly (un)Fair), Armory Arts Week, 549 W. 52nd Street, New York, NY
- 2015 Open 15, Front Art Space, New York, NY
- 2015 You've Got Mail, Ground Floor Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
- 2015 Seeking Space, Bushwick Open Studios Exhibition, Brooklyn, NY
- 2015 Bushwick Open Studios Pop-up

- 2014 Over the Edge: Paperworks Unbound, Williamsburgh Art and Historical Center, Brooklyn, NY
- 2014 Art From the Heart, The Vanderbilt Republic, Gowanus Loft, Brooklyn, NY
- 2014 12x12, Castle Fitzjohns Gallery, New York, NY
- 2014 Viridian Artists 25th International Juried Exhibition, NY, NY. Juror Katherine Brinson, Guggenheim, NYC
- 2014 Midsummer, 440 Gallery Project Space, Brooklyn, NY
- 2014 DUMBO Gallery Walk, Maya Malioutina Studio Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
- 2014 Greenpoint Gallery Juried Salon Show, Brooklyn, NY
- 2014 Phyllis Harriman Mason Gallery, New York, NY
- 2013 DUMBO Gallery Walk, Maya Malioutina Studio Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
- 2013 The Love Show, Armature Art Space, Bushwick, Brooklyn, NY
- 2013 See.Me Gallery, Long Island City, Queens, NY
- 2013 A.T. Kearney Winter Exhibition, New York, NY
- 2013 Phyllis Harriman Mason Gallery, New York, NY
- 2012 Arsenal Gallery, NYC Department of Parks and Recreation, Central Park, New York, NY
- 2012 Phyllis Harriman Mason Gallery, New York, NY
- 2011 Manhattan Borough President Annual Small Works Exhibition, New York, NY

## **HONORS AND AWARDS:**

- 2017 Jentel Residency Award, Banner, WY
- 2017 NYFA Artist as Entrepreneur Bootcamp Program, NY
- 2016 PLAYA Residency Award, Summer Lake, OR
- 2015 Kimmel Harding Nelson Foundation Residency Award, Nebraska City, NE
- 2014 First Place, Viridian Artists 25th Annual International Juried Exhibition, NY, NY. Juror Katherine Brinson, Guggenheim Museum, NYC
- 2014 Director's Choice Award, Viridian Artists 25th Annual International Juried Exhibition, NY, NY
- 2014 Best in Show, Greenpoint Gallery Juried Salon Show, Brooklyn, NY
- 2014 ArtSlant Showcase Winner

## **PRESENTATIONS AND GUEST LECTURES:**

- 2017 Surface Matters at BRIC, Artist Talk and Discussion, Brooklyn, NY
- 2016 Playa Presents, Artist Talk, Summer Lake, OR
- 2016 The Eutopia Conference, Newhouse Center for Contemporary Art, Artist Talk and Discussion, Snug Harbor, NY
- 2015 Life in the Arts, The New School, Lecture and Discussion, New York, NY
- 2015 GOS Tour, Artist Talk and Discussion, Gowanus, Brooklyn, NY

## **PRESS AND PUBLICATIONS:**

- 2017 Fratangelo, Gabrielle, "Widening," Art in New York City
- 2016 The Art of Healing, Smith & Jones, Deadly Chaps Press, Brooklyn, NY
- 2015 Reagan, Jim, "Portrait of an Artist," The Catholic Worker, October-November 2015
- 2014 Studio Visit Magazine, Winter 2014, Open Studios Press, Boston, MA
- 2014 Artists To Look Out For, Volume I, Starry Night Productions, Truth or Consequences, NM