

MARIANNE BOESKY GALLERY

NEW YORK | ASPEN

JAY HEIKES

BIOGRAPHY

1975 Born in Princeton, NJ
Lives and works in St. Paul and Minneapolis, MN

EDUCATION

2005 M.F.A. Yale University, New Haven, CT
1998 B.F.A. University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2021 New York, NY, **Marianne Boesky Gallery**, *Echo in Color*, February 13 – March 13, 2021
- 2019 Milan, Italy, **Federica Schiavo Gallery**, *Before Common Era*, September 26, 2019 – January 18, 2020
Omaha, NE, **Joslyn Art Museum**, *Jay Heikes*, June 1 – September 8, 2019
- 2018 Berkeley, CA, **Berkeley Art Museum & Pacific Film Archive**, *Jay Heikes / MATRIX 269*, February 14 – April 29, 2018
- 2017 Los Angeles, CA, **The Finley**, *Sailors' Delight*, August 25 – November 8, 2017
New York, NY, **Marianne Boesky Gallery**, *Keep Out*, May 5 – June 17, 2017
- 2016 Milan, Italy, **Federica Schiavo Gallery**, *No future ism*, September 22 – November 11, 2016
- 2015 Amsterdam, Netherlands, **Grimm Gallery**, *Necrophiliac*, November 27, 2015 – January 16, 2016
Minneapolis, MN, **Highpoint Center for Printmaking**, *Niet Voor Kinderen*, October 30 – November 21, 2015
Los Angeles, CA, **Reserve Ames**, *Jay Heikes | Dieter Roth*, curated by Laura Fried, September 13 – December 6, 2015 [two-person exhibition]
Lincoln Park, IL, **Shane Campbell Gallery**, *Music for Minor Planets*, April 4 – May 23, 2015
- 2014 Rome, Italy, **Federica Schiavo Gallery**, *Ra*, May 15 – July 2, 2014
- 2013 New York, NY, **Marianne Boesky Gallery**, *Walkabout*, October 24 – November 30, 2013
- 2012 Aspen, CO, **Aspen Art Museum**, *Buried in the Bright*, February 17 – May 4, 2012
- 2011 Chicago, IL, **Shane Campbell Gallery**, *Subterranean Isle*, October 15 – November 12, 2011
Rome, Italy, **Federica Schiavo Gallery**, *The Material Mine*, April 8 – May 12, 2011
- 2010 New York, NY, **Marianne Boesky Gallery**, *Alighiero Boetti // Jay Heikes: Generational Anxiety*, November 9, 2010 – January 15, 2011 [two-person exhibition]
New York, NY, **Marianne Boesky Gallery**, *Inanimate Life*, September 16 – October 23, 2010
Madrid, Spain, **Gallería Marta Cervera**, *Jay Heikes*, February 19 – March 27, 2010
- 2009 Rome, Italy, **Schiavo Mazzonis Gallery**, *Eroding Rainbow*, January 29 – March 14, 2009
- 2007 New York, NY, **Marianne Boesky Gallery**, *Like a Broken Record*, October 13 – November 10, 2007
Philadelphia, PA, **Institute of Contemporary Art Philadelphia**, *Project Space: Jay Heikes*, September 7 – December 16, 2007
- 2006 Chicago, IL, **Shane Campbell Gallery**, *The Sixth Re-telling*, November 11 – December 20, 2006
- 2003 Chicago, IL, **Vedanta Gallery**, *Kill Yr Idols*, February – March 2003

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New York, NY, **Artists Space**, *Jay Heikes Solo Presentation*, 2003

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 New York, NY, **Marianne Boesky Gallery**, *Sublime Spirit*, June 20 – July 26, 2024
Milan, Italy, **Martina Simeti**, *Conny Purtill*, May 31 – July 20, 2024
Milwaukee, WI, **The Green Gallery**, *Moreover: 50 Paintings, pt 3*, curated by Michelle Grabner, May 17 – June 15, 2024
- 2022 Aspen, CO, **Marianne Boesky Gallery x Carpenters Workshop Gallery**, *Material Alchemy Part II*, August 2 – September 3, 2022
Portland, OR, **Adams and Ollman**, *The Ground*, February 12 – March 26, 2022
- 2021 Minneapolis, MN, **Midway Contemporary Art**, *Discount Gargoyles*, October 10 – October 31, 2021
New York, NY, **Marianne Boesky Gallery**, *A Thought Sublime*, June 17 – August 6, 2021
Milan, Italy, **Federica Schiavo Gallery**, *A Soft Seduction*, June 10 – July 23, 2021
- 2019 Milan, Italy, **Federica Schiavo Gallery**, *02.74.75.76*, March 21 – May 11, 2019
Los Angeles, CA, **Crying Clover**, *I've Been Searching For a Quiet Hole to Bury My Head in for a While*, March 10 – April 13, 2019
Turin, Italy, **Norma Mangione Gallery**, *Qui, dove ci incontriamo*, January 15 – March 9, 2019; exhibition continued in: Milan, Italy, **Federica Schiavo Gallery**, January 23 – March 9, 2019; Naples, Italy, **Galleria Tiziana di Caro**, January 26 – March 9, 2019
- 2018 Aspen, CO, **Boesky West**, *Mother Sky*, September 1 – October 6, 2018
Chicago, IL, **Shane Campbell Gallery**, *This is a Pipe: Realism and the Found Object in Contemporary Art*, February 17 – March 17, 2018
- 2017 Los Angeles, CA, **Various Small Fires**, *Hurts to Laugh*, curated by Sarah Lehrer-Graiwer, July 8 – August 19, 2017
- 2016 Portland, OR, **Adams and Ollman Gallery**, *The Ground*, curated by Conny Purtill, September 9 – October 15, 2016
Rome, Italy, **Federica Schiavo Gallery**, *Jay Heikes, Todd Norsten, Karthik Pandian, Andrea Sala, Rob Sherwood*, September 5 – October 31, 2016
New York, NY, **Marianne Boesky Gallery**, *I Talk with the Spirits*, curated by Chris Wiley, June 23 – August 2, 2016
- 2015 Rome, Italy, **Fondazione Giuliani**, *Consequences*, organized by Jay Heikes, October 10 – December 12, 2015
Rome, Italy, **Federica Schiavo Gallery**, *S.Arancio, F.Ardini, S.Deininger, J.Heikes, M.Lauter, K.Pandian, A.Sala*, September 16 – December 11, 2015
New York, NY, **Marianne Boesky Gallery**, *Weird Science*, July 9 – August 7, 2015
- 2014 Chicago, IL, **Museum of Contemporary Photography**, *Phantoms in the Dirt*, July 24 – October 5, 2014
New York, NY, **Marianne Boesky Gallery & Marlborough Chelsea**, *Another Look at Detroit*, curated by Todd Levin, June 26 – August 8, 2014
Portland, OR, **Adams and Ollman**, *The Ground*, March 7 – April 26, 2014
Amsterdam, The Netherlands, **Grimm Gallery**, *Trieste*, February 1 – March 15, 2014
- 2013 Berlin, Germany, **Wentrup Gallery**, *Traces of Life*, curated by Ariel Roger-Paris, April 18 – May 31, 2013
New York, NY, **Marianne Boesky Gallery**, *Trieste*, organized by Jay Heikes, March 2 – March 30, 2013
Minneapolis, MN, **Walker Art Center**, *Painter Painter*, February 2 – October 26, 2013
Santa Barbara, CA, **Santa Barbara Contemporary Arts Forum**, *A Handful of Dust*, January 27 – March 24, 2013
Brussels, Belgium, **Xavier Hufkens**, *Tommy Hartung, Jay Heikes, Alfred Leslie, Sarah Lucas, Luther Price, Brie Ruais & Ryan Sullivan*, curated by Clarissa Dalrymple, January 17 – February 9, 2013
- 2012 Los Angeles, CA, **OHWOW**, *Too Old for Toys, Too Young for Boys*, June 30 – September 1, 2012

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- New York, NY, **Marianne Boesky Gallery**, *At the Speed of Stone*, curated by Anthony Huberman, March 2 – April 14, 2012
- Rome, Italy, **Federica Schiavo Gallery**, *Trieste*, March 31 – June 26, 2012
- 2011 Los Angeles, CA, **Night Gallery**, *Dark Room*, August 8 – September 9, 2011
- Madrid, Spain, **Gallería Marta Cervera**, *Tabula Rasa*, April 28 – June 4, 2011
- New York, NY, **Marianne Boesky Gallery**, *dwelling*, February 3 – April 2, 2011
- 2010 New York, NY, **Barbara Gladstone Gallery**, *The Mass Ornament*, curated by John Rasmussen, June 25 – August 13, 2010
- Madrid, Spain, **Gallería Marta Cervera**, *Greta Alfaro, Markus Amm, Roe Ethridge, Nuria Fuster, Luis Gordillo, Jay Heikes, Jesús Pedraza, Eileen Quinlan, Tomas Saraceno, Daniel Silvo*, June 10 – July 15, 2010
- Gorizia, Italy, **Galleria Comunale d'Arte Contemporanea di Monfalcone**, *A Basic Human Impulse*, May 15 – June 27, 2010
- New York, NY, **Nicole Klagsbrun Gallery**, *\ (Lean)*, March 12 – April 24, 2010
- 2009 Minneapolis, MN, **Walker Art Center**, *Event Horizon*, November 21, 2009 – May 21, 2011
- Minneapolis, MN, **Midway Contemporary Art**, *The Secret Life of Objects*, July 21 – September 26, 2009
- New York, NY, **Marianne Boesky Gallery**, *Your Gold Teeth II*, curated by Todd Levin, June 19 – August 14, 2009
- Madrid, Spain, **Gallería Marta Cervera**, *Ostras Voces Otros Ámbitos*, June 4 – July 18, 2009
- New York, NY, **Guild & Greyskul**, *On From Here*, February 5 – 8, 2009
- 2008 London, UK, **Barbican Art Gallery**, *Martian Museum of Terrestrial Art*, March 6 – May 18, 2008
- Zürich, Switzerland, **Galerie Francesca Pia**, *Depositions*, curated by Maxwell Graham, January 19th – March 1, 2008
- 2007 New York, NY, **Tanya Bonakdar Gallery**, *The Office*, November 29 – December 22, 2007
- New York, NY, **White Columns**, *Looking Back: The White Columns Annual*, November 16 – December 21, 2007
- Dallas, TX, **Light & Sie**, *Grit and Vigor*, November 15 – December 22, 2007
- Chicago, IL, **Museum of Contemporary Art**, *Sympathy for the Devil: Art and Rock and Roll Since 1967*, September 29, 2007 – January 6, 2008
- 2006 Geneva, Switzerland, **Analix Forever**, *Project Placement*, December 1, 2006 – January 2007
- New York, NY, **Marianne Boesky Gallery**, *Joe Deutch, Jay Heikes, Chris Moukarbel, Kianja Strobert, Jeffrey Wells*, selected by Clarissa Dalrymple, October 26 – November 25, 2006
- Chicago, IL, **Shane Campbell Gallery**, *Modern Primitivism*, September 16 – November 4, 2006
- Minneapolis, MN, **Walker Art Center**, *Ordinary Culture: Heikes/Helms/McMillian*, August 11 – November 19, 2006
- Los Angeles, CA, **David Kordansky Gallery**, *The Figs Play Fox Dead*, March 24 – April 22, 2006
- New York, NY, **Whitney Museum of American Art**, *Whitney Biennial 2006: Day for Night*, March 2 – May 28, 2006
- Oak Park, IL, **Shane Campbell Gallery**, *Jay Heikes, Mark Grotjahn, Richard Hawkins*, January 15 – February 15, 2006
- 2005 New York, NY, **P.S.1 Contemporary Art Center**, *The Hill Upstairs*, October 30, 2005 – February 3, 2006
- Chicago, IL, **Renaissance Society at the University of Chicago**, *All the Pretty Corpses*, November 13 – December 23, 2005
- New York, NY, **Perry Rubenstein Gallery**, *Sticks & Stones*, June – August 2005
- 2004 New York, NY, **Guild & Greyskul Gallery**, *Emoticons*, November – December 2004
- New York, NY, **The Bronx Museum of the Arts**, *Music/Video*, October – December 2004
- Miami, FL, **Locust Projects**, *I Am The Resurrection*, May 8, 2004 – June 11, 2018
- New York, NY, **Guild & Greyskul Gallery**, *The Hill Upstairs*, March – April 2004

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- 2003 Chicago, IL, **TBA Exhibition Space**, *Don't Fail Me Now*, October – December 2003
New York, NY, **New Museum of Contemporary Art**, *Altoids Curiously Strong Collection*, March – December 2003
New York, NY, **Artists Space**, *Kill Yr Idols*, March – April 2003
- 2002 Chicago, IL, **Renaissance Society at the University of Chicago**, *Watery, Domestic*, November – December 2002
Strasbourg, France, **Musee d'Art Moderne et Contemporain**, *Video Topiques: Music/Video*, October 2002 – February 2003
Chicago, IL, **Vedanta Gallery**, *Use Your Illusion*, July – August 2002
Minneapolis, MN, **Midway Contemporary Art**, *Recent Work*, May – June 2002
- 2001 Minneapolis, MN, **The Soap Factory**, *Wall to Wall*, July – September 2001
Chicago, IL, **FGA Space at Joymore**, *Porn*, May – June 2001
Minneapolis, MN, **Midway Contemporary Art**, *Weak Architecture*, April – May 2001
Chicago, IL, **FGA Space**, *The Program*, March – May 2001

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- 2021 Waddoups, Ryan. "Jay Heikes: Echo in Color," *Surface Magazine* (February 16, 2021) [online]
- 2019 Heikes, Jay. "Grade and Point to Average," *Mike Kelley: Timeless Painting*, (2019) Hauser & Wirth Publishers
Farber, Janet. "Stormy Weather," *The Reader* (July 11, 2019)
- 2018 Wells, Madeline. "Review: Jay Heikes' Exhibition at BAMPFA Addresses Themes of Alienness and Borders," *East Bay Express* (February 19, 2018)
- 2017 Biswas, Allie. "Jay Heikes: 'I've always loved the reminder that the natural world has the upper hand,'" *Studio International* (June 16, 2017)
"Hurts to Laugh' at Various Small Fires, Los Angeles," *Blouin Artinfo* (August 17, 2017)
- 2016 Menegoi, Simone, trans. Maguerite Shore. "Jay Heikes | Schiavo Zoppelli Gallery," *Artforum* (January 2016)
- 2015 "Critic's Pick," *Artforum* (2015)
Dafoe, Taylor. "Weird Science," *V Magazine* (2015)
"Interview with Jay Heikes – Fondazione Giuliani, Rome," *ATP Diary* (October 21, 2015)
Milani, Eleonora. "Sarcasmo e disordine. Jay Heikes e il tradimento del white cube," *Artribune* (October 12, 2015)
- 2014 Agostino, Pietro D. "RA. Mostra di Jay Heikes," *Cultframe* (June 16, 2014)
- 2013 Gabler, Jay. "Painter Painter," *Artforum* (March 2013) [online]
Heikes, Jay. "Manifesto," *Art in America* (February 2013)
Ryan, Bartholomew. "A Table of Curious Elements: Jay Heikes on *Filthy Minds*," *Walker Art Center Blog* (July 3, 2013) [online]
Shaeffer, James. "Visit: Jay Heikes' solo show at Marianne Boesky Gallery," *Kaleidoscope* (November 25, 2013)
"Walkabout. Jay Heikes," *Cura Magazine* (November 26, 2013)
- 2011 Smith, Roberta. "Jay Heikes: 'Inanimate Life,'" *New York Times* (October 22, 2010) [online]
- 2012 Arnaudo, Luca. "Trieste, una mostra di profondità," *Artribune.com* (May 27, 2012) [online]
Williamson, Damien. "Aspen Art Museum opens three new exhibitions," *Aspen Daily News* (February 18, 2012) [online]
- 2010 Chou, Kimberly. "The Serious Joke: The Objects of Jay Heikes," *Art in America* (August 30, 2010)
González Panizo, Javier. "Jay Heikes en la Galería Marta Cervera," *REVISTA CLAVES DE ARTE* (March 12, 2010)
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Smith, Roberta. "Jay Heikes: 'Inanimate Life,'" *The New York Times* (October 22, 2010)

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- 2007 Dault, Julia. "Akimblog: New York City," *Akimbo* (November 7, 2007)
Falconer, Morgan. "Last Chance: Morgan Falconer on Jay Heikes at Marianne Boesky, New York," *Saatchi* (November 6, 2007) [online]
HGM. "Jay Heikes," *Flavorpill* (October 9 – 15, 2006) [online]
Stillman, Nick. "Jay Heikes," *Artforum* (January 2008)
White, Roger. "Jay Heikes at Marianne Boesky," *The Highlights* (November 2007)
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Barliant, Claire. "Emerging Artists: Jay Heikes," *Modern Painters* (October 2006): p. 58 – 60
Miller, Sara Nicole. "Warfare in the Suburbs," *The Minnesota Daily* (August 9, 2006)
Smith, Rod. "Of Parrots, Porn and Death Metal," *City Papers* (February 8, 2006)
- 2005 Ferrara, Annette. "Goth, all grown up," *Time Out Chicago* (December 8 – 15, 2005) [online]
- 2003 Lo, Melissa; Sansone, Valentina. "Sculpture Forever," *Flash Art* (September 2003)
- 2002 Fallon, Michael. "Review of *Recent Work* at Midway Contemporary Art," *Art Papers* (August 2002)
Velez, Pedro. "Review of *Use Your Illusion* at Vedanta Gallery," *Artnet* (August 2002) [online]
- 2001 Kalstrom, Jeff. "Review of 'Wall to Wall' at the Soap Factory," *New Art Examiner* (November/December 2001)

HONORS AND DISTINCTIONS

- 2017 Chinati Foundation Residency, Marfa, TX
Recipient, Pollock Krasner Foundation Grant
- 2016 McKnight Fellowship, McKnight Foundation, Minneapolis, MN
- 2007 Bush Fellowship, Bush Foundation, Saint Paul, MN
- 2001 Jerome Travel and Study Grant, Jerome Foundation, Min
Jerome Fellowship, Jerome Foundation

PUBLICATIONS

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- 2009 Porter, Jenelle. *Vitamin 3-D: New Perspectives in Sculpture and Installation*. London: Phaidon Press Limited, 2009.
- 2006 Chong, Doryun. *Ordinary Culture: Heikes/Helms/McMillian*. Walker Art Center: Minneapolis, 2006. [exhibition brochure]

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Altoids Curiously Strong Collection, New Museum of Contemporary Art, New York, NY
Baltimore Museum of Art, Baltimore, MD
Berkeley Museum and Pacific Film Archive, Berkeley, CA
Hood Museum of Art, Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH
Joslyn Art Museum, Omaha, NE
Minneapolis Institute of Art, Minneapolis, MN
Museum of Contemporary Photography, Chicago, IL
Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA
Nevada Museum of Art, Reno, NV
North Dakota Museum of Art, Grand Forks, ND

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