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## Florine Démosthène

*Born 1971, New York, USA. Lives and works between Accra, Johannesburg and New York.*

### EDUCATION

### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 In The Realm of Love, Mariane Ibrahim Gallery, Paris, France
- 2021 When We Gather, Cultural DC, Washington DC
- 2019 Between Possibility and Actuality, Mariane Ibrahim Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2018 The Stories I Tell Myself, Gallery 1957, Accra, Ghana
- 2017 The Unbecoming, Semaphore Gallery, Neuchâtel, Switzerland
- 2016 The Burst, Gallery MOMO, Cape Town, South Africa
- 2015 The Capture, Gallery MOMO, Johannesburg, South Africa
- 2015 GET AZZMATIZED!, Fondation Clément, Le Francois, Martinique
- 2009 Paradise, Caribbean Museum Center for the Arts, St. Croix, UVI

### GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 Dak'Art, Biennale De L'Art Africain Contemporain, Dakar, Senegal
- 2022 La Vie en Rose, Mariane Ibrahim, Chicago, IL
- 2022 A la Découverte de la Nouvelle Génération, Ambassade D'Haïti, Washington DC
- 2022 On Jupiter, Olin Hall Gallery, Roanoke College, Salem, VA
- 2021 J'ai Deux Amours..., Mariane Ibrahim Gallery, Paris, France
- 2021 Beyond the Looking Glass, UTA Art Space, Beverly Hills, CA
- 2021 Galerie House of Art & Design, Hudson One Media, Sag Harbor, NY
- 2021 Liberation As Power, Brooklyn Academy of Music, Brooklyn, NY
- 2021 Still Here: The Cosmology of Black Resistance, Myriad Gardens, OKC

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- 2020 ZONA Maco, Mariane Ibrahim Gallery, México City, México
- 2020 Our Voices, Pearl Conard Gallery, OSU, Mansfield, OH
- 2019 Palimpest, Gallery 1957, Accra, Ghana
- 2019 American African American, Phillips Gallery, New York, NY
- 2018 18:20, Gallery 1957, Accra, Ghana
- 2018 Hello Penumbra, Living Arts, Tulsa, OK
- 2018 Impressions, Axiom Gallery, Winter Park, FL
- 2018 Gates of Horn & Ivory, Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, Berlin, Germany
- 2018 Keyes Art Mile, Johannesburg, South Africa
- 2018 Figures de Femmes Totem d'Outre-mer, Musée de l'Homme, Paris
- 2018 Art du Coeur, The Malcolm, Brooklyn, NY
- 2017 Diasporagasm, South Bay Contemporary, Los Angeles, CA
- 2017 A Continent Beyond, Gallery MOMO, Cape Town, South Africa
- 2017 (In)visibilité Ostentatoire, Fondation Clément, Martinique
- 2017 What Do They Call Me, Gallery MOMO, Johannesburg, South Africa
- 2017 VOLTA 13-Basel, Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, Basel, Switzerland
- 2017 Summer Showcase 17, Gallery MOMO, Johannesburg, South Africa
- 2016 Ondes Imprévues, Mémorial ACTe, Pointe-à-Pitre, Guadeloupe
- 2016 LIFE VS TIME, Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, London, UK
- 2016 Culture Vulture Exhibition, New York, NY
- 2016 A Bad Question, Tart Artist Collective, New York
- 2016 Group Exhibition, Gallery MOMO, Johannesburg, South Africa
- 2015 RUSH Arts 20th Anniversary Exhibition, New York
- 2015 The Sublime of the Mundane, Five Myles Gallery, New York
- 2015 Towards Intersections, UNISA Gallery, South Africa
- 2015 Women on Paper, l'Institute Français de Prague, Czech Republic
- 2014 Transformative Vision, Lowe Art Museum, Florida
- 2014 The Subject is Black, Leslie Lohman Museum, New York
- 2014 Retrospective Part 2, CDA, Westchester Gallery, New York
- 2014 Silk & Steel, Galerie Noko, Port Elizabeth, South Africa
- 2014 Norde Art, Kunstwerk Carlshütte, Büdelsdorf, Germany
- 2014 Beaver, The New School, New York, NY

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- 2014 Possession, New Shelter Plan Gallery, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2013 Tribute to Frédéric Bruly Bouabré, T& T Gallery, Guadeloupe
- 2013 Biennale Internationale D'Art Contemporain, Martinique
- 2013 Women Look at Women, Staten Island LGBT Center, New York, NY
- 2013 Caribbean Cream, BrutEdge Gallery, Jersey City, NJ
- 2013 Signs of Life, Rush Corridor Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
- 2013 Dreamzine, Eastern Edge Gallery, St. John's, Newfoundland
- 2012 Home & Away, WMA, St. George's, Grenada
- 2012 Artwiki, Berlin Biennial, Berlin, Germany
- 2012 All Things Are, Gallery At Porter Mill, MA
- 2012 Pratt Institute Foundation Faculty Exhibition, Brooklyn, NY
- 2012 Caridi Gallery, Scope Miami Fair, Miami, FL
- 2012 Dell Pryor Gallery, Detroit, MI
- 2012 Emerge Art Fair, Washington, DC
- 2012 What She Longed To Tell, Savae Inc, Brooklyn, NY
- 2012 Color in Black, SQPA, Jamaica, NY11 Jamaica Center for Arts and Learning
- 2012 Studio Program Exhibition, Jamaica, NY

## **FAIRS**

- 2021 Art Basel Miami Beach, Mariane Ibrahim Gallery, Miami, FL
- 2021 The Armory Fair, Mariane Ibrahim Gallery, New York, NY
- 2020 The Armory Fair, Mariane Ibrahim Gallery, New York, NY
- 2019 MECA International Art Fair, Mariane Ibrahim Gallery, San Juan, PR
- 2019 EXPO Chicago, Mariane Ibrahim Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2019 Cape Town Art Fair, Offset Culture, Cape Town, South Africa
- 2019 Solo Booth Exhibition, New York Armory, Mariane Ibrahim Gallery, New York, NY
- 2018 Untitled Art Fair, Mariane Ibrahim Gallery, Miami, FL
- 2018 Art Joburg, Gallery 1957, Johannesburg, South Africa
- 2017 1:54 Contemporary Art Fair, Gallery MOMO, London, UK
- 2016 EXPO Chicago 2016 with Gallery MOMO, Chicago, IL
- 2015 Cape Town Art Fair-Gallery MOMO, Cape Town, South Africa
- 2014 Kampala Art Biennale, Kampala, Uganda

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- 2014 Guest Artist, DAK'ART Biennale of African Art, Dakar, Senegal
- 2012 African & Afro-Caribbean Art/Design Festival, UK
- 2011 Hard Candy, Playtime Trade Show, New York, NY

## **RESIDENCIES**

- 2018 Artist in Residence, Gallery 1957, Accra, Ghana
- 2017 Artist in Residence, The Cooper Union, New York, NY
- 2015 Artist in Residence, Gallery MOMO, Johannesburg, South Africa
- 2013 Artist Symposium, Multipoint, Nitre, Slovakia
- 2012 Keyholder Residency, Lower East Side Printshop, New York, NY
- 2011 Studio LLC Residency, Jamiaca Center For the Arts and Learning, Jamaica, NY
- 2009 Design Residency, Kokrobite Institute, Accra, Ghana
- 2009 Studio Residency, Caribbean Museum Center for the Arts, St. Croix, USVI
- 2006 Artist in Residence, Braziers Workshop, London, UK
- 2003 Cyber Residency, Longwood Arts, Bronx, NY

## **PROJECTS**

- 2019 VLOSA Project, National Art Gallery of the Bahamas, Nassau
- 2019 VLOSA Project, Little Haiti Cultural Center, Miami, FL
- 2018 Canoe Project, The Gathering Place, Tulsa, OK
- 2018 Visual Life of Social Afflictions Project ,Small Axe, New York, NY
- 2014 Blue Sky Collaborative Project, Harts Lane Studio, London UK
- 2014 Blue Sky Collaborative Project, Fontanian Studio, Hong Kong

## **AWARDS**

- 2021 Pillar Art Prize
- 2021 Wachtmeister Award
- 2021 Illumination on Archer, Ahha Museum, Tulsa, OK
- 2018 Tulsa Artist Fellowship
- 2017 Haitian Heroes, Private Client, Minneapolis, MN
- 2016 Visiting Artist, Nafasi Art Space, Dar es Salaam, Tanzania

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2015 Arts Moves Africa Grant  
2015 Creative Black Star Award  
2011 Joan Mitchell Foundation Grant

## COLLECTIONS

International African American, Charleston, SC, US  
CCS Bard College Hessel Museum of Art, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY, US  
Lowe Museum of Art, Miami, FL, US  
Smithsonian National Museum of African Art, Washington, DC, US  
University of South Africa, Pretoria, South Africa

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