# RICKY WEAVER

## **SOLO EXHIBITIONS** 2022 David Klein Gallery, Detroit, MI (upcoming) 2020 Closer to God, 22 North, Ypsilanti, MI 2018 SAW Presents RICKY WEAVER, SAW Gallery, Bloomfield, MI **GROUP EXHIBITIONS** 2022 Soft-box, The Carnegie, Cleveland, Ohio (upcoming) Home, Cranbrook Art Museum, Bloomfield, MI (upcoming) 2022 Salon Redux, David Klein Gallery, Detroit, MI 2021 Art Miami, David Klein Gallery, Miami, FL 2021 Not only will I stare, Black Studies Gallery UT Austin, Austin, TX Put Your Hands Where I Can See Them, The Flux Factory, Astoria, NY With Eyes Wide Open, Cranbrook Art Museum, Bloomfield, MI Move the World, Irwin House Gallery, Detroit, MI A Way of Escape, The Carr Center, Detroit, MI New Year/New Work, David Klein Gallery, Detroit, MI 2020 Intersect Chicago, SOFA EXPO, Chicago, IL Art Mile Detroit, BULK Space, Detroit, MI Imagine Freedom, Critical Resistance, Oakland, CA Multifaceted Narratives, Detroit Artist Market, Detroit MI Emergency Rapid Response Fundraiser, MOCAD, Detroit, MI Familiar, David Klein Gallery, Detroit MI Solstice Auction, Oakwood Arts, Richmond VA Show Us Some Love, 3583 Dubois St. Detroit, MI (Auction) Exploring Passages Within the Black Diaspora, PCNW, Seattle, WA View Find 9, Page Bond Gallery, Richmond, VA 2019 Beyond Space, Carr Contemporary, Detroit MI In Search of Our Mothers Gardens We Made Armor, Sediment Arts, Richmond, VA The Spirit That Resides, 29 Lazaro, Havana Biennial, Havana, Cuba DEBUT, Whitdel Arts, Detroit, MI America Week, Torrance Art Museum, Torrence, CA New Perspectives, Mercedes-Benz Financial Services, Farmington Hills, MI 2018 Cranbrook Graduate Show, Cranbrook Art Museum, West Bloomfield, MI Betwixt the Aftermath, West Bloomfield, MI 2017 Chimera, North 22 Gallery, Ypsilanti, MI 2016 America Week, Beacon Project Sacramento, Sacramento, CA Focus on the Face, Las Laguna Gallery, Laguna Beach, CA 2014 Showcase Noir, Pittsburgh Cultural Trust, Pittsburgh, PA 2013 Juried exhibition, Second place, Rodin, Detroit, MI Uncapped, Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, MI 2012 Under Exposed, Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, MI

Works from the Photo Dept., Student Gallery, Ypsilanti, MI

## **AWARDS + FELLOWSHIPS**

2020 Critics Choice, LensCulture

2018 Independent Scholar Fellowship with Carrie Mae Weems, The Carr Center, Detroit, MI

Applebaum Fellowship, Darkroom Detroit, Detroit MI

Bright Futures Award, Mercedes-Benz Financial Services, Farmington Hills, MI

Emerging Artist Award Nominee, Mercedes-Benz Financial Services, Farmington, MI

2017 Merit Scholarship Award, Cranbrook Academy of Art, West Bloomfield, MI

#### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

2022

| 2021 | Teaching Fellow, ArtCenter, Pasadena, CA   |
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| 2021 | Lecturer, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI                                  |
|      | Part-time Faculty, Wayne State-university, Detroit, MI, Photography (Began 2018) |
| 2020 | Instructional Aide, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI                        |
|      | Part-time Faculty, Washtenaw Community College, Ypsilanti, MI,                   |
| 2019 | Part-time Faculty, Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, MI, Photography       |
|      | Full-time k-5 Art teacher, Abrakadoodle, Hamtramck, MI                           |
| 2017 | Instructor, Mosaic Project, Ypsilanti, MI  |

Guests on Blatant, Museum of The African Diaspora SF, San Francisco, CA

#### ARTIST LECTURES + GALLERY TALKS + RELATED EXPERIENCE

| 2021 | Image Ontology and Dark Sousveillance, ArtCenter, Pasadena, CA           |
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|      | Visiting Artist, Wisconsin's Polytechnic University                      |
|      | Portfolio Reviewer, Washtenaw Community College                          |
| 2020 | Dialogic Presentation, SPE Midwest Virtual Conference                    |
|      | Discussion Moderator, Revival, The Carr Center, Detroit, MI              |
|      | Studio Visit, U of M institute for the Humanities, Ann Arbor, MI         |
|      | Seminar, Cranbrook Academy of Art Photo Department, Bloomfield, MI       |
|      | Storytelling, The Black Experience, Riverside Arts Center, Ypsilanti, MI |
|      | Artist talk, REVIVAL/REVIVE, The Carr Center Gallery, Detroit, MI        |
| 2019 | Gallery Talk in conjunction with exhibition, Sediment Arts, Richmond, VA |
|      | Research Presentation, Detroit School of Art, Detroit, MI                |
|      | Artist talk, Detroit Center for Design + Technology, Detroit, MI         |
|      | Artist Talk, Habibi House, Detroit Art Week, Hamtramck, MI               |
|      | Execution team, The REACH Parade, The Kennedy Center, Washington DC      |
| 2018 | Department Assistant, Cranbrook Academy of Art, West Bloomfield, MI      |
| 2014 | Museum Intern, Museum of Contemporary Art Detroit, Detroit, MI           |
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# **PUBLICATIONS + PRESS**

As we Rise, Aperture, ISBN: 978-1597115100 Ricky Weaver <a href="http://essayd.org/?author=28">http://essayd.org/?author=28</a>

Pain can be Poetic; Lensculture critics choice awards in pictures

 $\underline{https://www.theguardian.com/artanddesign/gallery/2020/sep/02/lensculture-critics-choice-2020-winners-in-pictures}$ 

Ricky Weaver in conversation with Michelle May-Curry, The Black Aesthetic, pg.91-97, ISBN: 978-1-7332761-3-9

PUBLICATIONS + PRESS (continued)

Beyond Space, pg. 44-47, ISBN: 978-0-359-97407-8

MFON Seattle, ISBN: 978-0-578-65683-0

 $MOCAD\ Launches\ Fundraiser:\ \underline{https://seenthemagazine.com/mocad-launches-fundraiser-to-support-launches-fundraiser.}$ 

detroit-artists/

Detroit Art Mile: <a href="https://coolhunting.com/culture/detroit-art-mile/">https://coolhunting.com/culture/detroit-art-mile/</a>

The Timelessness of Art: https://detroitisit.com/mocad-art/

 $Shooting\ Star:\ \underline{https://today.wayne.edu/news/2020/03/10/shooting-star-photo-artist-adjunct-photo-adjunct-photo-adjunct-photo-adjunct-photo-adjunct-photo-adjunct-photo-adjunct-photo-adjunct-phot$ 

professor-ricky-weaver-earning-acclaim-for-her-introspective-looks-at-identity-lineage-

36660#.XzNAK2BC6Al.link

Open Studio with Ricky Weaver <a href="https://gravesmallett.art/podcast/">https://gravesmallett.art/podcast/</a>

The Carr Center Connects Artists and Scholars With First Converge Detroit Conference:

https://wdet.org/posts/2019/10/09/88714-the-carr-center-connects-artists-and-scholars-with-first-

converge-detroit-conference/

El Espíritu Que Reside: <a href="http://bohemia.cu/cultura/2019/04/el-espiritu-que-reside/">http://bohemia.cu/cultura/2019/04/el-espiritu-que-reside/</a> RICKY WEAVER: <a href="https://www.oursphotomag.com/blog/ricky-weaver-feature">https://www.oursphotomag.com/blog/ricky-weaver-feature</a>

#### **EDUCATION**

2018 MFA, Photography - Cranbrook Academy of Art, West Bloomfield, MI

2014 BFA, Photography - Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, MI