

SOPHIA WALLACE

BORN:

1978 Seattle, Washington

RESIDES:

2015 Brooklyn, New York

EDUCATION:

2005 New York University & The International Center of Photography
Master of Arts in Photography
2000 Smith College, Bachelor of Arts, Major in Government (Political Science)
1998 Study Abroad, University of Ghana (coursework in Political Theory)

FELLOWSHIPS:

2012 Van Lier Fellow

AWARDS:

2011 Recipient of The Curator Award, PDN
Critic's Pick, Griffin Museum
2009 Winner, American Photography AP 25, (Catalog)
Winner, ARTslant Showcase
2008 Chosen, American Photography AP 24

SOLO EXHIBITIONS:

2016 Catinca Tabacaru Gallery, New York, NY
2015 Sewanee University of the South, Sewanee, TN
2014 Definitely Superior Gallery, Thunder Bay, Canada
Samek Art Museum, Bucknell University, Lewisburg, PA
2013 Newspace Center of Photography, Portland, OR
2010 Leslie/Lohman Museum, New York, NY

GROUP EXHIBITIONS (selected):

2016 *In The Raw: The Female Gaze on the Nude*, Untitled Space Gallery, NYC
2015 *Devotion*, Catinca Tabacaru Gallery, New York, NY (Catalog)
The F-Word: Feminism in Art, Untitled Space Gallery, New York, NY
FACES, Palazzo d'Accursio, Bologna, Italy (Catalog)
2014 *Queen of the Night*, performance, Art Basel, Miami, FL

- FACES*, Hasted Krauteler, New York, NY (Catalog)
FACES, Ambassade d'Italie, Paris, France (Catalog)
The Clitney Perennial, art intervention, Whitney Museum, New York, NY
After Our Bodies Meet: From Resistance to Potentiality, Leslie-Lohman Museum, New York, NY
It Begins On Paper, Catinca Tabacaru Gallery, New York, NY (Catalog)
IT'S SOMETIMES YOU MOVE TOO LOUD, Edmund Pearce Gallery, Melbourne, Australia
- 2013 *3/3/3 Artists in BW*, OUTLET Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
The Clit Rodeo, Wassaic Summer Art Festival, Wassaic, NY
The Figure Eight, Art Space, New Haven, CT
Scène A Faire, Art Law Residency Exhibition, Dumbo Arts Center, New York, NY (Catalog)
Author and Subject: Queer Contemporary Photography, PHOTO CENTER NW, Seattle, WA
- 2012 *Uncommon Intimacy*, Spacio Labo at Centro Di Fotografia, Bologna, Italy
No Fashion, Please!, KUNSTHALLE wien Museum, Vienna, Austria (Catalog)
- 2011 *A Fine Line: Private Lives for Public View*, Colgate University's Clifford Gallery, Hamilton, NY
Small Lives, Global Ties, Tamasha Online Gallery, London, United Kingdom
100 Portraits, Australian Centre of Photography, Sydney, Australia
100 Portraits, Head On Festival Sydney, Australia
100 Portraits, Snap! Orlando, FL
100 Portraits, New York Photo Festival Brooklyn, NY
100 Portraits, MOPLA, Los Angeles, CA
100 Portraits, Fotoweeek DC, Washington, DC
- 2010 *Strange Bedfellows*, The Assembly Room, London, United Kingdom
group show 37 Humble Arts Foundation, TASCHEN Gallery, New York, NY
Bed II, Umbrella Arts Gallery, New York, NY
Women's Work Slideluck, Kopeikin Gallery, Los Angeles, NY
- 2009 *Homesick*, Carnegie Art Museum, Oxnard, CA
Nymphoto, Sasha Wolf Gallery, New York, NY
Inside Out Slideluck, Aperture Gallery, New York, NY
Pink & Bent, Leslie/Lohman Museum, New York, NY

PRESS:

- 2016 Staff, Clito Ou Tard, *Stylist Magazine*, June 16
 Marc Bonomelli, l'artiste qui a du clito (mais pas que), *Les Inrocks*, June 2
 Staff, "L'artiste féministe Sophia Wallace expose..." *Glamour Paris*, May
 Olivia Parkes, 'Cliteracy' Artist Sophia Wallace on What It's Like When Your

Work Goes Viral, *Broadly*, May 30

Charlotte Jansen, Sophia Wallace Counters the Cliches and Stigma of Radical Feminist Art, *ARTSY*, May 26

Kelly Faircloth, 'Cliteracy' Artist Says Facebook Locked Her Account Just for Posting Links to Reviews, *Jezebel*, May 16

Charlotte Jansen, Considering the Nude in Feminist Art, *AnOther Magazine*, May 12

Nicole Disser, Many Nudes, None by Dudes, at This Art Show Dedicated to the Female Gaze, *Bedford + Bowery*, May 5

Priscilla Frank, Who's Afraid Of The Female Gaze?, *Huffington Post*, May 2

Adriana Pauly, The Nude In Feminist Art And The Female Gaze, *Art Report*, May 2

Staff, IN THE RAW: The Female Gaze on the Nude, *Juxtapoz* May 2

Katie Cercone, White Hot 4th Wave Feminism: The Female Gaze opens Tuesday in Tribeca, *Whitehot Magazine*, May

Justin Moran, Female Artists Rework The Classic Nude For New Group

Olivia Harrison, 10 Images That Take The Female Nude Back From The Male Gaze, *Bust Magazine*, May 1

Exhibition, "In The Raw", *Bullett Magazine*, April 29

Alyssa Buffenstein, 20 Female Artists' Perspectives on the Nude, *The Creators Project x Vice*, April 27

Alana Vagianos, 17 Women On the First Time They Were Catcalled, *Huffington Post*, March 31

Jillian Groening, 55 Women Making Work We're Obsessed With, *Format Magazine*, March 7

Daan Andrea Vera Borrel, 'Femininity... should also be about enjoyment' *Des Correspondent*, Jan. 12, 2016

2015 Osia Katsidou, CLITERACY, Sophia Wallace is on a mission to enlighten the world about the clitoris, *I-D VICE*, Nov. 17

Sarah Z. Wexler, Orgasms for All, *Women's Health Magazine*, November

Katelyn-Jane Dunn, Girls Will Be Bois, *COMMON GROUND*, September

Kayle AE, 12 Emerging Feminist Game-Changers in Media, Journalism & The Arts, *MEDIUM*, August 11

Trisha Borowicz, The Female Orgasm, Clarified and Demystified, *ALTERNET*, Aug 8

Marcie Bianco, This Art Project Will Teach You Cliterally Everything You Need to Know About the Clitoris, *.MIC*, June 3

Marianne White, Art is the Answer, *Untitled Magazine*, Issue 8, June

Carina Kolodny & Amber Genuske, The Overdue, Under-Told Story Of The Clitoris, *Huffington Post*, March 18

Rebecca Cheong, Spreading Cliteracy, *Brooklyn Quarterly*, Issue 5, June 23

Sabrina N., Get #Cliterate: Overcoming Socially Constructed Ignorance. *The F Bomb*, June 22

Cosas Veredes, No se prive de su clitoris, *Pagina*, June 12,

Franca Lavinia Meyerhöfer, 14 ungläubliche Fakten über die Klitoris,

- Huffington Post Germany, January 6
- Kate Longaker, Cliteracy: Sewanee and the Solid Gold Clitoris, *Her Campus*, March 2
- Carina Kolodny, Love And Sex Podcast: The Power Of The Clitoris, *Huffington Post*, February 26
- Sara F. Carter, Giant Golden Clitoris Statue at University of the South, Bustle, March 1
- Elizabeth Weingarten, How To Shake Up Gender Norms, *TIME Magazine*, January 20
- 2014 Priscilla Frank, Art Basel Miami Beach 2014: The 25 Events You Simply Can't Miss, *Huffington Post*, Dec. 3
- Alison Burgos, Art Basel: Annual Women In Art Benefit Debuted Queen Of The Night's Premiere, *Origins Magazine*, Dec. 7
- Admin, Art Basel Miami Highlights, *Untitled Magazine*, Dec. 11
- Camille Fallen et Phillippe Roux, "des feminismes" *de(s)generations* 21, Dec.
- Lauren Cox, "The G-Spot And 'Vaginal Orgasm' Are Myths, According To New Clinical Review" Oct 9
- Cecilia Marotta, "Chi ha paura del corpo delle donne?" *Huffington Post Italy*, July 18
- Katherine Brooks, "A Survey of Queer Feminist Artists Who Are Challenging Today's 'Body Oppression'," *Huffington Post*, June 19
- Pamela Madsen, "14 Crazy Amazing Facts About Female Sexuality," *Psychology Today*, June 21
- Jessica Valenti, "Art, gender and pleasure should collide more often," *The Guardian*, May 16
- Jillian Steinhauer, "Feminist Protest Disrupts The Whitney Biennial," *Hyperallergic*, May 17
- Laurène Daycard, "Girl Power Trend," *ELLE France*, May 12
- Laura Itzkowitz, "10 Artists Challenging Everything We Know About Contemporary Art," *Policy Mic*, March 18
- Robert Nelson, "New perspectives emerge in feminist artworks at Midsumma Festival," *The Sydney Morning Herald*, January 22
- Tyler Kingkade, "Administrators At This Santa Fe College Are Not Happy About Clit' Graffiti," *Huffington Post*, March 6
- Hamilton Nolan, "Only Officially Sanctioned Clit Art is Allowed at Art School," *Gawker*, March 6
- Hunter Riley, "Sex, Art & Higher Education, *CLITERACY* Project Sparks Graffiti," *The Santa Fe Reporter*, March 4
- Csilla Liptai, "Feminism, Sexuality & Queer Art," *Bend Over Magazine*, Berlin, Germany, Issue 8 Spring/Summer
- 2013 Dominique Mosbergen, "Cliteracy 101: Artist Sophia Wallace Wants You to Know the Truth About the Clitoris," *Huffington Post*, August 29
- Sydney Brownstone, "An Art Project Shines A Light On The Things You Don't (But Should) Know About The Clitoris," *Fast Company*, September 9,
- Alice Tatge & Therese Steele, Interview, *DYAD*, Art Journal, London,

UK, February 6

Cristiana Pena, João Manuel de Oliveira, Teresa Furtado, "Políticas Feministas nas Artes Visuais e Performativas," *Ex Aequo* Issue 27, Vila Franca de Xira, Portugal

Alina Mogilyanskaya, "Mastering Cliteracy," *The Independent*, October 30

JC Gonzo, "Accessing Pleasure with Activist/Artist Sophia Wallace," *The End of Being*, November 22

"Cliteracy 101: Artist Sophia Wallace," *iAfrica*, September 6

Anna Lekas Miller, "America Has a Long Way to Go Before It's Fully 'Cliterate'," *Alternet*, October 2, 2013

Simon Antony, "Everything You Always Wanted to Know About the Clitoris (Tout Ce Que Vous Avez Toujours Voulu Savoir Sur Le Clitoris)," *Blended Magazine*, November 12

Jodie Gummow, "Clitoris Campaign Goes Viral," *Alternet*, August 30

Matty Silver, "The quest for cliteracy," *The Sydney Morning Herald*, September 9

Jess Eagle, "Cliteracy 101's Most Necessary Lesson: FGM and Clit-Repair Surgery," *House of Flout*, September 3

Jodie Gummow, "How 'cliterate' are you?," *Salon*, September 4

Katie Fustich, "Sophia Wallace and the Quest for #Cliteracy," *Bust*, August 30

Dominique Mosbergen, "Men And Women Disrupt Gender Norms In Striking Photography Series 'Modern Dandy'," *Huffington Post*, August 29

Merryn Johns, "On Gendered Ground," *Curve Magazine*, October 2013

Alicia Eler, "The Making of Urban Agitpop," *Hyperallergic*, August 19

Alicia Eler, "Ridin' the Clit Rodeo One Phallusy at a Time" *Hyperallergic*, July 19

Terri Ciccone, "Pithy Takes on the Art of Armory Week" *BLOUIN Art Info*, March 8

Emily Colucci, "Scope New York Brings the Streets to the Fair," *Hyperallergic*, March 8

Lori Zimmer, "Upping the Ante Armory Arts Week 2013," *ARTslant*, March 3

Laura Itzkowitz, "SCOPE Art Show Editor's Picks," *Untapped Cities*, March 11

Cory Tallman, "CLITERACY" *CREEM* Magazine Issue 7, March

Lori Zimmer, "Baang + Burne: CLITERACY," *Art Nerd*, February 26

Molly McArdle, "A Different Kind of Literacy: Art Show 'Cliteracy' Hits NYC This Weekend," *Bitch Magazine*, March 8

Richard Speer, "Sophia Wallace: Truer," *Willamette Week*, March 1

2012

Jessie Wender, "Open House: Inside Brooklyn's Photo Studios," *The New Yorker*, August 29

Jen Graves, "Queering the Art Museum," *The Stranger*, May 9

Portfolio of *Truer*, *Apocrifa Art Magazine*, Mexico City, Mexico, October 20

Mekhi Baldwin, "A New Gaze: The Photography of Sophia Wallace," *The GAQ*, May 17

"Cover & Feature Story on Alice Carey," *Girls Like Us*, Issue 2, Volume 3.

- 2011 Federico Poletti, "In Search of Identity, No Fashion Please!" *Italian Vogue*, October
 Sabine B. Vogel, "Kunsthalle Wien: Schön war gestern," *Die Presse*, October 11
Zeit, Body of Artificiality
ArtClue, "No Fashion Please!" May 12
The Daily Gib, "No Fashion Please! Photography between Lifestyle and Gender (Vienna)"
Wien International, Kunsthalle tempts with fashion program
theartVIEw, "No Fashion, please! at Kunsthalle Wien," November 10
 Joerg Colberg, "Truer by Sophia Wallace," *Conscientious*, November 1
Smith Alumnae Quarterly, "Breaking Boundaries Sophia Wallace"
 Thorsten Gritschke, "Vienna: Challenging Fashion," *Wall Street Journal*, November 11
HYPE Magazine, Portraits of Dandy Patrick McDonald, Berlin, Germany
PDN Magazine, Profile, Recipients of The Curator Award, New York, NY
HYPE Magazine, Feature on Berlin Lookbook, Berlin, Germany
 Erik Vroons, "Feature on Berlin Lookbook and Girls Will Be Boys," (Amsterdam, Netherlands) *GUP Magazine*, Issue 29
 Kjerstin Johnson, "Sm{art}: Sophia Wallace: Not Your Typical Fashion Shoot," *Bitch Magazine*, June 15
- 2010 Hanno, "Sophia Wallace: Modern Dandy," *Catch Fire*, October 8
 "Featured Photo of the Day — Truer," *FLAK Photo*, June 17th
 Alison Zavos, "Sophia Wallace: New York," *FeatureShoot*, July 27
aCurator, "100 Portraits - 100 Photographers," November
The Photography Post, "Go Here! Do This! The New Masculine"
- 2009 *RAW Magazine*, "Sophia Wallace, A Feisty New Yorker"
- 2008 Hannah Clay Wareham, "Pink and Bent: Exhibition of Queer Women Artists in NYC," *The Advocate*, June 17
 Grace Moon, "Gay Agenda: The Floating World," Velvet Park, June 6
 Julie Bolcer, "Taking a Pink and Bent look at Art," *After Ellen*, June 9

LECTURES:

- 2016 *Over and Over and Over*, Catinca Tabacaru Gallery, New York, NY
Artivism & Advocacy, Creative Storytelling for Public Health, Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health, New York, NY
They Can Pick All the Flowers but They Can't Stop the Spring, Leslie Lohman Museum, New York, NY
- 2015 *CLITERACY & The Overdue, Under-Told Story of the Clitoris*, 30 Macon Lecture Series, Brooklyn, NY
CLITERACY, University of the South, Sewanee, TN
- 2014 *Evolution or Extinction? The Future of Gender*, Panel at New America Foundation, NY, NY
CLITERACY, See it, Say it. TEDx Salford, Manchester, UK
illCLITERATE Pedagogy Alice Salomon University Berlin, Germany

- The Negated Subject*, Catinca Tabacaru Gallery
Art & Critical Subjectivity, Grinnell College, IO
Breaking Barriers, Smith Alumnae Panel, The Little Red School House, NY
Art & Critical Subjectivity, Wesleyan University, CT
The Unseen Subject, Samek Art Museum, Bucknell University, PA
The Body Erotic, Panel, Soho House, NY
- 2013 *Power, A Visual Language*, Santa Fe University of Art & Design, NM
Censorship & Productive Failure, University of New Mexico, NM
Censorship & Productive Failure, CENTER, NM
Embodied Subjecthood, Newspace Center for Photography, OR
Sex, Power, Images, Coe College, IO
- 2012 *Power, A Visual Language*, Alice Salomon University Berlin, Germany
- 2011 *This Beautiful Fight*, Colgate University, NY
The New World of Online Magazines & Websites, PDN Photo Expo, NY
Intersections of Gender, Race and Sexuality, Davidson College, SC
- 2009 *Femininity, Desire, and Gender*, PACE University
- 2005-2008 Guest artist at New York University & The International Center of Photography, NY, NY

RESIDENCIES:

- 2014 Artist Resident, The Digital Fabrication Residency, Brooklyn, NY
- 2013 Artist Lab Residency, CENTER, Santa Fe, NM
Wassaic Artist Residency, The Wassaic Project, Wassaic, NY
- 2012 Art Law Residency, Volunteer Lawyers for the Arts, New York, NY
- 2011 Artist Summer Institute, Lower Manhattan Cultural Council & Creative Capital, Governor's Island, NY

WRITING:

- 2013 Feminist Wire, *Artist Sophia Wallace Responds to CLITERACY Critiques*
- 2012 Function Magazine, *Queer Dystopias* – essay, Toronto, Canada

TELEVISION / RADIO / FILM APPEARANCES

- 2015 Transitioning to full-time on Cliteracy with Sophia Wallace, “Artists Without Day Jobs” Podcast Episode 6, Nov 6
The Importance of Being Cliterate, PBS Digital Studios, “First Person” Episode 10, July 13
Live Interview with Nancy Redd, Huffington Post Live, May 19
Guest of Rock Newman on the Roland Martin Show, March 26
- 2014 Guest of Cathy Alex for CBC’s Voyage North, March 11
- 2013 Guest of Dan Savage, “Savage Love” Podcast Episode 371, December 3
Live interview with Abby Martin, RTTV Russian Satellite Television, September 26
Live interview with Ricky Camilleri and Caitlyn Becker, Huffington Post LIVE, August 30
- 2011 Protagonist in television feature with Tim Lienhard “No Fashion Please!” for

2008

ARTE, French German Television Channel, November 23

Filmed interview with museum, Kunsthalle Wien — *Vienna, Au* November 9

Live interview with Diana Cage, OUTQ on Sirius Satellite Radio, January 14