#### **Beth Collar**

**Curriculum Vitae** 

# \*1984, Cambridge, England

Lives and works in Berlin, Germany

#### Education

2010 - 2012	MA Sculpture	Royal College	of Art, London
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2009 - 2010 Postgraduate Diploma in Drawing, The Princes Drawing School, London

2004 - 2007 BA(Hons) Fine Art, London Metropolitan University, London

### **Solo Exhibitions**

2024

Intersession, Galerie Khoshbakht, Cologne, Germany

A HOME for SOMETHING UNKNOWN, Neuer Berliner Kunstverein, Berlin, Germany

2023

Bad Zeit, Westfälischer Kunstverein, Münster, Germany

2022

The Unforgiven, Sundy, London, United Kingdom

Two man show curated by Nina Beier and Simon Dybbroe Møller, Aye Aye, Copenhagen, Denmark

Plaza Plaza at Sadie Coles HQ, London, United Kingdom

Guts art space, Berlin, Germany

2021

Shane with Elif Saydam, Zarinbal Khoshbakht, Cologne, Germany

Basher Dowsing, von ammon co., Washington DC, United States

2020 "End Quote", stadium, Berlin, Germany

2019

Retrogression with Eoghan Ryan, Four Two Seven, Riga, Latvia

Daddy Issues, Dilston Grove, London commissioned by Matt's Gallery and CGP, London,

United Kingdom

2018

Thinking Here of How The Thoughts Formulate Inside My Head As I Am Just Thinking, Waldo, Mathew Gallery, New York City, United States

Cloaked Output Vol 2: Spirals of Focus, Primary, Nottingham, United Kingdom

Thinking Here of How The Thoughts Formulate Inside My Head As I Am Just Thinking, Matt's Gallery, London, United Kingdom

2017

Seriously, Standpoint, for Mark Tanner Sculpture Award, London, United Kingdom

2015

11/50, Fig-2, Institute of Contemporary Art, London, United Kingdom

2014

Some Chthonic Swamp Experience, Tintype Gallery, London, United Kingdom

2012

Ancient Britain, exhibition and performance, The Woodmill GP, London, United Kingdom

#### **Solo Performances**

2021

*Upset Tummy Thinking, Why Words Now*, a collaboration with The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts and Art Hub Copenhagen, Copenhagen, Denmark

Scatter Cushion, podcast episode for Pogo Bar Podcast, KW, Berlin, Germany

2020

This is How I've Lived (but, The Mongol Hordes!) Mark IV: ADDENDUM, CentrumCentrum, Szczecin, Poland

2019

Upset Tummy Thinking, Bobshop, Berlin, Germany

2017

Brainstem Thinking with Hannah Still, Kunstraum, London, United Kingdom

2015

Probably, Like a Melon Rolling Off a Table: Part II, Saturday Live, Serpentine Galleries, London, United Kingdom

2013

The Brackish Seas of the Triassic, at the old chapel, Maughn Library, Kings College, London, United Kingdom

The Brackish Seas of the Triassic, as part of Art Licks Weekend festival, London, United Kingdom

# **Group Exhibitions**

2025

Portrait II, Galerie Khoshbakht, New York City, United States Portrait, Galerie Khoshbakht, Cologne, Germany 9-5, 5-9, Art Hub Copenhagen, Copenhagen, Danemark

2024

*In silence*, Galerie Khoshbakht x Galeria Wschód, New York City, United States A Home for Something Unknown, Neuer Berliner Kunstverein, Berlin, Germany

2023

Bruno Pélassy and the Order of the Starfish, Haus am Waldsee, Berlin, Germany Solid Projections with Beth Collar, Coleman Collins, Nevine Mahmoud, Jeffrey Stuker, Larder, Los Angeles, United States

2022

Sweetwater, Berlin, DE

Adult Essence with Kate Mackeson, Tonio Kröner, Lore Deutz, Cologne, Germany On The Other Side of The Hill, E.A. Shared Space, Tbilisi, Georgia

2021

To Do Without So Much Mythology, Curated by Francesco Pedraglio, Galerie Martin Janda, Vienna, Austria

Stampede, Horse and Pony, Berlin, Germany

Von der schenkenden Tugend, Zarinbal Khoshbakht, Cologne, Germany

VON UNTEN with Shaun Motsi, Elvira, Frankfurt am Main, Germany

Online screening of 'The Island of the Dead' for Matt Flix, Matt's Gallery, London, United Kingdom Doppel with Jesse Darling, A plus A, Venice, Italy

Chernobyl Papers, New Scenario, Chernobyl exclusion zone, Ukraine

Drawings, Gianni Manhattan, Vienna, Austria

#### 2020

Fuori le Mura, British School at Rome, Italy

Bildhauer\*in der Sinne with Emanuele Becheri, curated by Beniamino Foschini, GiG, Munich, Germany

Focus Group II, Von Ammon Co, Washington D.C., United States

The Vapours, Kunstverein Kesselhaus, Bamberg, Germany

The Sea Monster, The Bear, Litost, Prague, Czechia

Intermission: White Noise Ballrooms, Camden Arts Centre, London, United Kingdom

### 2019

Anecdotes On Origin, A PLUS A, Venice, Italy

Dimensions Tomorrow, The Academy of Fine Arts, Helsinki, Finland

The world, a liver (receives everyone and everything), Mayfair Gallery, Darwin, Australia

No sense of place, only a mirror for reflection, Kunsthal ved siden af, Svendborg, Denmark

Appendix, Marlborough Contemporary, New York, United States

Sie Machen Was Sie Wollen, Boris Georgiev City Art Gallery, Varna, Bulgaria

Fever Dream, Gianni Manhattan, Vienna, Austria

Worlding it Otherwise or Else, Bärenzwinger, Berlin, Germany

When the Sick Rule the World, Gr und, Berlin, Germany

### 2018

Drawings, 650mAh, Hove, United States

Léopoldine, Sans Titre (2016), Paris, France

Beth Collar | Lukas Schmenger, Lady Helen, London, United Kingdom

Fatal Attraction, Thames-Side Studio Gallery, London, United Kingdom

Forbidden to Forbid, Goswell Road, Balice Hertling, Paris, France

Happy Eater, T.A.C.O, Thamesmead, United Kingdom

Juvenilia with Eoghan Ryan, Room E-10 27, Centre, Berlin, Germany

There is a pain so utter, Gertrude Glass House, Melbourne, Australia

DON'T COME IN, Winterfeldstrasse 31, Berlin, Germany

No, No, No, No, Cell Project Space, London, United Kingdom

Coronation, Horse and Pony, Berlin, Germany

### 2017

Let's See, Where Were We? In The Pit of Despair', De Ateliers, Amstrerdam, Netherlands Performance of This Is How I've Lived (but, the Mongol Hordes) Mark III: Redux, for the public symposium Mad Tea Party: Gonzo Curating and Beyond – Roaming Assembly with the Dutch Art Institute, Arnhem, Netherlands

Akademie Der Kunst Der Welt, Cologne, Germany

Le Laboratoire, group exhibition, for San Titre (2016), Marseille, France

Performance for Fuck You Where's My Sugar, Café Oto, London, United Kingdom

A rock that keeps tigers away, Kunstverein München, Germany

#### 2016

Tarantallegra, Hester, New York City, Unitated States

Tall Tales, touring group exhibition, Freud Museum, London, Touchstones Gallery and Museum,

Rochdale and Glasgow Women's Library, United Kingdom

Secret Surface, KW, Berlin, Germany

A Million Lines, Bunkier Sztuki Gallery of Contemporary Art, Kraków, Poland

## 2015

The Pump, Royal College of Art, London, United Kingdom

Tall Tales and Wayward Narratives, Nottingham Contemporary, Nottingham, United Kingdom

Secret Agents, Finnish Museum of Photography, Helsinki, Finland

SSHHHH, sounds like vernacular architecture, Rijksakademie, Amsterdam, Netherlands

The Spirit of the Staircase, The Sunday Painter, London, United Kingdom

Bob Cobbiiiiiiiiing Live, performance event as part of Speaking Parts, Raven Row, London, United Kingdom

The Cipher and the Frame, Cubitt, London, United Kingdom

### 2014

Anatomy of Anxieties, curated by Rowing at Edouard Malingue Gallery, Hong Kong, China *PALIMPSEST*, performance collaboration with William Cobbing at Hayward Gallery Project Space, London, United Kingdom

The flow between the thing and the word, Performance as Publishing at Modern Art Oxford, United Kingdom

Field Broadcast, broadcast at www.fieldbroadcast.org, United Kingdom

Let's Make Another Possible Now, ANTIKNOW directed by Jakob Jakobsen, Flat Time House, London, United Kingdom

### 2013

From script to performance to exhibition to performance to print, Rowing, London, United Kingdom Wendel! Open Your Door, a Woodmill project, CPG, London, United Kingdom The Everything and Nothing Problem, Jerwood Space, United Kingdom Lore of the Land, Dorchester Abbey, United Kingdom We Object, Aid and Abet, Cambridge, United Kingdom

#### 2012

Whitechapel London Open, Whitechapel Gallery, London, United Kingdom

## **Publications/Press**

2022

BC for Lore, Deutz, 2022

#### 2021

*Doppel.* Beth Collar & Jesse Darling a plus A Gallery, review by Veronica Pillon, APT Diary, 13 August 2021

Basher Dowsing, review by Mark Jenkins, Washington Post, 28 May 2021

A Heart Perpetually Awake: Beth Collar by Sabrina Tarasoff, Mousse Magazine, January 2021

## 2019

*Beth Collar*, review of Daddy Issues by Carl Gent, Burlington Contemporary, April 2019 Daddy Issues: Whose Emotions Are Being Milked?, review by Isabella Scott, Frieze, April 2019 *Beth Collar Profile* by Phoebe Blatton, Art Monthly issue 425: April 2019

## 2018

Lads on Plinths Beth Collar at Primary, review by The White Pube.co.uk, August 2018 'Skirting the Problem' catalogue essay written by Paul Clinton, for Primary, Nottingham's Programme Notes series, August 2018

A Rock That Keeps Tigers Away, exhibition catalogue, edited by Post Brothers and Chris Fitzpatrick, July

## 2017

Before Embarrassment, interview with Jay Tan for Blue Paper, CZ, 2017
Bad Vibes Club podcast episode, interview with Matthew de Kersaint Giraudeau, June 2017
Seriously, On Show, write up of Seriously by Paul Clinton on Frieze.com
Tate Etc Magazine, Micro Tate artist page, Autumn Issue, 2017

#### 2016

*Q and A with...* Beth Collar, Artist, interview by Pippa Koszerek, a-n online, August 2016 Form IV, issue 6, '*Obstruction*', formiv.com, July 2016

### 2015

the year in performance by Catherine Wood, 'Best of 2015', Artforum, December 2015 The Spirit of the Staircase, review by Orit Gat, Freize, issue 173, 2015 Depression, review by Lizzie Homersham, The Aorist, issue No. 1, 2015

unMagazine, issue 9.2, artist pages, October 2015

Performance as Sculpture, a Performance as Publishing publication, September 2015

*Transactions of the Duddo Field Club*, William Cobbing, - the appendix artist pages – September 2015 *Gallery Copy*, commission to accompany permanent collection at David Roberts Art Foundation, 2015

2014

*Her Eyes*, My Voice, vol 3 'Decorative Grammar', publication, 2014 *Neru Phuyt*, vol 1, publication, 2014

2013

Performance as Publishing, review by Lizzie Homersham, Frieze, issue 160, 2013

2012

*To Arrive Where We Started*, publication accompanying What We Have Done, What We Are About To Do at the CCA, Glasgow, 2012

Temperate Tastebuds (from temperature to temperament), System Publications, 2012

## **Grants and Awards**

2020 2015 - 2017	Augusta Scholar, British School in Rome University of Bristol History Department, 'The Figure of the Witch' research group led by Professor Ronald Hutton
2015 2013 - 2014 2012	RUPERT center for Art and Education, Vilnius, Lithuania Detroit, Bristol, United Kingdom The Woodmill GP, Bermondsey, London, United Kingdom