

DENE LEIGH

BIOGRAPHY

1989 Born in London
Lives and works in London

EDUCATION

2009 - 12 Wimbledon College of Art, London (BA Fine Art Painting)
2008 - 09 Chelsea College of Art and Design, London (Foundation in Art & Design)

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2018 *Dene Leigh: Ephemeral*, **Baert Gallery**, Los Angeles USA (July 14th – August 18th 2018)
2016 *Dene Leigh: Agnosia*, **Baert Gallery**, Los Angeles USA (November 5th – December 17th 2016)

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2020 Drawn Together, **The Unit London**, London UK
The Derwent Art Prize, **gallery@oxo**, Oxo Tower, London UK, tour **20 Rue Saint Claude**, Paris France
Works On Paper, **Baert Gallery**, Los Angeles USA
2018 *Royal Academy Summer Exhibition*, selected by Grayson Perry, **Royal Academy of Arts**, Piccadilly, London UK
2017 *Royal Academy Summer Exhibition*, Selected by Eileen Cooper. **Royal Academy of Arts**, Piccadilly, London UK
The Clyde & Co Art Awards Retrospective, **gallery@oxo**, Oxo Tower, London UK
2015 Saatchi Screen, **Saatchi Gallery**, Kings Road, Chelsea, London, UK
2014 *Shape Open: [in] visible*, **Shape Arts Gallery**, London UK
Young Masters Art Prize, selected by Charles Saumarez Smith, **Sphinx Fine Art**, Kensington, London UK
2013 *Shape Open: Disability Re-assessed*, selected by Yinka Shonibare, **Nunnery Gallery**, London, tour **Lewisham Arthouse**, London UK
Art Is For Life, **Cultivate Gallery**, Vyner Street, London UK
2012 *Clyde & Co Art Awards*, **Clyde and Co LLP**, Houndsditch, London UK
Please Touch The Art, **Dye House Gallery**, London UK
Degree Show, **Wimbledon College of Art**, London UK

AWARDS & RESIDENCIES

2021 The Ruth Borchard Self-Portrait Prize, shortlisted and Highly Commended artist
SPACE Artist Awards winner
SPACE Studios Residency
2020 The Derwent Art Prize, shortlisted exhibitor
2014 Young Masters Art Prize, shortlisted exhibitor
2012 The Clyde & Co Art Award, shortlisted exhibitor

SELECTED PRESS

2021 **ArtMaze Magazine** | *Publication Issue 23*
Ruth Borchard Self-Portrait Prize film, *Victoria Miro in conversation with Dene Leigh, 4 minutes 45 into the film*
Recorder Newspaper, *Ilford artist wins £5,000 bursary from Space studio, by Roy Chacko*
TIME 107.5-radio station, *interview with Dene Leigh about winning the SPACE Artist Awards*
2020 **Textural Anthologies: The Illusionist**, *Dene Leigh in conversation with Massimo Casagrande* (available on Apple Podcasts and Spotify)
2018 **Baert Gallery**, *Dene Leigh: Ephemeral (14 July 2018)*, written by A. Will Brown
2017 **Royal Academy of Arts** | *Summer Exhibition Illustrated 2017*, pages 100, 127
2016 **Hi-Fructose**, *Dene Leigh paints the world through a stroke victims eyes (22 March 2016)*, Written by Caro Buermann
Wimbledon College of Arts Blog, *Dene Leigh holds international solo show at Baert Gallery, LA, by Sophie Kassay*
2014 **Daily Serving**, *Fan Mail: Dene Leigh (26 November 2014)*, Written by A. Will Brown
Traction Magazine, *Susie Pentelow in conversation with Dene Leigh*
Harper's Bazaar, *Preview: This year's up-and-coming artistic talent, by Zoe Dickens*
2013 **BBC The Editors: Episode 7**, *UK television broadcast, BBC One, Nunnery Gallery*
Recorder Newspaper, *Dene's art depicts the world through his granddad's eyes, by Jessica Earnshaw*, page 14