

Rebecca Mir

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Education

- 2010 Master of Fine Arts - Studio Arts - The University of Illinois at Chicago
2004 Bachelor of Fine Arts - Ceramics and Sculpture - The School of the Art Institute of Chicago

Solo Exhibitions

- 2010 Uncharted Territories, ACRE Projects, Chicago IL

Selected Exhibitions, Performances and Screenings

- 2012 I'm...Here To Make Friends, Happy Collaborationists, Chicago IL
Arte No Es Fácil, Links Hall, Chicago IL
Romancing the Tone, Pittsburgh Center for the Arts, Pittsburgh PA
- 2011 Hornswaggler Collection Exhibition, Co-Prosperity Sphere, Chicago IL
The World As Text, Center for Book and Paper Arts, Columbia College, Chicago IL
Sketchbook Project, Brooklyn Art Library, Brooklyn NY
- 2010 Isolated Fictions, Green Lantern Gallery, Chicago IL
350 dot org Global Work Silkscreen Party, He Said She Said, Oak Park IL
National, University Galleries of Illinois State University, Normal IL
UIC MFA GOLD, Next Fair, Chicago IL
UIC MFA Thesis Show, Gallery 400, Chicago IL
Temporary Allegiance, Gallery 400, Chicago IL
What Made it Through the Fire, The Nightingale, Chicago IL
Isolated Fictions, FluxSpace, Philadelphia PA
- 2009 Aspect Ratio, Plaines Project, Chicago IL
Isolated Fictions, AS220, Providence RI
The Yield, Heaven Gallery, Chicago IL
- 2008 Collection Collection, Mess Hall, Chicago IL
- 2007 SmartMouth, Hothouse, Chicago IL
NFO/XPO, Version Fest 07, Zhou B. Art Center, Chicgao, IL
Art Shanty Projects, Medicine Lake, Plymouth MN
Great Lakes Society for Exploring Girls, Warehouse Club, Chicago IL
- 2006 The Perfect Man, All Rise Gallery, Chicago IL
New Cartography, Lobot Gallery, Oakland CA
NFO/XPO, Version Fest 06, Iron Studios, Chicago IL
- 2005 Puppet and Doll Show, Reversible Eye, Chicago IL
Crushin', Diamonds on Archer, Chicago IL
Everyone's Art Car Parade, The Orange Show, Houston TX
- 2004 Mapping Part II, Mess Hall, Chicago IL
Drunk vs. Stoned, General Store, Gavin Brown's Enterprise, New York NY
BFA Thesis Show, Gallery 2, Chicago IL

2003 Big Open Nothings, Texas Ballroom, Chicago IL
Chicago Art Open, Gallery 2, Chicago IL

Awards and Residencies

2010 ACRE Residency, Stueben WI/Chicago IL

2009 Harold Arts Residency, Jeffers Tree Farm, Chesterhill OH
Critical Fierceness Award, ChancesDances, Chicago IL

2008 Community Arts Assistance Program Grant, City of Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs
University of Illinois Board of Trustees Tuition Waiver and Navona/KRP Scholarship

2007 Community Arts Assistance Program Grant, City of Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs
Art Shanty Project's Residency and Grant, The Soap Factory

2005 Everyone's Art Car Parade Travel Assistance Award, The Orange Show, Houston TX
Community Arts Assistance Program Grant, City of Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs

2000 Academic Merit Scholarship, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago

Publications

2012 Proof, Ed. Erik Peterson, Chicago IL 2012

2011 Chicago IRL, vol. 1 Spring, Chicago IL 2011.
SHE IS RESTLESS vol. 2 waves, Rebecca Mir, self published, Chicago IL 2011.
SHE IS RESTLESS vol. 1 fracture, Rebecca Mir, self published, Chicago IL 2011.
In search of cold places, Rebecca Mir, self published, Chicago IL 2011

2010 Explorations, Rebecca Mir, self published, Chicago IL 2010.
Composite Issue #1: Tourism, ed. Zach Clark, Kara Cochran, Xavier Duran, and Suzanne Mokol,
Composite Arts Magazine, 2010.
Between Mountains and the Sea, Rebecca Mir, self published, Chicago IL 2010.

2009 The North Georgia Gazette, ed. Caroline Picard, Green Lantern Press, Chicago IL 2009.

2008 I was born to be an explorer, Rebecca Grady, self published, Chicago IL 2008.

2007 Shipwreck, Rebecca Grady, self published, Chicago IL 2007.

Press

2011 Waxman, Lori. "An Alternative Summer Reading List", Chicago Tribune, 07/13/11.
Picard, Caroline. "Lovers are Oceans are Vampire Slayers: an interview with Rebecca Mir", Bad At Sports
Blog, 04/20/11

2007 Del Curto, Jessica. "Superheroes: Class Creates Comic Books Based on Personal Experiences",
Extra, 11/8/07.
Brandel, Jennifer. "The Soft Shop/Pimp My Shack/Illicuty.com/Shanty", Mule Magazine, #4.
Brandel, Jennifer. "Soft Shop on the Crackling Ice", 848, Chicago Public Radio. Aired on 2/8/07.

2005 Levinson, Cate. "Static". Punk Planet. Issue #67 May/June 2005.

Teaching and Arts Related Employment

- 2007-2012 Studio Coordinator, Sarah McGuire Studio, Chicago IL
- 2011 Guest Instructor, Printmaking, University of Illinois at Chicago
- 2009-2010 Instructor, Drawing I, University of Illinois at Chicago
- 2009 Teaching Assistant to Dan Peterman, Art and Ecology, University of Illinois at Chicago
- 2006-2008 Instructor, Comic Book Project, After School Matters at Clemente, Noble, North Grand and Kelvin Park High Schools, Chicago IL
- 2005-2006 Instructor, TeenREACH Arts and Crafts Program, Chinese American Service League, Chicago IL
- 2005 Instructor, The Clay Studio, Philadelphia PA
- 2003-2005 Programming Coordinator and Instructor, Artists and Children Create Together, Chicago IL