Serra Victoria Bothwell Fels

BORN 1982, TENNESSEE LIVES AND WORKS IN BROOKLYN

EDUCATION

2016	MFA in Visual Arts, Columbia University, New York
2005	BA in Social Psychology, minor in Political Science, Stanford University, California

MUSEUM & INSTITUTIONAL EXHIBITIONS

2020	Myths of Perpetual	Growth, Richard	and Dolly Maass	Gallery, Purchase	College
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- 2019 BEAUTY SURPLUS, Kohler Museum, Wisconsin (solo)
- 2018 Alchemy, BRIC, New York; Curator: Elizabeth Ferrer
- 2017 Contemplative Practice, Sun Valley Center for the Arts, Idaho, USA; Curator: Courtney Gilbert Twenty Seventeen (Wisconsin), University of Wisconsin at Oshkosh, USA (solo)
- 2013 Concert Hall, Palais de Tokyo, Paris; Curator: Jean Barberis

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2018	Bad Boundaries, Catinca Tabacaru, New York
2017	Twenty Seventeen (Time Square), SPRING/BREAK Art Show; Curators: Raphael Guilbert & Catinca Tabacaru
2016	a DEFECT // to DEFECT, Catinca Tabacaru, New York
2013	You Are Here/Here You Are, FLA Gallery, Gainesville, USA

2012 Between You and The Mountains, Parse Gallery, New Orleans, USA

SITE-SPECIFIC COMMISSIONS

- 2014 Crystal Cavern (Still Growing), Pioneer Works, Brooklyn Outgrowths, Facebook, Menlo Park, California Radio Ceiling, The Clocktower Gallery at Pioneer Works, Brooklyn
- 2013 Snack Shack, Empire Drive-In, New York Hall of Science, Queens, NY
- 2012 Charlie Ang for Boatel, Inhabitable installations on boats, Marina 59, Far Rockaway, NYD
- 2011 Two houses for Music Box, Installations + orchestra performance, New Orleans Airlift, LA; Organized by Swoon

EXHIBITIONS WITH COLLABORATORS

- 2013 Crystal Cavern, Installation, with sounds by VnessWolfCHild, Sky High Gallery, Milwaukee Society of Pythagoras, Installation in abandoned secret society Hall, with Rabid Hands Collective, Hidden City Festival, Philadelphia
- 2012 Crystal Cavern (An Experiment), Installation, with music by VnessWolfCHild and 3D soundscape by Terence Caulkins, Clocktower Gallery, New York
- 2011 Regency Hotel, True/False Film Festival, with Rabid Hands Collective, Columbia, USA Vodopoi, Interactive labyrinth of installations in snowmobile warehouse, with Rabid Hands Collective, Detroit Sequence of Waves, Interactive installations in former conventD, with Rabid Hands Collective, Brooklyn

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2020	Infinity/Infinity/Perfect Vision, C for Courtside, Knoxville, TN
2017	UPROOT, Smack Mellon, Brooklyn Braid, Balash Artist Space, Brooklyn Friend of a friend, Pump Projects, Austin
2015	Devotion, Catinca Tabacaru, New York, curators: William Corwin & Catinca Tabacaru
2014	The Bushwick 500, English Kills Gallery, Brooklyn Decade of Decadence, Cinders Gallery, New York Grand Opening, Superchief Gallery, Los Angeles
2013	Uncharted Waters, Reverse Gallery, Brooklyn Headscapes, Headscapes Warehouse, Queens, USA Drawable, FLA Gallery, Gainesville, USA Braddock Tiles, Superchief Gallery and The Anita Shapolsky Foundation, New York Showpaper, Retrospective, The Market Hotel, Brooklyn
2012	Rewilding FLA, FLA Gallery, Gainesville, USA To The Stars On The Wings Of An Eel, Gowanus Ballroom, Brooklyn

2011 A Light In The Basement, Showpaper, Brooklyn Art + Architecture, Gowanus Ballroom, Brooklyn

AWARDS

2019	NYFA Architecture/Environmental Structures/Design finalist Purchase Collage Windgate Artist Fellowship
2018	Peter S Reed Foundation Award
2016	Windgate Artist Fellowship Nominated, The Dedalus Foundation MFA Fellowship
2014	Sculpture Center, New York (Featured Artist) Cinders Gallery, New York (Artist of the Month)

RESIDENCIES

2018 John Michael Kohler Arts Center, Wisconsin

2017 Anderson Ranch, Snowmass Village, Colorado AZ West, Joshua Tree, California 2016 Mildred's Lane, Beach Lake, Pennsylvania Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, Vermont Black Mountain School (Taught "No-Math Architecture"), Black Mountain, North Carolina 2015 Institute for Investigative Living with Andrea Zittel and James Trainer, Joshua Tree, California 2014 Facebook Analog Research Lab, Menlo Park, California 2012 Clocktower Gallery, New York Boatel, Marina 59, Far Rockaway, New York 2011 Rabid Hands Collective, self-created residency at an empty snowmachine warehouse, Detroit Parse Gallery, New Orleans Music Box and New Orleans Airlift, New Orleans