

L. E. KIM

(b. 1974, Seoul, S. Korea)

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L.E. Kim was born in Seoul, Korea, and lives and works in Los Angeles. Her work often walks a line between the expression of digital and physical experiences of seeing, tracing the physical hand across the digital realm, and vice versa, and presenting forms in a way that confuse our expectations about medium. She received her MFA from the California Institute of the Arts in 2009, and has exhibited at Klowden Mann and in group exhibitions in Los Angeles and New York.

Education

2009 MFA, California Institute of the Arts

1999 JD, New York University

1996 BA, Stanford University

Solo Exhibitions

2016 *First Paintings*, Klowden Mann, Culver City, California

2012 *Constructions*, gallery km (now Klowden Mann), Santa Monica, California

2009 *Animated Works*, CalArts, Valencia, California

2008 *3 Studies*, CalArts, Valencia, California

Selected Group Exhibitions

2019 *AXxoN N.*, Essex Flowers Gallery, New York, New York

2017 *UNTITLED*, Klowden Mann, Miami Beach, Florida

2015 *Aaron Wrinkle 1978- (Mausoleum, Painting and Sculpture)*, Night Gallery, Los Angeles, California

2012 *ART MRKT SF*, gallery km (now Klowden Mann), San Francisco, California

2011 *Embarrassment 2: Theory*, gallery km (now Klowden Mann), Santa Monica, California

Follow the Physical: from The Paper File, gallery km (now Klowden Mann), Santa Monica, California

2010 *Embarrassment 1: Vulnerability*, gallery km (now Klowden Mann), Santa Monica, California

2009 *Insomnia*, Peter Fingesten Gallery, Pace University, New York, New York
Between the Surface, Stephen Cohen Gallery, Los Angeles, California
Why Theory (CalArts MFA show), Spring Arts Tower, Los Angeles, California

Artist Talks

2011 *Embarrassment 2: Theory*, gallery km (now Klowden Mann), Santa Monica, California

2010 *International Center of Photography*, Faculty: Susan Kleckner

Bibliography

2016 Ollman, Leah, "Getting lost in the illusions: The painted worlds of L.E. Kim," Los Angeles Times, August 3.
Wagley, Catherine, "5 Free Art Shows to See in L.A. This Week," LA Weekly, August 3.
"Featured Artist," Los Angeles Review of Books, July 31.

2010 Tuck, Geoff. "Back in LA and slightly overwhelmed (and when I admit to overwhelmingness you know it's bad/good)," Notes on Looking, December 1.