

NIKA KAISER

b. 1985 | Tucson, Arizona

EDUCATION

2013 - **MFA Fine Arts - University of Oregon**, Eugene, OR
emphasis in photography, video and installation

2007 - **BFA Photography - University of Arizona**, Tucson, AZ

SELECTED SOLO SHOWS

2019 - (forthcoming) Dissolved Interiors - American Institute of Thoughts and Feelings, Tucson, AZ

2019 - Excerpts from Portraits of a Femme Landscape - 5 Points, Tucson, AZ

2018 - Portraits of a Femme Landscape - HSIW Gallery, Tucson, AZ

2017 - Dreamtime: an uncanny wilderness, Dikeou Collection, Denver CO

2017 - Threshold: Sonoran Sea, Steinfeld Warehouse, Tucson AZ

2015 - Desert Varnish, 5 Points Gallery, Tucson AZ

2015 - Dreamtime: an uncanny wilderness, Exploded View Microcinema, Tucson AZ

2015 - Desert Varnish, Hotel Congress, Tucson AZ

2013 - Subtle Body, Ditch Projects, Springfield OR

2013 - Cicada Cadence, Nisus Gallery @ Disjecta, Portland OR

SELECTED SCREENINGS / FESTIVALS

2018 - Ungrund Collective, Coaxial Arts, Los Angeles, CA

2017 - Ungrund Collective, Secret Project Robot, Brooklyn, NY

2014 - Two Lane Blacktop Festival, Tucson, AZ

2013 - Cicada Cadence, Antimatter, Vancouver, BC

2013 - Wandering Through, Across and Within, WNDX Festival of the Moving Image, Winnipeg, MB

2013 - Wandering Through, Across and Within, Counterpath, Denver, CO

SELECTED TWO-PERSON SHOWS / COLLABORATIONS

2018 - Album art for June West - Broken Circles Label, Brooklyn, NY

2016-2017 - Projections for Ryan Chavira – Leisure Hive tour with Beach House, United States

2016 - Ungrund Collective: Be Nature, Hollywood Theatre, Portland OR

2014 - Pure Moods - Collaboration with Yu Yu Shiratori, Think Tank, Tucson AZ

2014 - Ungrund Collective: The Visible World is a Reflection of the Invisible World, Ditch Projects, Springfield, OR

2014 - Sonoran Strange, University of Rostock, Germany

2012 - Goddesses – Collaboration with Morgan Roskopf, LVK Gallery, Eugene OR

SELECTED GROUP SHOWS

2018 - Unarmed: Nika Kaiser, Kali Spitzer, Lia Griesser, Bridge Productions, Seattle, WA - Curated by Demian Dineyazhi
2017 - Wild Family, Border Patrol, Portland, ME
2017 - Threshold: Sonoran Sea, Nogales Museum of Art, Nogales, SON, MEX
2017 - Transnational Artwalk – Douglas/Agua Prieta, SON
2015 - As They Stood Together, Cameo Gallery, Portland, OR
2015 - Ofrenda, 5th Row Studio, Phoenix, AZ
2015 - XX Factor, Exploded View Gallery, Tucson, AZ
2014 - Sacred Nipples, Bruce High Quality Foundation, Brooklyn, NY
2014 - 2-Minute Show, curated by Ashby Collinson, Portland Museum of Modern Art, Portland, OR
2014 - You Better Have More Than What You Started With, Grammar Center, Medford, OR
2013 - Dumb Angel, Ditch Projects @ 12128 Boat Space, Portland OR
2013 - Speaking Between – UO MFA 2013, Disjecta Gallery, Portland OR
2013 - Light Out, White Box Gallery, Portland OR
2013 - Desert NY, Brooklyn Fire Proof, Brooklyn, NY
2009 - Exploring Boundaries - American University in Dubai, UAE

MUSIC VIDEOS

2015 - Human Behavior, "Chapter 2", Bethphage, Self-Release, Tucson, AZ
2014 - Prom Body "Guttuggering", Naughty by Natural, Topaz Records, Tucson AZ
2014 - Burning Palms "Thorns, Self-Titled release, Lolipop Records, Los Angeles, CA
2014 - Gabriel Sullivan "Hollow Hunter", JVPITER, Fell City Records, Tucson AZ

LECTURES / PANELS

2018 - Creating in a Harsh World, Hocofest, MOCA Tucson, AZ
2017 - Dikeou Collection, Denver CO
2016 - Artist Talk, MOCA Tucson, Tucson AZ
2013 - Cicada Cadence Gallery Talk, Nisus @ Disjecta, Portland OR
2012 - Artist Talk, University of Oregon Fall Preview, Eugene OR

AWARDS

2016-2017 - Arts Foundation for Tucson & Southern AZ New Works Project Grant, Tucson, AZ
2014 - Pollock-Krasner Foundation Fellowship, Byrdcliffe Guild, Woodstock, NY
2013 - Dean's Fellowship, University of Oregon, Eugene, OR
2012 - AAA Award, School of Architecture and Allied Arts, University of Oregon, Eugene Oregon
2010-2012 - Graduate Fellowship, University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon

RESIDENCIES

2014 - Woodstock Byrdcliffe Guild, Woodstock, NY

PUBLICATIONS

Wut Magazine
Azymuth (Spain)
NPR
Vice
Territory Magazine