

DAVID THORPE

1972 Born in London
lives and works in Berlin, Germany

1991-1994

Humberside University, BA (Hons) Fine Art

1996-1998

Goldsmiths University, MA Fine Art

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2010

Casey Kaplan, New York, NY
Meyer Riegger, Karlsruhe, Germany

2009

"A Weak Light Flickering", Meyer Riegger, Berlin, Germany.
"David Thorpe Veils and Shelters", Kunstverein Hannover,
Hannover,
Germany

2008

Museum Kurhaus Kleve, Germany

2007

Meyer Riegger, Karlsruhe, Germany
"The Defeated Life Restored," Kunsthaus Glarus, Glarus,
Switzerland;
Camden Arts Centre, London, United Kingdom; Kurhaus
Kleve, Kleve,
Germany

2006

"A Meeting of Friends," Worcester Art Museum, Worcester,
MA

2005

Maureen Paley, London
303 Gallery, New York

2004

The Colonists, Meyer Riegger Galerie, Karlsruhe, Germany
The Colonist, Art Now space, Tate Britain, London

2003

Taro Nasu Gallery, Tokyo

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2002
Maureen Paley Interim Art, London

1999
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SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2011
The Shape Of Things To Come: New Sculpture, The Saatchi Gallery, London

2009
The Dark Monarch: Magic and Modernity in British Art, Tate St. Ives, United Kingdom
Delusional Virtuosity, Stedelijk Museum Schiedam, Schiedam, The Netherlands

2008
Haus und Himmel, Museum Kurhaus, Kleve, Germany

2007
Three for Society, 303 Gallery, New York, NY

2006
China Art Objects Galleries, Los Angeles, CA
Sleep of Urlo, curated by Goshka Macuga, A Foundation, Liverpool, United Kingdom
Toutes Compositions Florales," Counter Gallery, London, United Kingdom

2005
Blake & Sons – Alternative Lifestyles and Mysticism in Contemporary Art, The Lewis Gluksman Gallery, University College, Cork, United Kingdom
Ideal Worlds: New Romanticism in Contemporary Art, Schirn Kunsthalle, Frankfurt
British Art Show 6, various locations

2004
Not Afraid, Rubell Family Collection, Wynwood Art District, Miami, FL
Into My World, The Aldrich Contemporary Art Museum
Edge of the Real - A Painting Show, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London

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2003

Bootleg, Spitalfields Market, London

2002

We all love ... The Mission, London
Drawing Now: Eight Propositions, MoMa QNS, New York
Per Saldo, Noordbrabants Museum, 's-Hertogenbosch, The Netherlands
Tailsliding, Bergen Centre for Contemporary Art, Norway,
Vilnius Centre of Contemporary Art, Lithuania, Rotermann
Salt Storage, Art Museum of Estonia, Tallinn, Estonia,
CASA,
Salamanca, Spain, Turku Art Museum, Finland, Brno House
of Arts,
Czech Republic
The Necessary Enemy, Bart Wells Institute, London Beyond
Barbizon, Elias Fine Art, Allston, MA
Painted, Printed and Produced in Great Britain,
Grant Selwyn Fine Art, New York

2001

Futureland 2001, Museum Abteiberg, Mönchengladbach
Sages, Scientists and Madmen, One in the Other, London
Extended
Painting, Monica de Cardenas, Milan

2000

Future Perfect: art on how architecture imagined the future,
Cornerhouse, Manchester
Salon, Delfina Project Space, London
Twisted. Urban and Visionary Landscapes in Contemporary
Painting,
Van AbbeMuseum, Eindhoven, The Netherlands
Future Perfect: art on how architecture imagined the future,
Centre for Visual Arts, Cardiff
The Wreck of Hope, The Nunnery Gallery, London
Wooden Heart, AVCO, London

1999

Idlewild, The approach, London
Heart & Soul, 60 Long Lane, London
The Sea, The Sea, Murray Guy, New York

1998

Die Young Stay Pretty, ICA, London
Cluster Bomb, Morrison Judd Gallery, London
Ruislip, De Pracktijk, Amsterdam
Post Neo-Amatuerism, Chisenhale Gallery, London
Futures for the Young, Axel Morner Gallery, Stockholm
Printemps, Deutsch Britische Freundschaft
Sunshine Breakfast, Michael Janssen Gallery, Cologne
Sociable Realism, Stephen Friedman Gallery, London

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1997

David Thorpe and Simon Periton, Habitat, Kings Road,
London

Need for Speed, Grazer Kunstverein Steirischer Herbst 97,
Graz, Austria

B.o.n.go, Bricks and Kicks Gallery, Vienna

David Thorpe and Simon Hollington, City Racing, London

1996

Angels, Standpoint Gallery, London