## THE COMMERCIAL

## LILLIAN O'NEIL

b. 1985, Melbourne lives Sydney

**EDUCATION** 

2012 - present Master of Fine Art, Sydney College of the Arts, University of Sydney,

Sydney

2011 Bachelor of Fine Art (Honours), Sydney College of the Arts, University of

Sydney, Sydney

2008-2010 Bachelor Fine Art (Painting), Monash University, Melbourne

WEBSITE/BLOG

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**ORGANISATIONS** 

2009-2011 Programming Committee Member West Space Gallery, Melbourne

**SOLO EXHIBITIONS** 

2017 Escape Velocity, The Commercial Gallery, Sydney
2015 Pause before the fall, The Commercial Gallery, Sydney
2014 The Lonely Isle. The Commercial Gallery, Sydney

Isle of Somewhere, a two person exhibition with Laura Delaney, West

Space, Melbourne

2013 Total Romance, The Commercial Gallery, Sydney 2012 Lillian O'Neil - Love Machine, MOP, Sydney

2011 Burger Shop Blues, Seventh Gallery, Melbourne (as Safari Team)

2010 Lillian O'Neil - Cream, Firstdraft Gallery, Sydney

Evolution Videowall, Next Wave Festival, Federation Square, Melbourne

(as Safari Team)

2009 Safari Team Dig to China Part 3, West Space, Melbourne (as Safari Team)

Safari Team Dig to China Part 2, Seventh, Melbourne (as Safari Team)

Molto Morte Firstdraft Gallery, Sydney (as Safari Team)

2008 Molto Morte, We Left The Warm Stable And Entered The Latex Void,

Montréal, Canada (as Safari Team)

Molto Morte, Galerie VAV, Concordia University, Montréal, Canada (as

Safari Team)

Molto Morte, Lab Synthèse, Montréal, Canada (as Safari Team)

Molto Morte, TCB art inc, 2008 Next Wave Festival, Melbourne (as Safari

Team)

Safari Team presents The Craft Exchange Salon, Melbourne Fringe

Festival, 25A, Melbourne (as Safari Team)

Subterranean Clone Factory, Quarterbred, PACT Theatre, Sydney (as

Safari Team)

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS/PERFORMANCES

2015 The Commercial, Sydney Contemporary 2015, Carriageworks, Sydney 2014 2014 NSW Visual Arts Fellowship (Emerging), Artspace, Sydney

The Commercial, Melbourne Art Fair, Royal Exhibition Centre, Melbourne

2013 In the Cut, curated by Hannah Mathews, Australian Centre for

Contemporary Art, Melbourne

Pantone 705 C, The Mews Project Space, London

Living in the Ruins of the Twentieth Century, curated by Adam Jasper and

Holly Williams, UTS Gallery, The University of Technology, Sydney
2012 THREE/THREE - Clare Milledge, Lillian O'Neill Yasmin Smith, Marv

THREE/THREE - Clare Milledge, Lillian O'Neill Yasmin Smith, Mary Teague, curated by Amanda Rowell, The Commercial Gallery, Sydney

2011 CREAM, Flux, you and me, curated by Kirsty Hulme, No Vacancy Gallery,

Melbourne

Dig to China, Beautiful Volcanoes, curated by Michael Vale, Monash

Faculty Gallery, Melbourne

2010 Party Infinity, The Brunswick Show, Donkey Wheel House, Melbourne

Wish We Were Here, SUPER MARKET, curated by Kim Brocket, Gertrude

Contemporary Art Spaces, Melbourne

Wish We Were Here, Faxhibition, curated by the groop, China Heights,

Sydney

Safari Team Dig to China part 3, Structural Integrity, curated by Ulanda Blair and Jeff Kahn, Keynote Project, Meat Market, Next Wave Festival,

Melbourne

Party Infinity, Lipps Two, curated by Spill Collective, 1000 Pound Bend,

Melbourne

We Don't Need Another Hero, curated by Amy-Jo Jory, Seventh Gallery,

Melbourne

2009 Hide and Seek, curated by Laura Castagnini, This Is Not Art Festival,

Newcastle

Green Screen Dance Dream (with The Suitcase Royale and Joel Zika),

Tomorrow the World Festival, West Space, Melbourne

Mad Max: The Remix, (Foley) Melbourne International Comedy Festival,

Melbourne

2008 Group Group Show, curated by DAMP, Victorian College of the Arts

Margaret Lawrence Gallery, Melbourne

## SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY

2014 Jane Albert, 'Critics' Choice', Vogue Australia, March 2014

2013 Natasha Bullock, 'A speculative exhibition: Aspects of recent photographic

practice', Photofile, Vol. 93, Spring/Summer 2013-14, pp. 114-120

David Coleman, '20 Artists to Collect Now', Architectural Digest, December

2013

2011 Leon Goh, 'Structral Integrity at Next Wave Festival' – review, Runway

Magazine - Disappearance, Issue 16

2010 James Kape, *Faxhibition*, exh. cat., China Heights Gallery, Sydney Kelly Fliedner, 'Ulternative Utopias', *Runway Magazine - Lies*, issue 15

Jaki Middleton, 'Safari Team Dig to China Part II', Runway Magazine -

Futures, Issue 14

Tai Snaith, 'Safari Team Dig to China Part II', exh. cat.

2008 Megan Hale, 'Re-emoting the Screen', *Remote*, exh. cat., Next Wave

Festival, Melbourne

Stuart Koop and Daniel Mudie Cunningham, 'Grouped/Re-group', Group

Group, exh. cat.

Jane Somerville, 'Review - Graduate Exhibitions', Art World Magazine,

Issue 1, March 2008

Penny Modra, 'Reviews - Visual Arts', *The Age*, 30/08/09 Penny Modra, 'Reviews - Visual Arts', *The Age*, 19/04/09 Penny Modra, 'Reviews - Visual Arts', *The Age*, 30/03/09

## **GRANTS AND AWARDS**

2012 Fauvette Loureiro Memorial Artist Exchange Scholorship

2010 ArtStart Grant, Australia Council for the Arts

Besen Foundation Arts Grant

Melbourne City Council Young Artists Grant

JB Seed Grant

2009 Arts Victoria Presentation Grant

New Work Grant, Australia Council for the Arts

2008 Young Artist Grant, Melbourne City Council

Film Victoria grant for Remote Program

2006 Monash University Travel Grant

STUDIOS AND RESIDENCIES

2010 Firstdraft Studio Residency, Sydney

The West Wing, Melbourne

2008 Quarterbred Residency, PACT Theatre, Sydney

We Left The Warm Stable And Entered The Latex Void, Montréal, Canada

**COLLECTIONS** 

Artbank

private collections

**PUBLIC COMMISSIONS** 

2013 *Moon Lovers*, CCP/City of Yarra Billboard | Centre for Contemporary

Photography, Melbourne

2010 Safari Team Dig to China part II, Number 5 (By Lillian O'Neil), Anne and

Gordon Samstag Museum of Art, University of South Australia, Adelaide