



## **ERIK DEN BREEJEN**

American, b.1976

Lives and works in Brooklyn, NY

- 2006 MFA Cornell University, Ithaca, NY
- 1999 BFA California College of Arts and Crafts, Oakland, CA
- 1994-96 University of California at Santa Cruz, Santa Cruz, CA

### **SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

- 2012 *Image, Music, Text*, DNA Gallery, UNTITLED Art Fair, Miami Beach, FL
- 2011 *Smile*, Freight+Volume, New York, NY
- 2008 *Throwaway Lines Often Ring True*, Freight+Volume, New York, NY
- 2007 *Ruined by Love Songs*, Freight+Volume project space, New York, NY
- 2006 *Hits*, Hartell Gallery, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York

### **SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

- 2013 *Thanks*, curated by Adam Parker Smith, Lu Magnus, New York, NY  
*Chiaroscuro*, curated by JJ Manford and Steven Rivera, Novella Gallery, New York, NY  
*Word* (two person exhibition with Jim Torok), One River Gallery, Englewood, NJ
- 2012 *The Double Dirty Dozen*, Freight+Volume, New York, NY  
*Can't Stop Rock Lobster*, curated by Merkz and Gwynne, Shoot the Lobster, New York, NY  
*Wavers*, curated by EJ Hauser and Rob Nadeau, Hauser Studio, Brooklyn, NY
- 2011 *Human Resources*, curated by Joe Ballweg and Andrea Bergart, Ballweg Studio, Queens, NY  
*Temporary Antumbra Zone*, Janet Kurnatowsky, Brooklyn, NY  
*Gold Records*, curated by Jon Lutz, Art Blog Art Blog, New York, NY
- 2010 *No Vacancy*, The Butcher's Daughter, Detroit, MI
- 2009 *Awesome-Blage*, Artjail, New York, NY  
*The Space Between*, DNA, Provincetown, MA  
*Heartbreak Hotel*, Freight+Volume, New York, NY  
*No Soul for Sale*, X Initiative, New York, NY

## SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY

- 2012 Johnson, Ken, "Erik den Breejen: 'Smile'," *The New York Times*, January 6, 2012: sec. C: 27
- Finch, Charlie, "New Art Overload," *Artnet Magazine*, January 6, 2012
- 2011 Borkowski, Mary, "The Color and the Sound: Erik den Breejen's Pop Synesthesia and the Beach Boys *Smile*," *The New Inquiry*, Dec. 16, 2011
- Smith, Nancy, "Erik den Breejen Opens 'Smile' at Freight+Volume," *Art Lovers New York*, Dec. 13, 2011
- Calandra, Maria, "Erik den Breejen," *Pencil In the Studio*, April 10, 2011
- 2008 Killeen, Michael. "Kapoor's Big Red Battering Ram, Rock Star Splatter Chelsea Art," *Bloomberg.com*, June 12, 2008
- Laster, Paul. "Looking for Love In a Looking Glass World," *Freight+Volume* magazine, Winter 2008

## GRANTS AND AWARDS

- 2006 Charles Baskerville painting award, Cornell University
- 2005 Cornell Council for the Arts project grant