

## Yael Ben-Simon

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### Exhibitions

- 2018 *Signs Foretelling*, RATA Projects, Fig 19, New-York City NY  
*Out of My Book*, Soo Visual Arts Center, Minneapolis, MN (solo)
- 2017 *Artists Co-Op 2017*, Jamaica Center for Arts & Learning, Queens, NY  
*Vagabond Time Killers*, The Wassaic Project, Wassaic NY
- 2016 *Ground Floor*, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago IL  
*Deal With It*, Maake Magazine Fall 2016 Exhibition, Woksob Gallery, State College PA  
*Window Weather*, SIM gallery, Reykjavik Iceland  
*Babel*, PILOTENKUECHE Halle 14, Spinnerei Leipzig, Germany  
*Analog RAM*, The Research House for Asian Art, Chicago IL  
*Wet Paint MFA Biennial*, Zhou B art center, Chicago IL
- 2015 *Ontology*, Two Person show with Kittisak Wa Chontong, Lame & Cool Gallery, Chicago IL  
*Entrainment!*, Voyeur Theater, Chicago IL  
*Unruly attachments considering failure*, Potluck Salon group show, Chicago IL  
MFA Thesis show, Sullivan Galleries, the School of the Art Institute Chicago IL
- 2014 *Cushy*, open studios night, the School of the Art Institute Chicago IL
- 2013 *New-Mannerism*, open studios night, the School of the Art Institute Chicago IL  
*Site Specific 2*, Galleria Citta, Tel-Aviv Israel
- 2012 Fresh Paint Art Fair, Tel-Aviv Israel  
*First Time at the Beach*, 13 Hakongress street, Tel-Aviv Israel
- 2011 *Raw Material*, Minshar gallery, Tel-Aviv Israel  
BFA Thesis show, Bezalel Academy of Art and Design, Jerusalem Israel

### Education

- 2015 The School of the Art Institute Chicago, Chicago IL  
Master of Fine Arts, Painting and Drawing Department
- 2011 Bezalel Academy of Art and Design, Jerusalem, Israel  
Bachelor of Fine Arts, Fine Arts Department

### Awards and Residencies

- 2018 NYFA Immigrant Artist Mentoring Program
- 2017 MASS MoCA Artist Residency, North Adams MA  
4<sup>th</sup> 2017 ArtSlant Prize Showcase
- 2016 Wassaic Artist Residency, Wassaic NY  
SIM Residency, Reykjavik Iceland  
PILOTENKUECHE Artist Residency, Spinnerei Leipzig Germany
- 2015 Vermont Studio Center Residency, Johnson VT  
Vermont Studio Center artist grant, Johnson VT

- 2014 Dean's Merit Scholarship, School of the Art Institute Chicago IL
- 2013 Enrichment Scholarship, School of the Art Institute Chicago IL
- 2011 The Lauren and Mitchell Perser award for achievement in Painting, Jerusalem Israel
- 2010 Award for special achievement in the History and Theory studies, Bezalel Academy of Art and Design, Jerusalem, Israel

**Publications/Press**

- 2017 Mothes Kate, Young Space Blog, May 23, 2017  
Hazel Tempesst, *Ground Floor Exhibition Catalog*, Hyde Park Art Center Chicago  
New American Paintings, No. 129, *MFA Annual Issue*, Juried by Elisabeth Sherman, April 2017  
Wilson Michael, Critic's Comments, New American Paintings, No. 129, *MFA Annual Issue*, April 2017
- 2016 Reilly Allison, "Ground Floor at the Hyde Park Art Center", *Chicago Gallery News*, September 20, 2016.  
Sergio Gomez and Didi Menendez, National Wet Paint Exhibition catalog, Zhou B. Art Center, Chicago IL

**Lectures**

- 2016 "Digital Canvas", Panel discussion, Ground Floor Exhibition, Hyde Park Art Center Chicago IL
- 2014 Graduate Lecture Series, The School of the Art Institute Chicago IL

**Publications (as author)**

- 2016 "Love at Last sight: On the possibility to become human again in Analog RAM figure drawings", Analog RAM Exhibition Catalog, The Research House for Asian Art, Chicago IL  
<http://www.magcloud.com/browse/issue/1067360>
- 2012 "The State of Installation: A Critical Reading in the History of Installation Art Following Heidegger and Benjamin", Bezalel Protocols, Issue No. 22- On the Sensual in Art, October 2011.  
<http://bezalel.secured.co.il/zope/home/en/1315639275/1315950486>

**Professional Experience**

- 2015-6 Exhibition Coordinator, Analog RAM Exhibition
- 2015 Teaching Assistant - Painting Materials & Tech I, Painting and Drawing Department, The School of the Art Institute Chicago. Instructor- Richard Deutsch
- 2014 Teaching Assistant - Printmedia Practices, Printmedia Department, The School of the Art Institute Chicago. Instructor- Kevin Goodrich
- 2014 Teaching Assistant-Painting Practices, Painting and Drawing Department, The School of the Art Institute Chicago. Instructor - Dan Devening