

RACHEL DAVIES

Curriculum Vitae

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Rachel is an award-winning filmmaker with 25 years experience. Her work, authored and collaborative, spans creative documentary and immersive interactive environments, artist's film, theatre / dance collaborations, and TV promo. With a background in Fine Art and MTV, her films are in international collections and have been screened and broadcast in festivals and on television around the world.

EDUCATION

1996 MA Animation, Royal College of Art (Thesis nominated for Penguin Book Award)
1991 BA (Hons) Fine Art, Nottingham Trent University (1st Class + Thesis Distinction)
1988 Art & Design Foundation Studies, Stockport
1996 9 x O levels / 4 x A levels A/B's, Stockport

TEACHING

Since 1997 Senior Lecturer / Researcher Moving Image, Kingston University London
2006 - 2008 Visiting Lecturer Fine Art, Nottingham Trent University
2005 - 2006 Workshop Leader, Nicosia Cyprus
1997 - 2002 Visiting Lecturer Theatre, Wimbledon School of Art
1997 - 1999 Teaching Assistant Fine Art Media, Slade School of Fine Art

ASSOCIATIONS / COLLECTIONS / AWARDS

2016 Neighbourhood Theatre Ambassador, Young Vic
National Student Film Festival Jury - Experimental Film
2014 Filmmaking Mentor for East London Dance
2013 Associate Artist, Dance Digital, Bedford University
2011 Quarantine 'Graft' Associate Artist
2010 Jerwood Choreography Research Award
2009 GOLD World Screen Dance archive, University of New South Wales Australia
Choreodrome Artist, The Place, London
2008 Forward Motion, Seminal British Dance Film. British Council Collection
2007 John Thaw Fellow in Drama, Manchester University
2005 IMZ International Dance Screen Grand Prix Winner
Audience Award 'Gold' Portobello Film Festival.
2001 GOLD, KHOOYILE, LOOSE IN FLIGHT British Council Collections
3 MINUTE BIRTH US Dance Film Association Winner
2000 Associate Artist, The Place, London
1993 MTV Promo Awards Winner MOST WANTED

SCREENINGS / EXHIBITIONS / BROADCAST

- 2016 WINTER (Part of Quarantine's QUARTET)
- Touring to international Film Festivals and Theatres, and Book publication in 2017
 - Premiere at Old Granada Studios, Manchester.
<https://www.thestage.co.uk/reviews/2016/summer-autumn-winter-spring/>
- 2015 THE RUNNING TONGUE (animator) collab Siobhan Davies Dance & David Hinton
- Sadler's Wells
<http://www.sadlerswells.com/whats-on/2016/lucy-carter-michael-hulls-nitin-sawhney-no-body/>
 - Carriageworks Australia <http://www.siobhandavies.com/work/the-running-tongue/>
- 2014 BREAKFAST
- 'Something Happening For Kids' <http://www.theplace.org.uk/family-day>
 - DanceDigital Festival <https://www.danceuk.org/news/article/dancedigital-festival-25-27-april/>
- 2010-14 THE LIGHT GARDEN
- Aarhus Festival Denmark http://issuu.com/aarhusfestuge/docs/a5_highlights_24si_uk_uskmk
 - El Mes Petit des Tots, Catalonia <http://mercatflors.cat/en/espectacle/the-light-garden-3/>
 - Dublin Dance Festival <http://www.dublindancefestival.ie/festival-performances/the-light-garden/>
 - Bristol Tobacco Factory, Bracknell South Hill Park / London The Place / Stratford Circus London <http://chopsybaby.com/magazine/review-the-light-garden-at-the-tobacco-factory-theatre/>
 - Barking Broadway / Birmingham MAC / Glasgow Dance-House / Bath The Egg
 - Premiere Sadler's Wells <http://www.funkidslive.com/events/easter-sadlers-well-theatre/>
- 2014 LOL (LOTS OF LOVE) collab Protein Dance
- Runner-up Live Relay San Francisco Dance Film Festival 2014
 - International Theatre Touring. 50 Major venues across Middle East and Europe 2013
 - 20 Major National Venues 2011-12
 - Winner National Dance Critics Award 2011 www.proteindance.com
- 2014 STREETSCAPE collab Fabien Cappello,
- Stanley Picker Gallery <http://www.stanleypickergallery.org/programme/streetscape/>
- 2013 THE READING ROOM collab Quarantine Theatre
- Contact Theatre Manchester <http://contactmcr.com/whats-on/7237-quarantinea-reading-room/>
- 2012 GOLD
(2004) Legacy screenings:
- South Bank Centre 'U.Dance: Fresh Takes' www.u-dance.org
 - POOL FESTIVAL Berlin IKONO.TV / www.pool-festival.de/
- 2012 POSTCARDS FROM EAST LONDON collab mobiledance <http://www.postcardsfilms.com>
- International Festivals: Cinedans Amsterdam / IMZ San Francisco / Dance Umbrella London / Videodance Brazil / ExDoc Cologne <http://www.exdox.newmediafest.org>,
- 2012 SAY SOMETHING collab H2Dance
- Cultural Olympiad BIGdance Festival, Lea Valley
- 2011 LOST RUNWAY (KYOTO) collab Aine Phillips
- Pumphouse Gallery London www.pumphousegallery.org.uk
'Art, Performance & Activism in Contemporary Japan' group show

- Galway Arts Centre, Aine Phillips retrospective
- 2011 A CONVERSATION WITH CARMEL collab Barrowland Ballet
- UK tour <http://barrowlandballet.co.uk/production/a-conversation-with-carmel>
- 2009 THE ASSEMBLY - FILM
- WhatIf Festival, Siobhan Davies Studios and National Film Festivals
- 2008 DEAR BODY collab Protein Dance
- Purcell Room South Bank Centre and UK tour
- 2007 THE ASSEMBLY - INSTALLATION
- Cornerhouse Gallery Manchester <http://homemcr.org/exhibition/the-assembly/>
 - Live Screen Lilian Baylis Theatre Sadler's Wells
- 2006 LONDON ORBITAL Group exhibition
- Stanley Picker Gallery <http://www.stanleypickergallery.org/programme/london-orbital/>
- 2005 A TIME AND A PLACE Solo exhibition
- Stanley Picker Gallery <http://www.stanleypickergallery.org/programme/rachel-davies/>
- 2004 GOLD
- Broadcast Channel 4 and Arte
 - Over 50 International Film Festival screenings: Edinburgh, Cannes, Chicago, ICA, Birmingham NEC, Science Museum London, Sydney Opera House
 - 40 screenings worldwide with British Council Fast Forward
- 2004 24 ACTS OF ARSON collab Ersatz Dance
- Purcell Room South Bank Centre
- 2003 WE GOT OLD
- 10 International Film Festival Screenings: Monaco, New York, Rio, Paris, Warsaw
- 2000-1992 BROADCAST
- TALES OF THE EXPECTED (6 Education Programmes) BBC2 / Open University
 - PER4MANCE / LITPOP / SLOTART (7 Performance Films) Channel 4
 - MTV PROMOS Star TV Asia
- 1997 WORK
- International Film Festival screenings
- 1995 LOVE LETTER
- British Short Film Festival
- 1991 ROOM TO DREAM
- London Film Festival

RESEARCH PROJECTS / FUNDING

- 2016 WINTER Co-director of Film
£30K Wellcome Trust / Quarantine Theatre
- 2014 BREAKFAST Project Leader / Director of Participatory Theatre
£6k The Place Consortium / £3k Dance Digital
- 2013 THE LIGHT GARDEN Project Leader / Director of Immersive Film Installation
£20k Arts Council England / £4k Sadler's Wells
- 2012 THEY TUCK YOU UP (YOUR MUM AND DAD) Project Leader - R&D interactive film
£20K Arts Council England / £1K Artist's Newsletter New Collaborations fund
- 2011 LOST RUNWAY (KYOTO) Researcher / Director of Film
Part of AHRC project 'The Art of Intervention' Kingston / Kyoto Seika University
- 2008 THE ASSEMBLY - DOCUMENTARY Project Leader / Director of Film
£15k Arts Council England
- 2007 THE ASSEMBLY - INSTALLATION Project Leader / Director of Installation
£20k Manchester International Festival / £4k Sadler's Wells
- 2004 GOLD Project Leader / Director of Film
£30k Arts Council England
- 2002 WE GOT OLD Project Leader / Film Director
£5k The Place
- 2001 LIVING JUST ENOUGH Project Leader / Principle Researcher
£5k AHRC Small Grant

PRESENTATIONS / CONFERENCES / INTERVIEWS / REVIEWS

- 2016 Frame International Film Festival. Rose Theatre Kingston
<http://www.underwirefestival.com/events/event/meet-the-directors-at-frame-dance-film-festival/>
- 2014 Cambridge University. CRASSH <http://www.crassh.cam.ac.uk/events/25812>
Somerset House. <http://www.somersethouse.org.uk/visual-arts/museums-at-night>
Mobilities Festival, Bedford University
<http://www.dancedigital.org.uk/dancedigitaldev/they-tuck-you-up-your-mum-and-dad/>
- 2013 Nottingham Trent University. 5th Annual Research Practice Conference
<http://nturesearchpracticeconference.wordpress.com>
Beyond Glorious symposium. Birkbeck College / ArtsAdmin.
<http://www.rajnishah.com/beyond-glorious-symposium-schedule-of-events-archive>
- 2011 Kyoto Seiko University Japan <http://www.art-of-intervention.com/exhibitions-events.php>
- 2010 Kinesthetic Empathy Conference Manchester University
<http://watchingdance.ning.com/video/panel-1-the-baby-in-the-mirror>
Dance Theatre Journal <http://www.racheldavies.com/reviews/dancetheatrejournalvol24.jpg>
- 2008 British Council <http://webarchive.nationalarchives.gov.uk/20090403130150/britishcouncil.org/arts-dance-broadcast-forward-motion-2.htm>
- 2007 BBC Radio 4 Woman's Hour http://www.bbc.co.uk/radio4/womanshour/03/2007_27_thu.shtml
Lisa Le Feuvre Cornerhouse <http://homemcr.org/event/in-conversation-lisa-le-feuvre-and-rachel-davies/>
- 2005 Dance Theatre Journal: Autumn 2005. <http://www.racheldavies.com/reviews/DanceFilmJournal.pdf>