



Leasho Johnson

Education

MFA, School of the Arts Institute, Painting and Drawing, 2020

Bachelors of Fine arts, specialization: Visual communication, Graphic design. Edna Manley College of the Visual & Performing arts, 2019

Awards

Davidoff art Initiative Recipient, 2016

SAIC, New Artist Society Scholarship, 2018

Residencies

Residency Unlimited, New York, 2016

Bluecoat, Liverpool United Kingdom, 2016

Caribbean Linked III, Ateliers' 89, Aruba, 2015

Artist Residency at NLS Kingston Jamaica, 2014

Group Exhibition

"Jamaica Jamaica", National Gallery of Jamaica, Kingston, 2020

"Resisting Paradise", Darlin Foundation, Montreal, 2019

"Resisting Paradise", Publica sponsored by Apexart, Puerto Rico, 2019

"I Shall Return again", National Gallery West, Montego Bay, 2018

"Arrivants", University of the West Indies, Barbados, 2018

"Jamaica Jamaica", SESC São Paulo, Brazil, 2018

"No-Commission", The Dean Collection, Miami Florida, 2017

"We have met Before", British Council and National Gallery of Jamaica, Kingston Jamaica, 2017

Third Horizon Film Festival - featured artist, O Cinema , Wynwood Miami Florida, 2017

"Of Skin & Sand", National Gallery of Bahamas, Nassau Bahamas, 2017

"Jamaica Biennial", National Gallery of Jamaica, 2017

"Jamaica Jamaica", Philharmonie De Paris, Paris France, 2017

"Caribbean Queer Visualities", Transmission Gallery, Glasgow Scotland, 2017

"Caribbean Queer Visualities", Golden Thread Gallery, Belfast, Ireland, 2016

"Jamaican Pulse", Royal West England Academy, Bristol United Kingdom, 2016

"Jamaican Routes", Punkt Ø Galleri F15 and Momentum, Moss Norway, 2016

"Jamaica Biennial", National Gallery of Jamaica, 2014

"The Caribbean Queer Visualities Symposium," Small Axe, Yale University Connecticut, 2014

(e)merge art fair, NLS kingston and ARC magazine, Washington DC, 2014

MFG Trajectories, Mayers Fletcher & Gordon's 40th Anniversary Exhibition, Jamaica, 2014

"FLOAT", NLS Kingston Jamaica & Transformer Washington DC, 2014

"Dirty Crayons," Victory Run, What's On Cafe Kingston Jamaica, 2013

"National Biennial", National Gallery of Jamaica, 2012

Super Plus under 40, Mutual Gallery Kingston Jamaica, 2012

"Who more Sci-Fi than us" Kade Gallery, Amersfoort the Netherlands, 2012

"Dirty Crayons" Red Bones Cafe, Kingston Jamaica, 2012

"Young Talent V", National Gallery of Jamaica, 2010

"National Biennial", National Gallery of Jamaica, 2010

"Art Fresh", Mutual Gallery Kingston Jamaica, 2010

"Rockstone and Bootheel", Real Art Ways, Connecticut, 2009

"Young Gifted and Black," Studio 174, Jamaica, 2009

Final Year Exhibitions, Edna Manley College, Jamaica, 2009

Curator's Selections Exhibition, Cag(e) Gallery, Edna Manley College, Jamaica, 2008

Solo Exhibition

Bellisario & the Soundboy, Debut solo, Kingston Jamaica, 2017