

# TIWANI CONTEMPORARY

## CV | SIKELELA OWEN

Born 1984  
Lives and works in London, UK

### EDUCATION

2012  
Postgraduate Diploma In Fine Art Royal Academy Schools, London

2009  
BA Hons Fine Art (Painting) Chelsea College of Art and Design, London

### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2024  
Solo Exhibition, Tiwani Contemporary, Lagos, Nigeria

2023  
*Sikelela Owen: The Air is Thick with Love*, Taymour Grahne Projects, London, UK

2021  
*Steady Love*, Taymour Grahne, London, UK  
*Sikelela Owen*, James Freeman Gallery, London, UK

2020  
*Together*, James Freeman Gallery, London, UK  
*Supper, Sleep and Sorrows*, LdM Gallery, Florence, Italy

2019  
*Sikelela Owen*, James Freeman Gallery, London, UK

2017  
*Love, Eat, Sleep, Repeat*, HSBC Canada Place, London, UK

2014  
*Everyday People*, Norman Rea Gallery, University of York, York, UK  
*People Everyday*, NAM Project, Milan, Italy

2006  
*Nyacomba* Vernon Mills, Manchester, UK

### GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2024  
*Soundscapes*, Dulwich Picture Gallery London, UK

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2022

*Eden*, James Freeman Gallery, London, UK

*Intimacy*, Taymour Grahne Projects, London, UK

*Reclaiming the Nymph: A Force of Nature*, Gillian Jason Gallery, London, UK

2021

*Laying Eyes*, with Sola Olulode, Alessandro Albanese Gallery, Milan, Italy

2018

*Muse*, James Freeman Gallery, London, UK

2015

*100 Painters of Tomorrow*, Beers Gallery, London

*Good Figures*, The Mall Gallery, London; Jerwood Space, West Sussex, UK

*The Good, the Bad and the Ugly*, Gesso Arts Space, Vienna, Austria

2014

*Portrait Show*, Gesso Arts Space, Vienna, Austria

2013

*Anthology*, Charlie Smith, London, UK

*Young Gods Part 1*, Griffin Gallery, London, UK

2012

*FBA Futures*, The Mall Gallery, London, UK

*Schools Summer Show*, Royal Academy of the Arts, London, UK

2011

*The Summer Exhibition*, Royal Academy of Arts, London, UK

## RESIDENCIES & AWARDS

2019

Elephant Lab, London, UK

2011

Dover Streets Arts club Award, London, UK

2010

Richard Ford Award, Prado Museum travel and drawing award, Madrid, Spain

2009

Nichol Young Foundation Awards, London, UK

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## PUBLICATIONS

2024

*Soulscapes Exhibition Catalogue*, Dulwich Picture Gallery, UK

2020

*A Companion to Contemporary Drawing*, Wiley, USA

2014

*100 Painters of Tomorrow*, Thames and Hudson, UK

2013

*100 London Artists Volume 1* (iBook), Elizabeth Beecher Publishing, UK

## COLLECTIONS

Simmons & Simmons, London

Sir Richard Heaton, London

Robert Hiscox, London

HG Capital, London

Augustin, New York

Cuperior, Frankfurt

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