

## David Ratcliff

1970  
born in Los Angeles, CA

Lives and works in Los Angeles, CA

### Education:

1992  
Bachelor of Fine Arts, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY

### Solo Exhibitions:

2011  
**Team Gallery**, New York, NY, *Portraits and Ghosts*

2010  
**Galerie Rodolphe Janssen**, Brussels, Belgium, *Ghost Paintings*  
**Honor Fraser Gallery**, Los Angeles, CA, *background*

2009  
**Maureen Paley**, London, England

2008  
**Team Gallery**, New York, NY, *Defect's Mirror*

2007  
**Tomio Koyama Gallery**, Tokyo, Japan  
**Team Gallery**, New York, NY, *Cosmetic Surgery*  
**Galerie Rodolphe Janssen**, Brussels, Belgium, *Bob Loblaw*

2005  
**LISTE**, Basel, Switzerland, *tasseled loafers, jerk-off* (under the auspices of Team Gallery)  
**Team Gallery**, New York, NY, *I find a Burberry scarf and matching coat with a whale embroidered on it (something a little kid might wear) and it's covered with what looks like dried chocolate syrup crisscrossed over the front*

### Group Exhibitions:

2011  
**Brand New Gallery**, Milan, Italy, *The Shortest Distance Between 2 Points is Often Intolerable* (curated by Andrew Berardini)

2010  
**Tomio Koyama Gallery**, Tokyo, Japan, *Group Show*  
**Tomio Koyama Gallery**, Kyoto, Japan (two-person exhibition with Noriko Furunishi)  
**Gallery Koko**, Tokyo, Japan, *NEW YORK The Loudest*

2009

**Art Center College of Design**, Pasadena, California, *The Night Goat Demands Reparations*  
(curated by Adam Miller)

**Gresham's Ghost**, New York, NY, *Cave #1* (curated by Bob Nickas)

**Galerie Suzanne Tarasiéve**, Paris, *Light Motive*

**Galerie Rodolphe Janssen**, Brussels, *Dark Summer*

2008

**PPOW**, New York, *History Keeps Me Awake at Night: A Genealogy of Wojnarowicz*

**PS1**, New York, *That was then...This is now*

**Maureen Paley**, London, *The Hidden*

2007

**Galerie Christian Nagel**, Berlin, *Post-Rose: Artists in and out of the Hazard Park Complex*  
(curated by Sterling Ruby)

**de Pury & Luxembourg**, Zurich, *Painting as Fact, Fact as Fiction* (curated by Bob Nickas)

2006

**PS1**, New York, NY, *The Gold Standard* (curated by Bob Nickas and Walead Beshty)

**Blum & Poe**, Los Angeles, *The Monty Hall Problem* (curated by Slater Bradley)

**Peres Projects**, Berlin, *LAXed: New Painting from L.A.*

**Team Gallery**, New York, NY, *Loveless*

**Mary Boone Gallery**, New York, NY, *I Love My Scene: Scene Two* (curated by José Freire)

2005-06

**Turin Triennial**, Turin, Italy, *The Pantagruel Syndrome* (curated by Francesco Bonami and Carolyn Christov-Bakargiev, with catalogue)

2005

**Team Gallery**, New York, NY, *5 X U*

Selected Bibliography:

2011

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Kley, Elisabeth, "Ole Jose," **Artnet**, May 10.

"Top Five Shows," **Time Out New York**, May 10.

Khavi, Noya, "Double Teaming: An Art Gallery Grows in Soho," **New York Observer**, May 10, p. 54.

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2010

"500 Words," **Artforum.com**, December

2009

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Lack, Jessica, "Exhibitions: David Ratcliff," **Guardian Guide**, April 11, p.38.

Yu, David, "Cryptic Kaleidoscopes/ Chaotic Beauty," **artslant.com**, May 3.

2008

Nickas, Bob, "Best of 2008: Abstract Painting," **Artforum**, December, p.292.

Gavin, Francesca, "Behind the Veil: The Hidden," **Dazed & Confused**, February, p.162  
(with illustration).

2007

Orden, Abraham, "The Minute," **artnet.com**, <http://www.artnet.com/magazineus/reviews/orden/orden6-7-07.asp>, June 7 (with illustration).

2006

Amy, Michael, "Review," **Art in America**, January, p. 123 (with illustration).

2005

Ratcliff, David, "Art Pages: David Ratcliff," **Animal**, Fall, pp.79-81 (with illustrations).

Cotter, Holland, "5 X U," **The New York Times**, July 22, p. E32.

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Laster, Paul, "David Ratcliff," **flavorpill.com**, April 5 – 11 (with illustration).

Baker, R.C., "Spring Preview: David Ratcliff," **Village Voice**, March 2.