

SAM LEE | GALLERY

NICHOLAS GRIDER (United States, born 1977)

EDUCATION

- 2008 Interschool MFA (art and writing), California Institute of the Arts, Valencia, California
- 2006 Masters of Art, Mass Communication, UW-Milwaukee, Wisconsin
- 2000 Bachelor of Art, English, Cardinal Stritch University, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2009 *(self-titled)*, Sea and Space Explorations, Los Angeles, January.
- 2008 *This is Not a Performance*, public art project with Islands of LA, Los Angeles, California, November.
A Rush and a Push and the Land is Ours, CalArts MFA Thesis Show, Valencia, California, March.
It's All Fun and Games and Somebody Gets Hurt, CalArts, Valencia, California, January.
- 2007 *How to Do Things with Men*, CalArts, Valencia, California, February.
- 2006 *Real Events Restaged Using Professional Actors*, Museum of Wisconsin Art, February.
- 2005 *Symptomology*, UW-Milwaukee Art History Gallery, Wisconsin, March-April.
Gentlemen, Knapp Art House, Madison, Wisconsin, January-February.
- 2004 *Surfers, Comet*, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, August-September.
- 2003 *Nature Scene*, CalArts, Valencia, California, October.

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2008 *I AM I A KILLER*, Sam Lee Gallery, Los Angeles, July 19 - August 23.
StayBite, curated by Evelyn Serrano, Artists for Social Justice/CalArts, Valencia, California, May.
New Insight, ArtChicago, Illinois, April/May.
Sound and Space, Sea and Space, Los Angeles, California, February.
- 2007 *You're So Beautiful*, Hayworth Gallery, Los Angeles, California, May-June.
A Warning Shouldn't Be Pleasant, West LA College, California, March-May.
- 2005 *Forward: Wisconsin Art Now*, Charles Allis Art Museum, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, October.
Wisconsin Biennial 2005, Anderson Arts Center, Kenosha, Summer.
- 2004 *"Untitled,"* Lime Gallery, CalArts, Valencia, California, April.
- 2003 *Destination #1*, Rubin's Garage/MARN, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, April.
- 2002 *Keep It Like a Secret*, F Gallery, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, April/May.

SELECTED CURATORIAL PROJECTS

- 2009 *Helpful Information* (under consideration at Brand Art Center, Los Angeles)
- 2007 *Bodily Function*, CalArts, Valencia, California, November.
- 2006 *How to Do Things with Words*, CalArts, Valencia, California, October.
- 2004 *Face Time*, Material Arts, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, October.
There's No Place Like Home, Material Arts, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, July.
Indoor/Outdoor, CalArts, Valencia, California, March.
- 2003 *Research and Development*, Hide House, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, January.

AWARDS AND GRANTS

- 2008-2006 CalArts Merit Scholarship, Valencia, California
- 2007 Dean's Project Grant, CalArts Art School, Valencia, California
Interdisciplinary Project Grant, CalArts, Valencia, California
(Writing Program) Thesis Project Grant, CalArts, Valencia, California
- 2007-2006 Visiting Artist Coordinator position, CalArts, Valencia, California
- 2006 Dean's Project Grant, CalArts Art School, Valencia, California
- 2006-2004 Full Fellowship, UW-Milwaukee, Wisconsin