

## LEAH PATGORSKI

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### EDUCATION

2006 MFA, Studio Art, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL  
2000 BS, Architecture, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA

### SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

2018 *Leah Patgorski | New Work*, as April Unblurred artist at Assemble | Pittsburgh, PA  
*Sift 2*, a virtual exhibition curated by José Carlos Diaz for the Office of Public Art | Pittsburgh  
*Metamorphosis: on Form & Experience*, group show curated by Dafna Rehavia and Taya Hanauer, Percolate Gallery | Pittsburgh

2017 *Conversations in Red*, group show curated by Judy Barie, Strohl Arts Center | Chautauqua, NY

2016 *Associated Artists of Pittsburgh 105th Annual Exhibition*, Carnegie Museum of Art | Pittsburgh  
*Nothing is Itself*, group show curated by Kara Skylling, The Mine Factory | Pittsburgh  
*John Riegert: A Multi-media Visual Art Exhibition*, 252 portraits of John Riegert curated by Brett Yasko, Space Gallery | Pittsburgh  
*Juried Visual Arts Exhibition*, during Three Rivers Arts Festival (TRAF) at the Trust Arts Education Center | Pittsburgh

2015 *Whose Sleeves*, 4-person show curated by Peter Mandradjieff, Union Hall | Pittsburgh  
*Winter Garden Show*, group show curated by Ikechukwu Onyewuenyi, PPG Building | Pittsburgh

2014 *Sunday Afternoons*, group show curated by Adds Donna at SWDZ | Vienna, Austria

2013 *Disambiguate*, a traveling group show curated by Sarah Humphrey and Stephen Tuomala  
The Inn | Pittsburgh  
Kipp Gallery at Indiana University of Pennsylvania | Indiana, PA

2012 *Jason Karolak & Leah Patgorski*, Gahlberg Gallery, College of DuPage | Glen Ellyn, IL

2011 *MDW Fair* with Adds Donna | Chicago  
*Peregrine Papers*, MDW Fair with Peregrine Projects | Chicago

2010 *Not Just Another Pretty Face*, group show of portraits at Hyde Park Art Center | Chicago  
*What is a Hammer?*, 3-person show at Adds Donna | Chicago  
Invitational Auction for *Office Romance*, threewalls | Chicago

2009 *The Promise of This Moment*, a show of experimental designed objects at Morlen Sinoway Auxiliary Space | Chicago

2006 Departmental Exhibition, Design Within Reach Tree Studios | Chicago

2005 Fall Group Show, Gallery 2, School of the Art Institute of Chicago

### COLLABORATIVE INSTALLATIONS

2018 *The Other Border Wall Project*, with Jenn Meridian and Tereneh Idia, curated by David Janesko, Flatland Gallery | Houston

2012 *Street Tent*, with Monika Gibson, PARK(ing) Day | Pittsburgh

2009 *Knit One Then What?*, installation led by Michelle Litvin, In Process Gallery | Chicago

2007 *Soundings*, sculpture and video with Pey-ying Kuan, Gallery 2 | Chicago

2006 *Watershed*, a project by 16 artists and designers to create a traveling interactive installation  
Salone Satellite at Fiero Milano | Milan, Italy  
12 x 12 Space, Museum of Contemporary Art | Chicago

2005 *Play Ball*, an interactive happening, Base Space, School of the Art Institute of Chicago

COMMISSIONS

- 2016 Wall piece for private residence | New York
- 2015 Corridor installation for private residence | Miami
- 2010 Tent sculpture for Michelle Litvin/Hyde Park Art Center | Chicago
- 2006 Sculpture for photo project by Wafaa Bilal | Chicago

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