

## Artist CV Emily Thomas

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### Education

2015 - 2018	BA (Hons) Fine Art (2:1), Chelsea College of Arts (University of Arts London)
2014 - 2015	Foundation Diploma in Art and Design (Distinction), Camberwell College of Arts (UAL)

### Solo Exhibitions

2019	<i>Shapeshifter</i> , Soulangh Cultural Park, Tainan, Taiwan
2019	<i>Emily Thomas</i> , GlogauAIR Showcase Window, Glogauer Strasse, Berlin
2019	<i>London is Open</i> , Global 12 Festival, Shoreditch, London
2018	<i>Hackney, I love you. I lost you.</i> , Hoxton Cabin, Hoxton, London
2018	<i>Disintegrating Space</i> , The Royal Marsden Hospital, Sutton, London

### Group Exhibitions

2019	<i>Anniversary Exhibition</i> , La peau de l'ours, Uccle, Brussels
2019	<i>Open Studios Exhibition</i> , GlogauAIR, Kreuzberg, Berlin
2018	<i>Orbit UK Arts Graduated Show</i> , Oxo Tower, Southbank, London
2018	<i>Young Talents</i> , Tour and Taxis, Affordable Art Fair, Brussels
2018	<i>Black Swan Arts Open</i> , Black Swan Arts, Frome, England
2018	<i>Fine Art Degree Show</i> , Chelsea College of Arts, Pimlico, London
2018	<i>Interim Show</i> , The Cookhouse, Pimlico, London
2018	<i>UAL Olympus Photography Awards</i> , Bermondsey Project Space, Southwark, London
2017	<i>Translations</i> , The Morgue, Pimlico, London
2017	<i>Second Year Show</i> , The Triangle Space, Pimlico, London
2017	Director and Curator of <i>Honey, I'm Home</i> , A217 Gallery, Pimlico, London
2017	<i>Liminal Ecosystems</i> , Copeland Gallery, Peckham, London
2016	<i>Artists as Curators</i> , A217 Gallery, Pimlico, London
2016	<i>Territories</i> , DLG13, Pimlico, London
2016	<i>Cognitive Faculties</i> , IKLECTIK Art Lab, Waterloo, London
2015	<i>Synonyms for Exploration</i> , The Cookhouse, Pimlico, London
2015	<i>CCW Foundation Summer Show</i> , Camberwell College of Arts, Peckham, London

### Residencies

2020	<i>La Escocesa</i> , Barcelona, Spain (January - February 2020, to be completed in 2021) Funded by La Memoria Artística Chema Alvargonzalez
2019	<i>Soulangh Cultural Park</i> , Tainan, Taiwan (April - June 2019) Funded by the Cultural Affairs Bureau of the Tainan City Government
2019	<i>GlogauAIR</i> , Berlin, Germany (January - March 2019) Supported by the European Cultural Foundation

## Grants

- 2020 **Emergency Response Fund For Individuals: Arts Council England**  
The Arts Council England have supported me throughout the pandemic as an emerging artist who has demonstrated great potential for the future of the arts. They have enabled me to continue my practice during COVID-19.
- 2020 **Residency Prize Award: La Memoria Artística Chema Alvargonzalez**  
As a GlogauAIR resident of 2019, I was invited to apply to an award whereby the prize was a funded three month residency at La Escocesa, Barcelona. I successfully won the prize and started my residency in January 2020. Due to COVID-19 the residency was interrupted. The final exhibition will take place in 2021.
- 2019 **Artist Fellowship: Cultural Affairs Bureau of the Tainan City Government**  
I was successfully granted a highly competitive artist fellowship in Tainan as an artist in residence of Soulangh Cultural Park.
- 2019 **STEP Travel Grant: European Cultural Foundation**  
In support of my artist residency at GlogauAIR Berlin, the European Cultural Foundation funded my travel through their STEP Travel Grant (Supporting Travel for Engaged Partnerships). The rest of this project was funded through the funds awarded to me from a previous commission prize.

## Press

- 2020 [Soulangh Cultural Park: Live Interview with Emily Thomas 《變形》 \(Shapeshifter\)](#)
- 2020 [Daily Art Magazine: An Interview with Emily Thomas](#)
- 2020 [Daily Art Magazine: Exploring Place with Emily Thomas](#)
- 2020 [La Escocesa: Emily Thomas Solo Exhibition at Homesession \(In The Melting Pot\)](#)
- 2020 [La Escocesa: International Artist in Residence Emily Thomas](#)
- 2020 [Degree Art: Meet the Artist | Interview with Emily Thomas](#)
- 2019 [4SEE Magazine: Art, Interview, Emily Thomas](#)
- 2019 [Liberty Times Net: 'Shapeshifter' by Emily Thomas at Soulangh Cultural Park](#)
- 2019 [Nantian Local Tainan News: 'Shapeshifter' by Emily Thomas at Soulangh Cultural Park](#)
- 2019 [GlogauAIR: Live Interview with Emily Thomas](#)
- 2019 [European Cultural Foundation: Shapeshifting Berlin by Emily Thomas](#)
- 2019 [GlogauAIR: Showcase // Emily Thomas](#)
- 2019 [GlogauAIR: Emily Thomas Artist in Residence](#)
- 2018 [Chelsea College of Arts Degree Show: Emily Thomas](#)
- 2018 [La peau de l'ours: Focus On Emily Thomas](#)

## Commission Prizes

- 2018 New Dawn Risk Commission Prize, London Bridge, London
- 2017 Frontier Economics Commission Prize, Holborn, London

## Award Nominations

- 2018 The UAL Olympus Photography Award
- 2016 The Lynn Painter-Stainers Prize

## Relevant Work Experience

- 2019 Creative Director, Global 12 Festival, Shoreditch, London
- 2018 Assistant to Niall Hobhouse (Collector, Author and Private Art Dealer), Bruton, England
- 2017 - 2018 Gallery Assistant, Saatchi Gallery, Chelsea, London
- 2017 Front of House and Invigilation Intern, Saatchi Gallery, Chelsea, London
- 2017 Arts Temp, University of the Arts London, Holborn, London
- 2017 Co-Director & Co-Curator of the A217 Gallery, Pimlico, London
- 2015 - 2016 Photographer for Helena Kay Saxophonist: BBC Jazz Musician of the Year 2015, Scotland