David Leggett

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Education

2010 Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, Skowhegan, Maine.
2007 Masters of Fine Arts. School of the Art Institute of Chicago.
2003 Bachelors of Fine Arts. Savannah College of Art and Design.

Exhibitions

Solo Shows

2012 Coco River Fudge Street. Hyde Park Art Center. Chicago, Illinois.
It's getting to the point where nobody respects the dead. Fresh to death. Western Exhibitions. Chicago, Illinois.
David Leggett New Paintings. Hinge Gallery. Chicago, Illinois.

2010 Up for the Down Stroke. 65 Grand Gallery. Chicago, Illinois.

Group shows

2013 (I'm Your) Hoochie Coochie Man. Tracy Williams Ltd. New York, New York.
Squirts: April Childers, David Leggett, Max Maslansky. Regina Rex. Queens, New York.
2012 Romancing the Tone. Pittsburgh Center for the Arts. Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
Afterimage. DePaul Art Museum. Chicago, Illinois.
Where My Clone At? Double Break. San Diego, California.
Where My Clone At ? 2 POVevolving Fine Art Printing Studio. Los Angeles, California.
Blaque Lyte. ADA Gallery. Richmond, Virginia.
B.A.D. Beverly Arts Center. Chicago, Illinois.
2011 Museum as Hub: Alpha's bet is not over yet! The New Museum of Contemporary Art. New York, New York.
Kodra 11 Contemporary Art Festival. Thessaloniki, Greece.
Is this thing on? Cobalt Studio. Chicago, Illinois.
People Don't Like to Read Art. Western Exhibitions. Chicago, Illinois.
The MDW Fair. The Geolofts. Chicago, Illinois.
West, Wester, Westest Pt. 2. Fecal Face Dot Gallery. San Francisco, California.
Futuro Perfecto. Zora Space. Brooklyn, New York.
Drop it like it's not. Murder Town Gallery. Chicago, Illinois.
Psycha-Bobble. High Concept Laboratories. Chicago, Illinois.
Skowhegan Alumni Exhibition. 92Y Tribeca. New York, New York.
Heads on Poles. Western Exhibitions. Chicago, Illinois.
2010 Ah, Wilderness! Ebermoore Gallery. Chicago, Illinois.
SK10-New works from the Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, Class of 2010. Tompkins Projects. Brooklyn, New York.
2008 Disinhibition: Black Art Blue Humor. Hyde Park Art Center. Chicago, Illinois.
Re:visions. Zolla Lieberman Gallery. Chicago, Illinois. 2008
2007 Half & Half. Sound Alternative Space for Contemporary Art. Laredo, Texas.

Selected Bibliography

2013 Perry, Eve, "Not Taking the 1990's Very Seriously," *Hyperallergic.*
Scott, Andrea, "(I'm Your) Hoochie Coochie Man," *The New Yorker.*

2012 Langbein, Julia, "Critic's Pick: 'After Image' at DePaul University Museum," *ArtForum*
Jackson, Danielle, "Cotton Candy Sweet as Gold: A Conversation with David Leggett," *Sixty Inches From Center.*
Yeapanis, Stacia, "Other Peoples Pixels Interviews David Leggett," *Other Peoples Pixels Blog.*
Bellware, Kimberly, "Coco River Fudge Street," *The Chicagoist.*
Ritchie, Abraham, "It's getting to the point where nobody respects the dead. Fresh to death at Western Exhibitions, Now That's Fresh," *Art Slant.*
Ritchie, Abraham,"Coco River Fudge Street," *Flavorpill*
Ritchie, Abraham, "Rackroom Interview," *Art Slant*
Glass, Claire, "Portrait of the Artist: David Leggett," *Newcity Art*
Beautiful/Decay Book: 7, Class Clowns

2011 Weinberg, Lauren, "People Don't Like To Read Art' at Western Exhibitions:
John Parot, Deb Sokolow and other artists make text sexy," *Time Out Chicago*
Ritchie, Abraham, "People Don't Like to Read Art at Western Exhibitions," *Art Slant*
Burke, Stephanie, "Drop it like it's not at Murdertown Gallery," *Art Talk Chicago*
Ritchie, Abraham, "Heads on Poles at Western Exhibitions," *Art Slant*

2010 "Interview: David Leggett," Black Visual Archive
Ritchie, Abraham, "Chicago's Best of 2010 Pick: 'Up for the Down Stroke' at 65 Grand," *Art Slant*
Schmidt, Shannon, "David Leggett at 65GRAND," *Chicago Art Magazine*
"Up for the Down Stroke at 65 Grand Gallery," *Daily Serving*
"Up for the Down Stroke at 65 Grand Gallery," *Beautiful Decay*

Artist Talks and Lectures

2012 The School of the Art Institute of Chicago Interlink Visiting Artist Program. Chicago, Illinois.
Coco River Fudge Street. Hyde Park Art Center. Chicago, Illinois.

Awards

2010 Fellowship Award. Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture.
The Drawing Center Viewing Program.
2009 3Arts. Visual Artist Award. Chicago, Illinois.
2005-2007 Trustee Scholarship. School of the Art Institute of Chicago.
2005 Fellowship Award. School of the Art Institute.
2000-2003 Merit Scholarship. Savannah College of Art and Design.