# LYDIA BLAKELEY

B. 1980 in Bracknell, Berkshire. Lives and works in London.

# **EDUCATION**

2017-2019 MFA Fine Art, Goldsmiths 2013-2016 BA(Hons) Fine Art, Leeds College of Art

#### **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2019 Hellhole, Plaza Plaza, Elephant and Castle, London

2018 You're Doing Amazing, Sweetie, The Boardroom, Blenheim Walk, Leeds Arts University

2017 Leisure, Vernon Street Gallery, Leeds College of Art

## **GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

2019 Enter Art Fair, with Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, Copenhagen, Denmark Plucky Pony Makes Break For Freedom, SET, Bermondsey, London Mission To Touch The Sun: Sun Burnt, Paradise Works, Salford, Manchester Utopia Through Nostalgia, The Koppel Project Hive, Holborn, London

2018 Young British Painters, Arthill Gallery, West Brompton, London #34 Annual Open Exhibition, CGP Gallery, Southwark Park, London GoldX, DeptfordX, London

Mission to Touch the Sun, Enclave, Deptford, London

Getting Away!, Quay Arts, Newport, Isle of Wight

For I'm not among the waders: The story of Zebedee, Post\_Institute, Brixton, London

Getting Away, ArthouSE1, Bermondsey, London

Goldsmiths MFA Interim Show, Deptford, London

Duty Free. Is This It?, Chelsea College of Arts, UAL, London

Via... Brockley, London

2017 Sydenham Arts, Sydenham, London

Fair Exchange, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY

2016 Seven Days at LS6, LS6 cafe, Leeds

Northern Graduates 2016, Curwen Gallery, London

Free Range, Old Truman Brewery, London

Departures, Leeds College of Art, Leeds

A Happy Medium, Leeds

2015 *I'll Show You Mine*, Leon Collective HQ, Leeds *Ephemera*, Studio 24, Leeds

## **AWARDS**

2018 The Elizabeth Greenshields Foundation Grant, Canada