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Born and raised in rural Canada, Rachel has previously lived and worked in Toronto (CA), Los Angeles (USA). She currently lives in London (UK). Rachel is ½ of the podcast Hare Bear and Everywhere and ½ of the tech-art collective Digital&Dead.

Education

- 2010 Masters of Fine Arts (Visual Arts). California Institute of the Arts, Valencia, CA, USA
- 2006 Bachelor of Fine Arts. Ontario College of Art and Design, Toronto, ON, CA

Awards & Distinctions

- 2020 Arts Council England, Emergency Response Fund, UK
- 2019 Arts Council England, Develop Your Creative Practice Grant, UK
- 2018 Canada Council for the Arts, Residencies: Arts Abroad Grant, CA
- 2018 STEP Travel Grant, European Cultural Foundation, EU
- 2018 In-Ruins Residency Scholarship, Fondazione Armonie D'Arte, ITL
- 2017 Canada Council for the Arts, Research and Creation Grant, CA
- 2017 Arts Council England, Project Grant, UK
- 2016 Exceptional Talent Visa, UK (endorsed by Arts Council England)
- 2016 Canada Council for the Arts, International Residency Grant, CA
- 2016 Ontario Arts Council, Exhibition Assistance Grant, CA
- 2012 Ontario Arts Council, International Residency Grant, CA
- 2012 Vermont Studio Center Scholarship, USA
- 2011 Toronto Arts Council, Emerging Artist Grant, CA
- 2011 Ontario Arts Council, Emerging Artist Grant, CA
- 2008/09 California Institute of the Arts Graduate Scholarship, USA

Solo and Two-Person Exhibitions/Performances

- 2019 *Digital&Dead*, University College London's Multimedia Anthropology Lab. London, UK Talk/Event with Sarah Derat
- 2018 Digital&Dead, South London Gallery, UK Talk/Event with Sarah Derat
- 2017 Dangerous Currents, Super Dakota. Brussels, BE
 - Digital&Dead, collaborative Augmented Reality project with Sarah Derat (during her exhibition).
- 2016 Scene Hepworth, A Space Gallery. Toronto, CA
- 2015 Sweep Away The Past, Full Haus. Los Angeles, USA
- 2014 SceneHepworth_000, Gallery 1313. Toronto, CA
- 2010 Westerly/Besterly, A402 Gallery. California Institute of the Arts, Valencia, USA
- 2010 An Age of Glory, KLMA (Katharine Mulherin @ Automat). Los Angeles, USA
 - Two-person show with Nicolas Grenier
- 2009 It's A Computer, L-Shape Gallery. California Institute of the Arts, Valencia, USA

Selected Group Exhibitions/Performances/Screenings

- 2022 (Title TBA), Irruptive Chora. London, UK/Online Curated by Ania Mokrzycka & Agata Kik
- 2021 Who is it that I am writing for?, Certain Fallacies. Los Aneles, USA
- 2020 Screensaver Watching You, Off Site Project. London, UK/Online.
- 2020 SPACE/LCN Showcase, SPACE. London, UK.
- 2019 Rhizome Parking Garage, Wrong Biennale. Online Curated by Ian Bruner / @ideath
- 2019 Immeasurable, Thames-Side Studio Gallery. London, UK Curated by Linda Persson
- 2019 Up is a Relative Concept Fold(Lab). London, UK. Part of Swamp Protocol
- 2019 Life and Beyond, Lewisham Art House. London, UK Curated by Kristina Pulejkova.
- 2019 SPACE artist residency showcase, SPACE. London, UK
- 2019 While The Summit Reverses, Obsidian Coast. Bradford-Upon-Avon, UK Curated by Nella Aarne & Sam Smith
- 2019 Swamp Protocol, Arebyte Gallery. London, UK Curated by Dane Sutherland

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2018	In-Ruins, The Archaeological Park of Scolacium. Borgia, IT. Curated by Azzurra Pitruzzella
2018	Did you eat Yoko Ono? Carvall Showroom. London, UK
2018	I'm sorry, I didn't quite catch that? Arebyte Gallery. London, UK Curated by Bob Bicknell-Knight
2017	NADA art fair, Special Project commission of Digital&Dead. Miami Beach, USA
2017	Janusware, Res, London, UK Curated by Lucy A. Sames
2017	Showcase with Sarah Derat & Laura Moreton-Griffiths, Subculture Archives, London, UK
2017	Summer Exhibition, Florence Trust. London, UK
2017	SPACE/LCN Showcase 2nd Edition, SPACE, London, UK
2017	Mientras Desaparezca, LADR.Ngaleria, Mexico City, MX
	Curated by John Kenneth Paranada, Helena Lugo, Francesca Altamura
2016	I'm Really A Witch, London Ontario Media Arts Association (LOMAA). London, CA
	Curated by Christina Battle
2016	Will Nature Make a Man of Me Yet? Pi Artworks. London, UK Curated by John Kenneth Paranada
2016	Living In Chronic Times, Chisenhale Studios, London, UK Curated by Samantha Lesley Lippett
2015	KonZori 72, Mets.2. Helsinki, FI. Performance event, Curated by David Frankovitch
2015	Heaven Is A Place Where Nothing Ever Happens, Pi Artworks. London, UK Curated by Ashlee Conery
2015	The Waterfall Flows Up, Red Barn Project Space. University of Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, USA
	Curated by Erik Martinson
2015	The Years Without Light, Institute of Contemporary Art (ICA). London, UK
	Screening & Live Cinema Performance, Curated by Erik Martinson
2014	What's In Store, UNIT at Gallery Sonja Roesch. Houston, USA
2014	SELECT Fair. New York, USA With UNIT Houston (USA)
2014	Bad Luck Amazon Gi^Card, Xpace. Toronto, CA Performance/Installation/Web-media/Publishing
	Collaboration with Anthony Easton
2013	Six Small Sermons About Satan, Videofag. Toronto, CA Curated by Anthony Easton
2013	TX Contemporary Art Fair. Houston, USA With UNIT, Houston (USA)
2013	Out of the Palm of Our Hand, Drake Tower & Hotel. Chicago, USA
	Site Specific Dinner Party, Salon, Performance and Exhibition. Curated by Rebecca Lieb
2013	What's In Store, UNIT at Gallery Sonja Roesch (part of PRINTHOUSTON). Houston, USA
2013	What's In Store, Art Santa Fe. Santa Fe, USA With UNIT Houston (USA)
2013	Bronson Swim Meet, Long Winter, the Great Hall. Toronto, CA Collaboration with Stephen van Dyck &
	BellyFlop Gallery, LA, USA
2012	Horror Vacui, Gallery Sonja Roesch. Houston, USA Curated by Ariane Roesch
2011	House Show, Crane Street. Los Angeles, USA Curated by M Blake Besharian
2010	Boxed Scheme, Cottage Home. Los Angeles, USA Curated by Ana Vejzovic Sharp
2009	Bred In At Least Modest Comfort, Trinity Square Video. Toronto, CA
	Curated by Jean-Paul Kelly. Three-person show with Mark Tribe and Alex Morrison
2009	Back in the Discourse: Feminist Art Collective, California Institute of the Arts. Valencia, USA
	Curated by Carrie Rebecca Armellino and Diana DeAugustine
2009	Will 100 Artists Please Draw a 1950 Ford from Memory, Art Gallery of Alberta. Edmonton, CA
	Project curated by Anthony Easton with blessing of Ed Ruscha
2007	Abomasum, Scotiabank Nuit Blanche, Zone C, Trinity Bellwoods Park. Toronto, CA
	Curated by Camilla Singh (Museum of Canadian Contemporary Art)
2007	Art Basel. Miami Beach, USA with Art Metropole (CA)
2007	The NY Art Book Fair. New York, USA with Art Metropole (CA)

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Residencies

2019/20	LCN (London Creative Network), SPACE Art and Technology, London, UK
2019	Focus-Next, SPACE Art and Technology thematic residency, London, UK
2018	InRuins, thematic artist residency at Archaeological Park of Scolacium, Borgia, ITL
2018	Fokinos, SNEHTA June/July thematic artist residency, Athens, GR
2016/17	Florence Trust Artist Residency, London, UK
2012	Vermont Studio Center Residency, USA

Published Writing, Podcasts & Online Projects

2021	Hare, Bear and Everywhere. Podcast about animal news and memes, co-created by and hosted with artist/writer/podcaster Yelena Zhelezov (Online)
2017	Stone38 Digital Hyptertext Commission for Janusware Exhibition. Res. London. UK
2017	I Do? Digital Commission by FAG Inclusive for Cosmos Carl – Host by Proxy
2016	Piltdown, Sea Empress – Animism Edition, Ed. Abigail Sidebotham. The Reading Room, Manorbier,
	Pembrokeshire,UK
2016	Level350, Performance-Lecture/Reading/Live Cinema/Web Project Presented at Chisenhale
	Studios, London,
2015/17	When I was 14 (working thru working thru), Performance-Lecture/Live Cinema/Web Project.
	Presented at Videofag Toronto CA, ICA London UK, Mets.2 Helsinki FI, LOMO London CA &
	Florence Trust London UK
2012	Moving Through Layers, Making the Geologic Now. Ed. Elizabeth Ellsworth and Jamie Kruse.
	Punctum Books, Brooklyn, New York. Co-written with Anthony Easton for Smudge Studios, New
	York

Institutional Collections

Feminist Art Gallery (FAG), Toronto, CA.