

**Jon Rafman**

\*1981 Montréal, Canada  
Lives and works in Montréal, Canada

**Education**

... 2008  
Film, Video and New Media MFA, School of the Art  
Institute of Chicago  
... 2004  
Philosophy & Literature BA, McGill University,  
Montréal

**Selected Solo Exhibitions**

... 2017  
Dream Journals 16 - 17, Sprüth Magers, Berlin  
Germany  
... 2016  
I have ten thousand compound eyes and each is named  
suffering, Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam  
... 2016  
Jon Rafman, Westfälischer Kunstverein, Münster  
... 2016  
Jon Rafman, Carl Kostyál, Stockholm  
... 2015  
Jon Rafman, Zabłudowicz Collection, London  
... 2015  
Jon Rafman, Musée d'art contemporain de Montréal,  
Montréal  
... 2015  
Grand Tour, Feuer/Mesler, New York  
... 2014  
The End of the End of the End, Contemporary Art  
Museum St. Louis, MO  
... 2014  
Jon Rafman: Mainsqueeze, Plymouth Rock, Zurich  
... 2014  
Hope Springs Eternal, galerie antoine ertaskiran,  
Toronto  
... 2014  
Hope Springs Eternal II, galerie antoine ertaskiran,  
Montréal  
... 2013  
Annals of Lost Time, Future Gallery, Berlin  
... 2013  
Remember Carthage, New Online Art, New Museum,  
NY  
... 2013  
Remember Carthage, galerie antoine ertaskiran,  
Montréal  
... 2013  
You Are Standing in An Open Field, Zach Feuer  
Gallery, New York  
... 2013  
A Man Digging, Seventeen Gallery, London  
... 2012  
Jon Rafman, online exhibition, Palais de Tokyo, Paris  
... 2012  
The Nine Eyes of Google Street View, Saatchi Gallery,  
London  
... 2012  
Mirror Sites, International Art Object Galleries and  
M+B Gallery, Los Angeles  
... 2012  
Nine Eyes of Google Street View, Angell Gallery,  
Toronto  
... 2012  
MMXII BNPJ, American Medium, New York  
... 2011  
Brand New Paint Job Extended, PM Gallery, Berlin  
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... 2011  
Brand New Paint Job, Fabio Paris Gallery, Brescia  
... 2010  
The Age Demanded, Golden Age, Chicago, IL

**Selected Group Exhibitions**

... 2017 - 18  
ARS 17: Hello world!, Museum of Contemporary Art  
Kiasma, Helsinki  
... 2017  
Unquestionable Optimism, Johannes Vogt, The Barn  
Show, East Hampton, New York  
... 2017  
Dream Machines, James Cohan Gallery, Chelsea, New  
York,  
... 2017  
New Scenario, HOPE, Altana Galerie, Dresden,  
newscenario.net  
... 2017  
Sharjah Biennial 13, Tamawuj, Sharjah, United Arab  
Emirates  
... 2017  
Jon Rafman / Stan Vanderbeek, Sprüth Magers, Los  
Angeles  
... 2016  
Under Arms. Fire & Forget 2, Museum Angewandte  
Kunst, Frankfurt am Main  
... 2016  
Omul Negru, Nicodim Gallery, Los Angeles  
... 2016  
Summer Triangle, OCAT Shenzhen, China  
... 2016  
Public, Private, Secret, ICP Museum, New York  
... 2016  
Posthumous Lives, Mitchell Anderson - Jon Rafman,  
Maria Bernheim, Zurich, Switzerland  
... 2016  
Manifesta 11, Zurich  
... 2016  
Frieze NY with Seventeen Gallery, New York  
... 2016  
Wil Aballe Art Projects, Vancouver  
... 2016  
9th Berlin Biennale, Berlin  
... 2016  
Dreaming Mirrors, Dreaming Screens, Sprüth Magers,  
Berlin  
... 2015  
Unorthodox, The Jewish Museum, New York  
... 2015  
13th Biennale de Lyon, Lyon  
... 2015  
Welcome to the Jungle, KW Institute for Contemporary  
Art, Berlin  
... 2015  
Grand Tour, Jon Rafman and Keren Cytter, Feuer/Mesler,  
New York  
... 2015  
Field Vision, Jon Rafman and Christian Jankowski,  
Future Gallery, Berlin  
... 2015  
The Metabolic Age!, Museo de Arte Latinoamericano de  
Buenos Aires Malba, Buenos Aires  
... 2015  
Image Objects, curated by Andria Hickey, Public Art  
Fund at City Hall Park, New York  
University of Richmond, VA

- .. .2015  
Anti-Grand: Contemporary Perspectives on Landscape, What Remains, Museum of Contemporary Photography, Chicago, IL
- .. .2015  
Digital Conditions, Kunstverein Hannover, Hannover
- .. .2014  
What Is a Photograph? International Center of Photography, New York
- .. .2014  
Science Fiction: New Death, FACT, Liverpool
- .. .2014  
Art Post-Internet, UCCA Ullens Center for Contemporary Art, Beijing
- .. .2014  
DISown, Installation in Red Bull Studios, New York
- .. .2014  
Surface Modeling, Kerstin Engholm Gallery, Vienna
- .. .2014  
The Paranormal, FACT, Liverpool
- .. .2014  
PowerBall, The Power Plant, Toronto
- .. .2014  
Scripted Spaces, Martos Gallery, Los Angeles
- .. .2014  
By Proxy, James Cohan Gallery, New York
- .. .2013  
MAMA Showroom, Rotterdam
- .. .2013  
The Photographers' Gallery, London
- .. .2013  
Center for Photography at Woodstock, NY
- .. .2013  
Ed Ruscha Books & Co., Gagosian Gallery, New York
- .. .2013  
Extravagant Features, C24 Gallery, New York
- .. .2013  
Jew York, UNTITLED and Zach Feuer Gallery, New York
- .. .2013  
Biennial of the Americas 2013: DRAFT URBANISM, Denver, CO
- .. .2013  
Drone: The Automated Image, Le Mois de la Photo, Montréal
- .. .2013  
Speculations on Anonymous Materials, Fridericianum, Kassel
- .. .2013  
ANAMERICANA, American Academy, Rome
- .. .2013  
Jon Rafman and Rosa Aiello: Remember Carthage, online exhibition, The New Museum, New York
- .. .2012  
Scope Creep, Yaffo 23, Jerusalem
- .. .2012  
Brand Innovations for Ubiquitous Authorship, Higher Pictures, New York
- .. .2012  
Seriously Old Grey Hair, Christopher Crescent/ HD Project, New York
- .. .2012  
Rome Wasn't Built Because No One Was Doing Anything That Day, Outpost Gallery, Norwich
- .. .2012  
Nine Eyes, Moscow Photobiennale 2012, Central exhibition hall Manege, Moscow
- .. .2012  
Public, CONTACT Photo Festival, Museum of Contemporary Canadian Art, Toronto
- .. .2012  
Screenshots, William Benton Museum of Art, University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT
- .. .2012  
Mapas Invisibles, Luis Adelantado Gallery, Mexico City
- .. .2011  
Point-of-Presence, Truck Contemporary Art in Calgary, Calgary
- .. .2011  
Format, The Luminary, St. Louis, MO
- .. .2011  
\*new jpegs\*, Johan Berggren Gallery, Malmö
- .. .2011  
From Here On, Les Rencontres d'Arles Photographie: International Photography Festival, Arles
- .. .2011  
Alrededor es Imposible, La Casa Encendida, Madrid
- .. .2011  
Stone Sky overThingworld, bitforms, New York
- .. .2011  
Offline, Temple Bar Gallery, Dublin
- .. .2011  
Pepsi Throwback Label on a New Coke Can, Reference Gallery, Richmond, VA
- .. .2011  
Read/ Write, 319 Scholes Gallery, Brooklyn, New York
- .. .2010  
Free, The New Museum, New York
- .. .2010  
Fotographia Festival Internazionale di Roma: Maps & Legends, Museum of Contemporary Art of Rome
- .. .2010  
Repair, Ars Electronica Festival, Linz
- .. .2010  
A Unicorn Basking in the Light of Three Glowing Suns, DeVos Art Museum, Marquette, MI
- .. .2010  
Man in the Dark, The Woodmill, London
- .. .2010  
Kool-Aid Man in Second Life, MMX, Berlin
- .. .2010  
Within Which All Things Exist And Move, Art45, Montréal

.. .2010  
FutureEverything Festival, Manchester  
.. .2010  
Paint FX LIVE!, Future Gallery, Berlin  
.. .2010  
BredaPhoto International Photo Festival, Breda  
.. .2010  
Ars Electronica Festival, Linz  
.. .2010  
Area / Zone, BHQFU University, New York  
.. .2010  
Avatar 4D, Noma Gallery, San Francisco  
.. .2009  
15th Anniversary Slamdance Film Festival, Park City,  
UT  
.. .2009  
European Media Arts Festival, Osnabrück  
.. .2009  
13th Festival REGARD, Saguenay  
.. .2009  
25th Anniversary Kassel Dokfest, Kassel  
.. .2009  
Video\_Dumbo, Arts Under the Bridge Festival,  
Brooklyn, New York  
.. .2009  
Mental Dynamics, Synchronicity Gallery, Los Angeles  
.. .2009  
Poke!, FotoFest Gallery, Houston  
.. .2009  
Save for the Web, Xpace, Toronto

**Awards**

.. .2012  
Media Arts Grant, Canada Council for the Arts  
.. .2010  
Filmmaker's Assistance Program Grant, National Film  
Board of Canada  
.. .2008  
Artist Production Grant, Canada Council for the Arts,  
Emerging  
.. .2008  
Research & Creation Grant, Conseil des arts et des  
lettres du Quebec

**Public Collections**

DeVos Art Museum, Michigan, MI  
Getty Trust, Los Angeles, CA  
Musée des beaux-arts de Montréal, Canada  
Museum of Contemporary Art of Rome, Italy  
Saatchi Collection, London, UK  
Depart Foundation, Italy  
Blema and Arnold Steinberg Collection, Montréal,  
Canada