

Dana Lixenberg

b. 1964 in Amsterdam (NL)

Lives and works in Amsterdam (NL) and New York, NY (US)

EDUCATION

1984-1986	London College of Printing, London (UK)
1987-1989	Gerrit Rietveld Academy, Amsterdam (NL)

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2027	<i>American Images</i> , C/O Berlin Foundation, Berlin (DE) [forthcoming] <i>American Images</i> , Deutsche Börse Photography Foundation, Frankfurt am Main (DE) [forthcoming] <i>American Images</i> , Fundación MAPFRE, Madrid (SP) [forthcoming]
2026	<i>American Images</i> , Fundación MAPFRE, Barcelona (SP) [forthcoming] <i>American Images</i> , Maison Européenne de la Photographie, Paris (FR)
2025	<i>De Wallen</i> , Stadsarchief, Amsterdam (NL)
2022	<i>Polaroid 54/59/79</i> , Huis Marseille, Amsterdam (NL)
2020	<i>American Images</i> , GRIMM, New York, NY (US) <i>Imperial Courts, video installation</i> , Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam (NL)
2019	<i>Imperial Courts, 1993-2015</i> , Fotohof, Salzburg (AT)
2018	<i>American Images</i> , GRIMM, Amsterdam (NL) <i>Imperial Courts, 1993-2015</i> , Belfast Exposed, Belfast (IE) <i>Imperial Courts, 1993-2015</i> , Mai Mano House, Budapest (HU) <i>Imperial Courts, 1993-2015</i> , Fotobook Festival, Kassel (DE)
2017	<i>Imperial Courts, video Installation</i> , GRIMM, New York,NY (US) <i>Imperial Courts, 1993-2015</i> , GRIMM, Paris Photo, Paris (FR) <i>Imperial Courts, 1993-2015</i> , Centre Photographique, Rouen (FR) <i>Burma Storybook</i> , Kunsthal, Rotterdam (NL)
2015	<i>Imperial Courts, 1993-2015</i> , Huis Marseille, Museum for Photography, Amsterdam (NL)

2014	<i>De Burgemeester / The Mayor</i> , VNG, The Hague (NL)
2011	<i>De Burgemeester / The Mayor</i> , Amsterdam Museum, Amsterdam (NL) <i>Set Amsterdam</i> , FOAM, Museum for Photography, Amsterdam (NL)
2008	<i>The Last Days of Shishmaref</i> , Nederlands Fotomuseum, Rotterdam (NL)
2007	<i>Ieder Kind is Speciaal</i> , Museum for Education Rotterdam, Rotterdam (NL)
2005	<i>Homeless USA</i> , De Hallen, Haarlem (NL) Bowie Van Valen Gallery, Amsterdam (NL)
2001	Romain Larivière Gallery, Paris (FR) <i>united states</i> , Kunsthal, Rotterdam (NL)
1999	<i>Portraits at Imperial Courts & Eight Women in Jeffersonville, Indiana</i> , LACPS/ Knowtribe, Los Angeles, CA (US)

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2026	<i>Ben ik mannelijk?</i> , Noord-Brabants Museum, Den Bosch (NL)
2025	<i>Hip Hop Is</i> , Groninger Museum (NL) <i>Get Rich Or Die Tryin’</i> , La Ferme des Tilleuls, Renens (CH) <i>Sharp Tongues, Highlights from the ABN AMRO art collection</i> , Singer Museum, Laren (NL) <i>Memento</i> , Huis Marseille, Amsterdam (NL) Nederlands Fotomuseum: Eregalerij on Tour, Kwaku Festival, Amsterdam (NL) <i>The Eye of Amsterdam</i> , Annet Gelink Gallery, Amsterdam (NL) <i>Walk this Way</i> , Museum Folkwang, Essen (DE)
2023	<i>Tupac Biggie XXX MAQAM</i> , MAQAM (NL) <i>rabo@depot</i> , Depot Boijmans van Beuningen, Rotterdam (NL) <i>NL Imagined</i> , Three Shadows Photography Center, Xiamen (CN) <i>Get Rich or Die Tryin’</i> , curated by Lars Lindemann & Paolo Woods, <i>Cortona On The Move</i> , International Photography Festival, Cortona (IT) <i>NL Imagined</i> , Three Shadows Photography Center, Chengdu Fusun Art Center, Chengdu (CN) <i>(Ex-)Change - Proto: Dana Lixenberg, Richard Hutten and students</i> , Museum de Fundatie, Zwolle (NL) <i>School - In Love, Bored & Overslept</i> , Fotomuseum Den Haag, The Hague (NL)

2022	<i>Deciphering the Artist’s Mind</i> , ABN AMRO Art Space, Amsterdam (NL) <i>NL Imagined</i> , Three Shadows Photography Center, Beijing (CN) <i>NL Imagined</i> , Shanghai Center of Photography, Shanghai (CN) <i>BOUT IT #3</i> , OSCAM, Amsterdam (NL) <i>COAL + ICE</i> , Asia Society, The REACH, at the Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, Washington, DC (US)
2021	<i>Artist Portraits</i> , Museum of Photography, The Hague (NL) <i>Condition Humaine</i> , GRIMM, New York, NY (US) <i>Eleven Women, and More...</i> , ABN AMRO Art Space, Amsterdam (NL) <i>Haarlem Heroes: Other Masters</i> , Frans Hals Museum, Haarlem (NL) <i>Inaugural exhibition</i> , GRIMM, New York, NY (US) <i>Not standing still: new approaches in documentary photography</i> , Monash Gallery of Art (AU) <i>Gallery of Honour of Dutch Photography</i> , Nederlands Fotomuseum, Rotterdam (NL)
2020	<i>The City & The City & The City</i> , curated by Tom Morton, Frestonian Gallery, London (UK) <i>Pictures from another wall, The collection of Huis Marseille at De Pont</i> , Museum De Pont, Tilburg (NL)
2019	<i>The Hoodie</i> , Het Nieuwe Instituut, Rotterdam (NL) <i>POSED</i> , Danziger Gallery, New York, NY (US) <i>No you won’t be naming no buildings after me</i> , TENT, Rotterdam (NL) <i>Chapter 1NE</i> , Het HEM, Zaandam (NL) <i>Street Dreams. How HipHop took over Fashion</i> , Kunsthal, Rotterdam (NL) <i>Changing Views – 20 Years of Art Collection</i> Deutsche Börse, FOAM, Museum for Photography, Amsterdam (NL)
2018	<i>In-house exhibition</i> , curated by Jorg Grimm, Manifesta, Amsterdam (NL) <i>Gerrit turns 50, Willem only 28</i> , Gerrit Rietveld Academie, Amsterdam (NL) <i>Hella en Freek de Jonge: Het Volle Leven</i> , Groninger Museum, Groningen (NL)
2017	<i>9th International Photography Festival Organ Vida NEW CITIZENS</i> , Museum of Contemporary Arts, Zagreb (HR)

	<i>Deutsche Börse Photography Foundation Prize</i> , Aperture, New York, NY (US) <i>Deutsche Börse Photography Foundation Prize</i> , MMK Museum für Moderne Kunst, Frankfurt am Main (DE) <i>Deutsche Börse Photography Foundation Prize</i> , The Photographers Gallery, London (UK)
2016	<i>Imperial Courts 1993-2015</i> , Busan Biennale, Busan (KR)
2015	<i>The 2015 Paris Photo-Aperture Foundation PhotoBook Awards</i> , Aperture Foundation, New York, NY (US)
2014	<i>The Rush and Calm</i> , Moments in the City, Museum of Photography, The Hague (NL) <i>Kate Moss: The Icon</i> , Hiltawsky Gallery, Berlin (DE)
2013	<i>BLOG RE-BLOG</i> , SIGNAL, New York, NY (US) <i>Karel’s Choice- Looking back at contemporary art</i> , De Hallen, Haarlem (NL)
2011	<i>Global Photography – True Stories from 20 contemporary photographers</i> , Centro Officine Fotografiche, Rome (IT) <i>Temporary Stedelijk 2</i> , Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam (NL)
2010	<i>(Some) True Stories</i> , Mi Camera, Milan (IT) <i>Global Photography; True Stories</i> , Si Fest, Savignano (IT) <i>Digital? Analogue!</i> , Huis Marseille, Museum for Photography, Amsterdam (NL) <i>Grandioze Protestverkoop</i> , Nieuw Dakota, Amsterdam (NL)
2009	<i>Rietveld Arsenale</i> , Venice Arsenale, Venice (IT) <i>Gone with the Wind</i> , Zuiderzee Museum, Enkhuizen (NL)
2005	<i>A View of Women</i> , De Hallen, Haarlem (NL) <i>The Children’s hour</i> , Museum of New Art (MoNA), Pontiac, MI (US)
2004	<i>I Amsterdam</i> , FOAM, Museum for Photography, Amsterdam (NL)
2002	<i>Fotografen in Nederland 1852-2002</i> , Museum of Photography, The Hague (NL) Percy Miller Gallery, London (UK)
1999	<i>Mode Model</i> , Howard Greenberg Gallery, Tokyo (JP)
1997	<i>The Subject Seen</i> , Knowtribe, New York, NY (US)

SELECTED COLLECTIONS

ABN Amro Art Collection, Amsterdam (NL)
AkzoNobel Art Foundation, Amsterdam (NL)
Deutsche Börse Photography Foundation, Frankfurt
am Main (DE)
THE EKARD COLLECTION
FNAC, Paris (FR)
Huis Marseille, Amsterdam (NL)
Kunstmuseum, The Hague (NL)
Lisser Art Museum, Lisse (NL)
Museum Folkwang, Essen (DE)
Museum de Fundatie, Zwolle (NL)
Museum Voorlinden, Wassenaar (NL)
De Nederlandsche Bank, Amsterdam (NL)
Nederlands Fotomuseum, Rotterdam (NL)
Rabo Art Collection (NL)
Rijksmuseum, Amsterdam (NL)
Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam (NL)

AWARDS

2021 Royal Photography Society Award,
Honorary Fellowship (UK)
2018 Best Dutch Book Design (*Tupac Biggie*)
2017 Deutsche Börse Photography Foundation
Prize (*Imperial Courts, 1993-2015*)
Dutch Photobook Prize (*Imperial Courts,
1993-2015*)
2008 Best Dutch Book Design (*The Last Days of
Shishmaref*)
2005 Best Dutch Book Design (*Jeffersonville,
Indiana*)

PUBLICATIONS

2026 *American Images*, Roma Publications,
Amsterdam (NL)
2025 *De Wallen*, Roma Publications, Amsterdam
(NL)
2022 *Polaroid 54/59/79*, Roma Publications,
Amsterdam (NL)
2018 *Tupac Biggie*, Roma Publications x Patta,
Amsterdam (NL)
Imperial Courts, 2008-2009, Portra NC
160, Photopaper 29/30, Kasseler
Fotografie Festival, Kassel (DE)
2015 *Imperial Courts, 1993-2015*, Roma
Publications, Amsterdam (NL)
2011 *De Burgemeester / The Mayor*, Nederlands
Genootschap van Burgemeesters, The
Hague (NL)
Set Amsterdam, Roma Publications,
Amsterdam (NL)
2008 *The Last Days of Shishmaref*, Post
Editions & Paradox, Rotterdam (NL)
2007 *Ieder Kind is Speciaal*, National
Museum of Education, Rotterdam (NL)
2005 *Jeffersonville, Indiana*, Artimo Foundation,
Amsterdam (NL)
2003 *An Anthologie, Photographers in the
Netherlands 1852-2002*, Museum of
Photography, The Hague (NL)
2001 *Offstage*, Het Nationaal Ballet, Amsterdam (NL)
2001 *united states*, Artimo Foundation,
Amsterdam (NL)
1999 *Portraits at Imperial Courts & Eight
Women in Jeffersonville, Indiana*, LACPS/
Knowtribe, Los Angeles, CA (US)



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