

DENISE PARSONS  
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EDUCATION

<b>San Francisco Art Institute</b>	San Francisco, CA
2007	Master of Fine Arts
2005	Post-Baccalaureate
<b>Arizona State University</b>	Tempe, AZ
1990	Bachelor of Science in Psychology

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2007		
The Candy Store – <b>Trouble in Candy Land</b>	San Francisco, CA	
Studio 1313 - <b>Are You on Grass?</b>	San Francisco, CA	
2006		
STILLIGHTS Gallery – <b>Security Project</b> Fall (November)	San Francisco, CA	
STILLIGHTS Gallery - <b>Home Wrecker</b> Fall (September)	San Francisco, CA	
Diego Rivera Gallery - <b>I Want to Feel Clean</b> (Spring)	San Francisco, CA	
2005		
STILLIGHTS Gallery – <b>Untitled</b> (Fall)	San Francisco, CA	
STILLIGHTS Gallery - <b>Who is Dulcinea</b> (Spring)	San Francisco, CA	

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2009		
wall space <b>Collectible Capitol Hill</b>	Seattle, WA	
2008		
wall space <b>Collectible</b>	Seattle, WA	
City Space <b>Wish You Were Here</b>	San Francisco, CA	
2007		
San Francisco Art Institute <b>MFA Graduate Exhibition</b>	San Francisco, CA	
Equal Access <b>The Diversity Project</b>	San Francisco, CA	
Red Ink Studios <b>SFAI NOW</b>	San Francisco, CA	
Swell Gallery <b>Widget Exhibition</b>	San Francisco, CA	
wall space <b>New Directions</b>	Seattle, WA	
	<i>Curated by Michael Foley of Foley Gallery - New York, NY</i>	
2006		
Diego Rivera Gallery Fall (November)	San Francisco, CA	
Diego Rivera Gallery Fall (September)	San Francisco, CA	
Root Division <b>New Growth</b>	San Francisco, CA	
2005		
Live Worms <b>Social Fabric</b>	San Francisco, CA	
Walter and McBean Galleries (Fall)	San Francisco, CA	
Digital Imaging Gallery	San Francisco, CA	
Photo San Francisco 2005	San Francisco, CA	
Walter and McBean Galleries (Spring)	San Francisco, CA	
San Francisco Art Institute <b>Spring Show</b>	San Francisco, CA	
2004		
Swell Gallery	San Francisco, CA	
Fort Mason <b>Summer Painting Exhibition</b>	San Francisco, CA	
ArtSpan <b>Open Studios</b>	San Francisco, CA	

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GROUP EXHIBITIONS *continued*

2003

The LAB **Post-Postcard 7**

San Francisco, CA

2002

Still Lights Gallery

San Francisco, CA

Southern Exposure **Post-Postcard 6**

San Francisco, CA

BIBLIOGRAPHY

**The Independent** *London, England*

March 29, 2007 (print edition) article in the Arts section *Build Your Dream Collection*, by Alice Jones includes images from appropriated-object sculptures *Preservation, 2006* and *Freedom, 2006*

**The New York Times** *New York, NY*

December 18, 2006 top story (print and online) in the Art & Design section *I Like Ur Art: Saatchi Creates an Online Hangout for Artists*, by Carol Vogel featuring 2 large color Denise Parsons images from appropriated-object sculptures *I Don't Want Them, 2006* & *Freedom, 2006*

**her circle ezine** *New York, NY*

Profile - Spring|Summer, Vol I, No III, 2006 featuring 10 color images from several series made during 2005 and 2006

PROFESSIONAL

**Headlands Center for the Arts / San Francisco Art Institute** *Sausalito, CA*

First-round nominee for the San Francisco Art Institute Headlands Graduate Studio Award (recommendation by chairs, in consultation with department faculty)

**San Francisco Art Institute** *San Francisco, CA*

Teaching Assistant for Henry Wessel in his Senior Review Seminar 2007

**STILLIGHTS Gallery** *San Francisco, CA*

STILLIGHTS Gallery Manager 2005

**LUMAS Editions Gallery** *Berlin, Germany*

Special Projects 2005

COMMUNITY

**The League of Young Voters** Picture Progress 2007 *San Francisco, CA*

Donation for the 3<sup>rd</sup> annual auction

*Proceeds from the auction will support working with young people who have been shut out of the political process. The League of Young Voters strives to make politics and voting fun, engaging, relevant, and meaningful.*

**Root Division** A Community Arts and Education Organization *San Francisco, CA*

Volunteer Art History/Studio Teacher 2006

**SF Camerawork** *San Francisco, CA*

Volunteer 2003-2004

**Photo Alliance** *San Francisco, CA*

Volunteer 2003-2004