

# RACHEL TONTHAT

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interdisciplinary artist; fiction, essay, and art writer

## EDUCATION

- 2022 MA FINE ART, Zurich University of the Arts, *Zurich, Switzerland*
- 2013 BFA ILLUSTRATION, Parsons School of Design, *New York, NY*
- 2013 BA LITERARY STUDIES, Eugene Lang College, *New York, NY*

## SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 *Die Alp an sich* (duo), Stiftung Sargans, *Sargans*
- 2025 *Cyberframes*, Boston CyberArts, *Boston*
- 2025 *Impressions, Connections, and Neighbors*, Fenway Gallery, *Boston*
- 2024 *Jukebox of Dissonance*, UAAD, *New York + Virtual*
- 2024 *New Kammer*, Atelier Righini Fries, *Zurich*
- 2024 *Return Passage*, Acentric Space, *Shanghai*
- 2024 *Box of Delights* (duo), Chashama, *New York*
- 2023 *AI/AI*, The Wrong Biennale, *Virtual*
- 2023 *Schatten*, Wantalon, Zeitz, *Germany + Virtual*
- 2023 *Slow Circuit*, Parat, *Zurich*
- 2023 *A Way Through Doors* (solo), Anatolia, *Hanoi*
- 2022 *Unbewn* (solo), Offspace Fluelastrasse, *Zurich*,
- 2022 *Desired Lines: MA Degree Show*, Toni-Areal, *Zurich*
- 2022 *last words from the periphery II*, The Off Space, *Zurich*
- 2022 *In the Other Room*, Sonnenstube, *Lugano*
- 2022 *The Final Sea*, Material, *Zurich*
- 2021 *The Library of Alexandria...*, Rindermarkt 23, *Zurich*
- 2019 *live.make.mini*, Qua Artspace, *Hanoi*

## GRANTS + AWARDS

- 2025 Collective Futures Fund, New Projects
- 2025 Salem Public Art Commission Mini Grant
- 2025 Mass Cultural Council Grants for Creative Individuals
- 2025 NEFA Collective Imagination for Spatial Justice

- 2024 Sudkultur Fonds
- 2024 Canton St. Gallen Werkbeiträge
- 2023 Massachusetts' AAPI Commision Small Grants Fund
- 2022 - 2023 What's Next Compass Studio Mentorship Program
- 2022 DVAN She Who Has No Masters Writing Mentorship
- 2022 ZHDK-AVINA International Project Fund Grant

## RESIDENCIES

- 2025 AirHue, *Hue*
- 2025 Creative Play, *Hoi An*
- 2025 Sao La at Cu Ru, *Dalat*
- 2024 Acentric Space, *Shanghai*
- 2023 live.make.share, *Hanoi*
- 2023 Wassaic Project, *Wassaic*
- 2022 She Who Has No Masters Writing Retreat, *Baltimore*
- 2019 A. Farm, *Ho Chi Minh City*

## READINGS

- 2023 SWHNM Mentorship Reading, The Poetry Project, *Virtual*
- 2022 Storytelling and Catastrophe: Discussion and Reading, Printed Matter, *NY, NY*
- 2022 Six Endings and Some Beginnings Reading, Artbook @ MoMA PS1, *Queens, NY*

## MISC .

- Co-founder of Oreades Press
- Member of the International Association of Art Critics, USA since 2025
- Former curator of Egg ZHdK, Zurich
- Co-President of North Shore AAPI Coalition
- Vice-Chair of the Salem City Seal Task Force