

Lives/Works: Chicago, Illinois

## Gallery Representation

Catherine Edelman Gallery, Chicago, Illinois

La Galerie Rouge, Paris, France

## Education

2012 Master of Fine Arts in Photography, Columbia College Chicago, Chicago, IL

2008 Bachelor of Science in Photography, University of Central Florida, Daytona Beach, FL

2006 Associate of Science in Photographic Technology, Daytona State College, Daytona Beach, FL

## Solo Exhibitions

2022 *Clarissa Bonet: Chasing Light*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, Chicago, IL

2019 *Urban Constructs*, Southeast Museum of Photography, Daytona Beach, FL

2019 *City Space*, SFO Museum, San Francisco, CA

2019 *City Space*, University Club Chicago, Chicago, IL

2017 *Urban Constructs*, Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, IL

2016 *City Space + Stray Light*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, Chicago, IL

2014 *City Space*, Workspace Gallery, Lincoln, NE

2012 *City Space*, Perspective Gallery, Evanston, IL

2012 *City Space*, Calumet Gallery, Chicago, IL

## Selected Group Exhibitions

2022 *Made in Chicago*, La Galerie Rouge, Paris, France

*The Outwin 2022: American Portraiture Today*, The Smithsonian's National Portrait Gallery, Washington, DC

*Expo Chicago*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, Chicago, IL

*Beyond the Frame*, Museum of Contemporary Photography, Chicago, IL

Hasselblad Heroine Exhibition, PhotoSCHWEIZ, Zürich, Switzerland

2021 *Gallery Artists 2.0*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, Chicago, IL

*Study Hall: All We Carry*, Pratt College of Art and Design, Utica, NY

2020 *What Does Democracy Look Like?*, Museum of Contemporary Photography, Chicago, IL

*"Photography & \_\_\_\_\_," an Multiple Artist Collaborative Exhibition*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, Chicago, IL

2019 *The City (And a Few Lonely People)*, Clamp Art, NYC

*AINT-BAD: COLLABORATIONS*, Laney Contemporary Fine Art, GA

*Expo Chicago*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, Chicago, IL

2018 *New Midwest Photography*, James Watrous Gallery, Madison, WI

*Photo London*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, London, UK

*AIPAD The Photography Show*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, New York, NY

2017 *Palm Beach Modern and Contemporary*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, Palm Beach, FL

*New Bauhaus Chicago: Experiment Photography*, Bauhaus Archive Museum, Berlin, Germany

*Art Miami*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, Miami, FL

*re:collection*, Museum of Contemporary Photography, Chicago, IL

*Expo Chicago*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, Chicago, IL

*Gallery Artist 2017*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, Chicago, IL

- 2016 *AIPAD The Photography Show*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, New York, NY  
*City Beautiful*, Gaylord and Dorothy Donnelley Foundation, Chicago, IL  
*Expo Chicago*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, Chicago, IL  
*Beneath Metropolis*, Blue Star Contemporary Art Museum, San Antonio, TX
- 2015 *PDN's 30, Photoville, New York, NY*  
*Ballarat International Foto Biennale*, Ballarat, Australia  
*PDN's 30*, Annenberg Space for Photography in Los Angeles, CA
- 2014 *Summer Open*, Aperture Foundation, New York, NY  
*Flash Forward*, Magenta Foundation, Flash Forward Festival, Boston, MA  
*Der Greif, A Process – The Exhibition*, Augsburg, Germany
- 2013 *Chicago Style*, David Weinberg Gallery, Chicago, IL  
*Flash Forward*, Magenta Foundation, Photofusion London, UK  
*Flash Forward*, Neubacher Shor Contemporary, Toronto, CA  
*Chicago Project V*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, Chicago, IL  
*Never a lovely so real*, Chicago Loop Alliance, Chicago, IL  
*Philadelphia Photo Arts Contemporary Photography Exhibition*, Philadelphia, PA  
*City Space*, Clarissa Bonet + *Umbra*, Julie Renee Jones, Pictura Gallery, Bloomington, IN  
*Critical Mass 2012 Exhibition*, Jennifer Schwartz Gallery, Atlanta, GA  
*Critical Mass 2012 Exhibition*, Southeast Museum of Photography, Daytona, FL  
*Archetype Drift*, Johalla Project, Chicago, IL  
*6th International Open*, Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2012 *Light*, David Weinberg Gallery, Chicago, IL  
*Kibind en Grand*, Paris, France  
*Slideluck Potshow*, Tel Aviv-Jaffa, Israel  
*The Curator, PDN Search for Outstanding and Undiscovered Fine Art Photography*, Pier 3 at Brooklyn Bridge Park, New York, NY  
*2012 Albert P. Weisman Award Exhibition*, The Arcade Gallery, Chicago, IL  
*Lens 2012*, Perspective Gallery, Evanston, IL  
*Portraits*, The Center for Fine Art Photography, Fort Collins, CO
- 2011 *2011 Albert P. Weisman Award Exhibition*, The Arcade Gallery, Chicago, Chicago, IL  
*Pingyao International Photo Festival*, Pingyao, China  
*Departures*, The Southeast Museum of Photography exhibition space at the Lyonia Environmental Center, Deltona, FL
- 2008 *Departures*, Southeast Museum of Photography, Daytona Beach, FL

**Collections**

Columbia College Chicago  
JPMorgan Chase & Co. Collection  
Museum of Contemporary Photography  
Museum of Fine Arts Houston  
Southeast Museum of Photography  
The Haggerty Museum  
Twitter  
University Club Chicago  
University of Michigan Museum of Art

**Grants/Awards/Residencies**

- 2022 Artist Fellowship Finalist Award, Illinois Arts Council  
Individual Artists Grant, Illinois Arts Council  
Shortlist, Belfast Photo Festival, UK
- 2021 Finalist in The Outwin 2022: American Portraiture Today portrait competition, The Smithsonian's National Portrait Gallery, Washington, DC  
Shortlist, Belfast Photo Festival, UK
- 2020 Individual Artists Grant, DCASE
- 2020 Individual Artists Grant, Illinois Arts Council
- 2020 Hasselblad Heroine
- 2019 Hasselblad XYou Grand Prize Winner
- 2018 Chicago Individual Artists Grant, DCASE
- 2017 Chicago Individual Artists Grant, DCASE
- 2016 Latitude Chicago, Artist in Residence, January
- 2015 PDN's 30 New and Emerging Photographers to Watch
- 2014 Chicago Individual Artists Grant, DCASE
- 2013 Short List, The Cord prize, Juror Charlotte Cotton and Diana Edkins
- 2013 Flash Forward Emerging Photographers, Magenta Foundation
- 2012 Critical Mass Top 50
- 2012 The Curator, PDN Search for outstanding and undiscovered fine art photography, New York, NY
- 2012 Jurors Choice Award and Members Choice Award, Lens 2012, Perspective Gallery, Evanston, IL
- 2012 Albert P. Weisman Award, Columbia College Chicago
- 2011 Albert P. Weisman Award, Columbia College Chicago
- 2009 Follett Fellowship, Graduate Student Scholarship, Columbia College Chicago
- 2008 Portfolio Award, Southeast Museum of Photography

**Artist Lectures, Visiting Artist Talks, and Residency Talks**

- 2021 B&H Podcast: Light Hunters – Art About the Street, with Clarissa Bonet and Nina Kling
- 2020 Virtual Artist Talk, Hasselblad: Medium Format Meetup  
Virtual Studio Visit, Museum of Contemporary Photography
- 2019 Artist Lecture, Southeast Museum of Photography, Daytona Beach, FL  
Visiting Artist Talk, Woodland Academy, Chicago, IL
- 2018 Everyday I'm Hustlin': Artists Talk about Money, 2018 Society for Photographic Education Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA  
Visiting Artist Talk, Perspective Gallery, Evanston, IL
- 2017 Artist Talk, Society for Photographic Education Midwest Conference, Peoria, IL  
Artist Lecture, University of North Texas, Dallas, TX  
Professionalizing the Artist, Filter Photo Festival, Chicago, IL  
4 x 5: The Stories Behind the Frames, SoHo House, Chicago, IL
- 2016 Artist in Residence, Latitude, Chicago, IL
- 2015 Artist Lecture, University of Dayton, Dayton, OH
- 2014 Artist Talk, The Pitch Project, Milwaukee, WI

- Artist Talk, Metropolitan Community College, Omaha, NE  
2013 Artist Lecture, University of Central Florida, Daytona Beach, FL  
Artist Lecture, Daytona State College, Daytona Beach, FL

**Select Publications:**

- 2021 Interview with Clarissa Bonet, Medium Format Magazine, March  
2020 These Photographs Of Urban Constellations Might Really Make You Think, BuzzFeed, December  
Separate But Together: Clarissa Bonet and Natalie Krick on Collaboration, Create Magazine, August  
“Creative Quarantine: Artist Clarissa Bonet,” Esthetic Lens Magazine, August 3  
2019 “Weekend Portfolio: Clarissa Bonet,” Musée Magazine, July 19  
“Seven Photographers Who Are Rewriting Street Photography’s Rigid Rules,” Vice  
2018 VOSTOK Issue 10  
“Visible darkness: the shadowed streets of Chicago—in pictures,” The Guardian  
“Five Contemporary Finds at AIPAD 2018,” Don’t Take Pictures  
2017 “The Visionaries Behind the Memorable Worlds of Film,” New York Times Style Magazine  
“Patterns of a City,” Harper’s Bazaar Korea  
Popular Photography  
“A New Poem for Chicago,” Chicago Magazine  
“In Praise of Walking (and Witty Women),” Chicago Magazine  
2016 “Banana Split: 50 Artists to Go Bananas Volume 1,” The Arts Factory Magazine  
2015 “PDN’s 30 2015 – Clarissa Bonet,” Photo District News  
“Clarissa Bonet: Photographing The City, This Great Unknown,” Eye of Photography  
“Clarissa Bonet – City Space and Dark City,” Fish Eye Magazine  
“Photos: City Lights Emulate Starry Skies in ‘Stray Light’,” The Wall Street Journal  
2014 “Review: Chicago Style/David Weinberg Photography,” New City Art  
“Photographs of the mysterious side of urban life,” Art Discover 2013  
“Anonymous in the windy city,” CNN Photos  
“Clarissa Bonet,” Aint-Bad Magazine  
“Ruins of people’s lives,” New Statesman magazine  
“Clarissa Bonet,” Emerging Photographer  
“Clarissa Bonet investigates the city’s space,” Lintroller  
“Ten questions with Clarissa Bonet,” Hungry Ghost Collective  
“The Chicago Project V - Clarissa Bonet,” Cyclops Blog  
“The heavens turn on with a flip of a switch,” Feature Shoot  
“Clarissa Bonet’s Somber Reconstructions of the Urban Landscape,” Beautiful Decay  
“City Space: Personal Expression with Contrast, Light and Shadow,” Lomography  
“Stadtraum von Clarissa Bonet,” Photogtist  
2012 “Cinematic photographs of the urban space,” Feature Shoot Photo District News Magazine (PDN)  
“Rituals,” Earnest and Algernon, Issue 4  
“Clarissa Bonet,” Das Magazine, Issue 33  
“Clarissa Bonet,” Kibind, Issue 42  
“Clarissa Bonet: The visual artists behind the camera,” Sixty Inches From Center “Clarissa Bonet,” Lenscratch