

OREKA JAMES

Lives and works in Toronto, ON

EDUCATION

2016 BFA, Ontario College of Art and Design University, Toronto, ON

AWARDS & RESIDENCIES

2017 Artist in Residence, Emilia-Amalia, Art Gallery of Ontario, Toronto, ON

2016 Artist In Residence, Work In Progress, Northern Contemporary, Toronto, ON
Drawing & Painting Medal Winner
Mercedes Benz Financial Services Award

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2017 *Freud's Mouth*, Cooper Cole, Toronto, ON
Surface Tension, Katzman Contemporary, Toronto, ON

2016 *Night Glow Fabric*, Will's Gallery, Toronto, ON
OH SO T.O. YTB Gala, Katzman Contemporary, Toronto, ON
Work In Progress, Northern Contemporary, Toronto, ON
Future 33, YTB Gallery, Toronto, ON
Grad Ex, OCAD University, Toronto, ON

2015 *The Elastic Effect*, Toronto, ON

2014 *Final Show*, The Hoxton, Toronto, ON

SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY

2016 Otchere, Shantal. *New arts collective carves out space for Toronto's young Black artists*, NOW Magazine, 7 Dec. Online

TALKS & PANEL DISCUSSIONS

2017 *The (UN)Othered Body*, Mediated by Jessica Karuhanga, OCAD University, Toronto, ON

PUBLIC PERFORMANCES

2017 *The Public*, Y+ Contemporary, Toronto, ON
One of the Boys, First Thursdays, Art Gallery of Ontario, Toronto, ON

COLLECTIONS

Private collections held in Toronto, ON