



JESS T. DUGAN

Born Biloxi, MS 1986

Education

2014 Master of Fine Arts in Photography, Columbia College Chicago
2010 Master of Liberal Arts in Museum Studies, Harvard University
2007 Bachelor of Fine Arts in Photography, Massachusetts College of Art and Design
Graduated with Distinction and Departmental Honors

Grants/Awards

2019 National Portrait Gallery Outwin Boochever Portrait Competition Finalist
International Center of Photography Emerging Photographer Infinity Award

2018 Women Photograph + Nikon Grant

2017 Collection Award for Women Documentarians
INFocus Sidney Zuber Photography Award, Honorable Mention

2016 Commended Artist, Outwin 2016: American Portraiture Today
Artist Fellowship, Regional Arts Commission
Artist Support Grant, Regional Arts Commission
Dorothea Lange-Paul Taylor Prize, Finalist

2015 Pollock-Krasner Foundation Grant
White House Champion of Change: LGBT Artists
Dorothea Lange-Paul Taylor Prize, Finalist
Magenta Foundation's Flash Forward
LensCulture Portrait Awards, Finalist

2014 Photo Review Competition Award

2013 Magenta Foundation's Flash Forward 2013
Photo Review Competition
Rosenblum Award, Columbia College Chicago, IL
Union League Civic and Arts Foundation, Finalist
Albert P. Weisman Project Completion Grant, Columbia College Chicago, IL

2012 Juror's Pick, Daylight Photo Awards.
Stuart and Iris Baum Project Completion Grant, Columbia College Chicago, IL
Juror's Choice Award, "Voyeurism and Intimacy: The public/private divide in photography," RayKo Photo Center. San Francisco, CA.

2011 Follett Graduate Merit Award, Columbia College Chicago, IL
Honorable Mention, Magenta Foundation's Flash Forward 2011

2010 Finalist, Critical Mass

- 2009 People's Choice Awards for "Photography" and "Best reflection of our local community," the 2008 Boston Art Awards, The New England Journal of Aesthetic Research and Big, Red, & Shiny
- 2008 Honorable Mention, Texas Photographic Society 17: The National Competition
- 2007 Academic Achievement Award, Massachusetts College of Art and Design
- 2006 Honorable Mention, Photography Now
Photo Review Competition Exhibition Award
Raimondi Foundation Photography Advancement Grant
Society for Photographic Education Travel Award
- 2005 Best Nontraditional Nude, "Nudes," Atlantic Works Gallery. Boston, MA
Anne Carroll Memorial Scholarship (2003-2007)

Select Permanent Collections

Addison Gallery of American Art, Andover, MA
Allen Memorial Art Museum at Oberlin College, Oberlin, OH
Birmingham Museum of Art, Birmingham, AL
Block Museum of Art at Northwestern University, Chicago, IL
Cantor Arts Center at Stanford University, Stanford, CT
Cornell Fine Arts Museum, Rollins College, Winter Park, FL
David M. Rubenstein Rare Book & Manuscript Library at Duke University, Durham, NC
Davis Museum of Wellesley College, Wellesley, MA
DePaul Art Museum, Chicago, IL
Fidelity Investments, Boston, MA
Frances Young Tang Teaching Museum and Art Gallery at Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, NY
Fred and Laura Ruth Bidwell Collection, Cleveland, OH
Grand Rapids Art Museum, Grand Rapids, MI
Gregory Allicar Museum of Art, Fort Collins, CO
Harvard Art Museum and Fine Arts Library, Cambridge, MA
International Center of Photography, New York, NY
Iris & B. Gerald Cantor Center for Visual Arts at Stanford University, Stanford, CA
Joan Flasch Artists' Book Collection, Chicago, IL
JPMorgan Chase Art Collection, New York, NY
Kinsey Institute for Research in Sex, Gender, and Reproduction, Bloomington, IN
Library of Congress, Prints and Photographs Division, Washington, D.C.
Light Work Collection at Syracuse University in Syracuse, NY
Leslie/Lohman Museum of Gay and Lesbian Art, New York, NY
Michelle and Donald D'Amour Museum of Fine Arts, Springfield, MA
Minneapolis Institute of Art, Minneapolis, MN
MIT List Visual Art Center, Cambridge, MA
Morton R. Godine Library, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA
Museum of Contemporary Photography, Chicago, IL
Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA
Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX
Museum of Photographic Arts, San Diego, CA

National Portrait Gallery, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, DC
Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art, Kansas City, MO
Photographic Resource Center, Cambridge, MA
RISD Museum of Art, Providence, RI
Smith College Museum of Art, Northampton, MA
St. Louis Art Museum, St. Louis, MO
William Morris Hunt Memorial Library, Boston, MA
University of New Mexico Art Museum, Albuquerque, NM

Selected Solo Exhibitions

2021 "To Survive on This Shore," Photo Center Northwest, Seattle, WA
2020 "Visions 2020: Jess T. Dugan," Minneapolis Institute of Art, MN
"Every Breath We Drew," University of Dayton, Dayton, OH
"Every Breath We Drew," Truman State University, Kirksville, MO
2019 "Every Breath We Drew," Grunwald Gallery of Art, Indiana University
"To Survive on This Shore," Provincetown Art Association and Museum
"To Survive on This Shore," David M. Rubenstein Rare Book & Manuscript
Library Photography Gallery, Duke University
"To Survive on This Shore," Gregory Allicar Museum of Art at Colorado State
University
"To Survive on This Shore," Patricia and Phillip Frost Art Museum at Florida
International University
"To Survive on This Shore," University of New Mexico Art Museum.
Albuquerque, NM.
"To Survive on This Shore," Provincetown Art Association and Museum
2018 "To Survive on This Shore, Photographs and Interviews with Transgender and
Gender Nonconforming Older Adults," projects+gallery, St. Louis, MO
"Every Breath We Drew," Transformer Station, Cleveland, OH
"Every Breath We Drew," Alexandre Hogue Gallery, University of Tulsa,
Tulsa, OK
2017 "To Survive on This Shore," The Center on Halsted/The Museum of
Contemporary Photography, Chicago, IL
"Every Breath We Drew" and "Letter to my Father," Gallery 210, University of
Missouri St. Louis, St. Louis, MO
"Every Breath We Drew," RedLine Contemporary Arts Center. Denver, CO
2015 "Every Breath We Drew," Cornell Fine Art Museum at Rollins College,
Winter Park, FL
"Every Breath We Drew," Daylight Books. Hillsborough, NC
"Transcendence," Grey House Gallery. Krakow, Poland
2014 "Every breath we drew," Gallery Kayafas, Boston, MA
"Transcendence," Western Washington University, Bellingham, WA
2013 "Transcendence," University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL
"Transcendence," Elon University, Elon, NC
"By any other name," Joan Flasch Artists' Book Collection, School of the Art
Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL
"Every breath we drew," JDC Fine Art, San Diego, CA

- 2012 "Every breath we drew," Schneider Gallery, Chicago, IL
"Transcendence," Griffin Museum of Photography, Winchester, MA
- 2011 "New work," Gallery Kayafas, Boston, MA
- 2010 "Coupled," Gallery Kayafas, Boston, MA
"Transcendence," Simmons College. Boston, MA
- 2009 "Transcendence," 303 Gallery, New England Institute of Art, Boston, MA
- 2008 "Rectitude," Gallery Kayafas, Boston, MA
- 2006 "Transcendence," Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2021 "Kinship," National Portrait Gallery, Smithsonian Institute, Washington, D.C.
"The Outwin 2019: American Portraiture Today," Alaska State Museum Juneau, Juneau, AK
"The Outwin 2019: American Portraiture Today," Mildred Lane Kemper Art Museum, Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, MO
- 2020 "What Does Democracy Look Like?" Museum of Contemporary Photography, Chicago, IL
"Never Done: 100 Years of Women in Politics and Beyond," The Frances Young Tang Teaching Museum and Art Gallery at Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, NY
"Keeper of the Hearth," Houston Center for Photography, TX
"Rudiin Prize" exhibition, Norton Museum of Art, West Palm Beach, FL
"Personal Space: Self-Portraits on Paper," Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA
"Thinking About History," The Block Museum of Art at Northwestern University, Evanston, IL
- 2019 "The Outwin 2019: American Portraiture Today," National Portrait Gallery, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C.
"Touching History: Stonewall 50," Palm Springs Art Museum, Palm Springs, CA
"A History of Photography: Selections from the Museum's Collection," The Museum of Fine Arts, Houston
- 2018 "New Midwest Photography," Flak Photo Projects and James Watrous Gallery, Overture Center for the Arts, Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts & Letters, Madison, WI
"They're, Their, There," The Frances Young Tang Teaching Museum and Art Gallery at Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, NY
"Outwin 2016: American Portraiture Today," Ackland Museum of Art, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC
"Seeing Other People," projects+gallery. St. Louis, MO
"Outwin 2016: American Portraiture Today," Artis—Naples, The Baker Museum, Naples, FL
- 2017 "(un)expected families," Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, Boston, MA
"Disruptive Perspectives," Museum of Contemporary Photography, Chicago, IL
"Disruptive Perspectives," Photoforum Pasquart, Biel/Bienne, Switzerland
"Summer Open," Aperture Foundation. New York, NY

- "Magic Mirror," Daniel Cooney Fine Art. New York, NY
- "Outwin 2016: American Portraiture Today," Kemper Museum of Contemporary Art. Kansas City, MO
- "Outwin 2016: American Portraiture Today," Art Museum of South Texas. Corpus Christi, TX
- "Outwin 2016: American Portraiture Today," Tacoma Art Museum. Tacoma, WA
- "Please Check a Box: Sex, Gender, Identity, and Privacy," Lawton Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay, Green Bay, WI
- "Collective Experiences," Chiang Mia Photo Festival. Chiang Mai, Thailand
- 2016 "Outwin 2016: American Portraiture Today," National Portrait Gallery, Smithsonian Institution. Washington, D.C.
- "Signal," Smack Mellon, New York, NY
- "You Are a Signal exhibition," Smack Mellon, Brooklyn, NY
- "He, She, They, Ze," Arcade Gallery, Columbia College, Chicago, IL
- "Face It," Slocumb Gallery and Reece Museum, Tennessee State University. Nashville, TN
- "Face It," Dorothy Uber Bryan Gallery, Bowling Green State University, OH
- "The Nature of Masculinity," Freeport Museum of Art. Freeport, IL
- 2015 "Nature/Nurture," Grand Rapids Art Museum. Grand Rapids, MI
- "Gender," Central Michigan University Art Gallery. Mount Pleasant, MI
- "Identify," Catherine Edelman Gallery, Chicago, IL
- "Fraction of a Second," 516 Arts, Albuquerque, NM
- "Identity Check: Works by Contemporary Photographers," University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI
- 2014 "Perceived Values," Art Miami, Miami, FL
- "The Photo Review Competition Exhibition," University of the Arts, Philadelphia, PA
- "The National: Best Contemporary Photography 2014," Fort Wayne Museum of Art, Fort Wayne, IN
- "Family Matters," Northlight Gallery, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ
- "Society for Photographic Education Combined Caucus Exhibition," Gormley Gallery, Notre Dame of Maryland University, Baltimore, MD
- 2013 "Double Portraits," the San Diego Museum of Art, San Diego, CA
- "Pingyao International Photography Festival," Pingyao, China
- "Making Pictures of People: Recent Perspectives on Photographic Portraiture," Flak Photo and Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art, Kansas City, MO
- "Face value: portraits from the Kinsey Institute," The Kinsey Institute, Bloomington, IN
- "Argus: Organic Visual Archive," Johalla Projects, Chicago, IL
- "1st International Combined SPE Caucus Exhibition," Harrington College of Design, Chicago, IL
- Albert P. Weisman Award Exhibition, Columbia College Chicago, Chicago, IL
- "Picturing women," Intercontinental Hotel, Chicago, IL
- 2012 "SnapShot: Photographs from the D'Amour Museum of Fine Arts," Michelle and Donald D'Amour Museum of Fine Arts, Springfield, MA

- "Looking at Ourselves: Portraits featured on Lenscratch," Guate Photo Festival, Guatemala City, Guatemala
- "Current," Childlaw Gallery at the Art Institute of Cincinnati, OH
- "Gender Expressions," The Kinsey Institute for Research in Sex, Gender, and Reproduction, Bloomington, IN
- "Personal Portraits," PhotoPlace Gallery, Middlebury, VT
- "Inside the Outsider," Mason Murer Fine Art, Atlanta, GA
- "S/He Loves Me," Northern Trust, Chicago, IL
- "Ephemeral Ink: Selections of Tattoo Art from the Kinsey Institute Collections," The Kinsey Institute, Bloomington, IN and Marian University, Indianapolis, IN
- "Intra Country: Patriotic Expressions," Gallery Kayafas, Boston, MA
- "Lust," Jennifer Schwartz Gallery, Atlanta, GA
- "Voyeurism and Intimacy: The public/private divide in photography," RayKo Photo Center, San Francisco, CA
- 2011 "Transgressive," two person show, Leslie/Lohman Museum of Gay Art, New York, NY
- "I/Q: Identity Queer," Simmons College, Boston, MA
- "Family Value," Michael Mazzeo Gallery, New York, NY
- "Flourish: Alumni Works on Paper," Bakalar and Paine Galleries, Massachusetts College of Art and Design
- "Summer Party," Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, Boston, MA
- "That's so gay," Bunker Hill Community College, Boston, MA
- "Gender Matters/Matters of Gender," Albright College, Reading, PA
- "Queer Me," The Center. New York, NY
- 2010 "Cut, Healed, Mine: Processing Top Surgery," The Meeting Point, Boston, MA
- "Traversing Gender," McIninch Art Gallery, Southern New Hampshire University, Manchester, NH
- "A New Angle: Portrait Group Show," Schneider Gallery, Chicago, IL
- "Familiar Bodies," Carroll and Sons Gallery, Boston, MA
- "The Second Great LGBT Photo Show," Leslie/Lohman Foundation for Gay Art, New York, NY
- "In Between," Allegheny College Art Gallery, Meadville, PA (Catalogue)
- 2009 "Visibilities: The Art of Negotiating Identity," Birmingham Southern College, Birmingham, AL
- "15th Juried Exhibition, Griffin Museum of Photography," The Griffin Museum, Winchester, MA
- "Identity," Femina Potens Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- "An Evening of Trans Art and Activism," (two person show), Eastworks, Easthampton, MA
- "JustArt," works dealing with social justice and responsibility, Boston College, Boston, MA
- "Off the Wall," Danforth Museum of Art, Framingham, MA
- 2008 "TPS 17: The National Competition," Texas Photographic Society, The Dougherty Art Center, Austin, TX and the Center for Contemporary Art, Abilene, TX. (Catalogue)

- 2007 “ArtCetera,” Boston Center for the Arts, Boston, MA (Catalogue)
“American Summer ’08,” Kingston Gallery, Boston, MA
“Biennial 2007,” New Hampshire Institute of Art, Manchester, NH
“Hijacking the Future: Hugs and Kisses,” School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA.
- 2006 “Center Awards Juried Exhibition,” Center for Photographic Art, Carmel, CA
“Photography Now,” South Shore Art Center, Cohasset, MA
- 2005 “Photo Review Best of Show Exhibition,” Gallery 1401, University of the Arts, Philadelphia, PA
“Nudes,” Atlantic Works Gallery, Boston, MA
“LoveSmall,” ArtSPACE@16, Malden, MA
“A Deeper Shade of Pink,” Godine Gallery, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, MA

Publications

- 2020 Pei-Ru Keh, “A poignant exploration of the lives of transgender and gender non-conforming older people,” *Wallpaper Magazine*. September 22, 2020.
- 2019 Alizeh Sheikh, “‘To Survive on This Shore’ exhibit honors histories of trans and gender non-conforming elders,” *The Chronicle at Duke University*. March 25, 2019.
- Beth Ryan, “Female in Focus: Dugan’s empowering portraits of the ageing transgender community,” *British Journal of Photography*. March 12, 2019.
- Marigold Warner, “ICP Announced Infinity Awards Winners,” *British Journal of Photography*, February 11, 2019.
- Greg Cook, “Photographer Jess T. Dugan: ‘My Interest in Gender and Masculinity Comes From My Own Process of Defining Gender For Myself,’” *Wonderland*, January 30, 2019.
- “Grace: Gender—Race—Identity,” *L’oeil de la Photographie*, January 9, 2019.
- Christine Smith, “Aging Through a Queer Lens,” *The Gerontologist*, 2019, Vol. 59, No. 1.
- 2018 Oscar Holland, “Portraits depict 'struggles and joys' of older transgender people,” *CNN*, August 21, 2018
- Jake Naughton, “A Visual Record of the Joys, Fears and Hopes of Older Transgender People” *New York Times Lens Blog*, August 20, 2018
- Grace Birnstengel, “A Look at the Lives of Trans and Gender Nonconforming Older Adults,” *Next Avenue*, Twin Cities PBS, April 20, 2018
- Nadine Weitlisbach, “Guest-Room,” online exhibition on *Der Greif*, March 2018
- 2017 Lori Waxman, “Photo show takes a broad, accessible view of queerness,” *Chicago Tribune*. December 12, 2017
- Chase Joynt, “Jess T. Dugan,” *Aperture Magazine*, Issue 229, Future Gender, December 4, 2017
- Matt Simonette, “Photographers’ works document LGBT identities,” *Windy City Times*, November 21, 2017

- Rena Silverman, "In Search of the American Family," New York Times Lens Blog, November 20, 2017
- Olivia Deloian, "Artists discuss LGBTQ vulnerability, 'Disruptive Perspectives,'" The Columbia Chronicle. November 20, 2017
- Chloe Coleman, "Questioning the definition of the American family, through 150 years of photography," The Washington Post. November 18, 2017
- Disruptive Perspectives, Museum of Contemporary Photography and Photoforum Pasquart Biel/Bienne.
- Exploring Gender and Identity from Disruptive Perspectives, PDN Photo of the Day. October 12, 2017
- "Jess Dugan explores power of identity, desire, and connection in Every Breath We Drew," UMSL Daily, University of Missouri-St. Louis. September 8, 2017
- Diane Glazman, "What It's Like to Come Out After 50," Vice, August 21, 2017
- Rupert Jenkins, "Review: Tya Anthony and Jess Dugan, updating identity, defining community," One Good Eye. March 28, 2017
- Aline Smithson, "Jess T. Dugan: The States Project Missouri," Lenscratch. January 9, 2017
- 2016 Nancy Fowler, "Regional Arts Commission gives \$200,000 to St. Louis visual, performing, and literary artists," St. Louis Public Radio. December 8, 2016
- Amy Reidel, "Q&A with Jess T. Dugan and Work/Play," All The Art: The Visual Arts Quarterly of St. Louis. Winter 2016/2017
- Jonelle Walker, "Queer is Beautiful in Outwin Exhibition at the National Portrait Gallery," Tagg Magazine. August 2, 2016.
- Randy Shulman, "Spotlight: The Outwin 2016 at the National Portrait Gallery," Metro Weekly. June 9, 2016.
- "Leslie-Lohman Collection Continues to Grow," The Archive: Journal of the Leslie-Lohman Museum of Gay and Lesbian Art. Issue 56, Spring 2016.
- Ricardo Nagaoka, "Jess T. Dugan," Ain't Bad Magazine. April 14, 2016.
- Chris Azzopardi, "How Photographer Jess Dugan is Transforming Minds with Portraits of Transgender Trailblazers," Pridesource. April 4, 2016.
- Claire Davenport, "Breaking down gender norms through art," New Wave, Tulane University. April 1, 2016.
- Carolyn Bradley, "Photography alumna captures subjects' vulnerability," The Columbia Chronicle, March 28, 2016.
- Jane O'Brien, "New faces in the US National Portrait Gallery," BBC News, Washington, March 15, 2016.
- "Multimedia exhibit on transgender and gender-variant adults coming to Mount Vernon," The Baltimore Sun
- "A Conversation with Jess T. Dugan, the artist showing the new face of queer identity," ArtsATL
- "Jess T. Dugan: Every Breath We Drew," aCurator
- 2015 "Jess T. Dugan: Fluid Tales of Intimacy," Musee Magazine
- "Expanding Gender and Making it Roomier for All of Us: Three From Daylight Books," The Huffington Post
- "Jess T. Dugan: Every Breath We Drew," L'Oeil de la Photographie

- "The History of the Trans Community as Told by Its Aging Members," Slate Magazine's Behold: The Photo Blog
- "See Masculinity Reimagined in These Stunning Portraits," BuzzFeed
- "Every breath we drew," monograph, Daylight Books
- "Every breath we drew Photobook Explores Identity, Desire, and Connection," The Huffington Post
- "These 12 Stunning Photos will Change Everything You Think You Know About Masculinity," Cosmopolitan.com
- "Fraction of a Second," exhibition catalogue, Radius Books
- "These touching photos of trans folk over 50 are definitely worth 1,000 words," Everyday Feminism.
- "Using Photography to Explore What it Means to Be Masculine," article by David Rosenberg for Slate Magazine's
- "Photographers take portraits of photographers for 'The Swap'," Feature Shoot.
- "For Some in Transgender Community. It's Never Too Late to Make a Change," article by Jacob Bernstein for The New York Times
- "The dam that bursts: On becoming a woman later in life," by Jorge Rivas, Fusion
- "Transgender Elders Show Us the Meaning of Survival," The Advocate
- "Photo project highlights lives of elderly transgender community," article by Steve Annear, The Boston Globe
- "What being transgender after 50 looks like," article by Jorge Rivas, Fusion.net
- "St. Louisans' Photo Project Brings Older Transgender People Out of the Shadows," St. Louis Public Radio and NPR
- "Transgender Woman Says Change Was Lifesaving, Despite Losing Job, Loved Ones," radio feature by Nancy Fowler, St. Louis Public Radio and NPR.
- "Identity Politics," VASA Journal on Images and Culture
- 2014 "In the moment, connecting and questioning," feature, New York Times Lens
- "Portraits with personality- and still lifes with it, too," review by Mark Feeney, The Boston Globe
- "August Sander: Just Women/Jess T. Dugan: Every breath we drew," review by Edie Bresler, Photograph Magazine
- "Dynamic Duo at Gallery Kayafas," a review of Jess T. Dugan's Every breath we drew and August Sander's Just Women by Elin Spring, What Will You Remember?
- "Transcend preconceived notions of gender," review by Ian Sanquist, The AS Review. Bellingham, WA
- "Exposition Chicago," review by Agathe Cancellieri, L'Oeil de la Photographie.
- "Self Portraits By Others," published by Hunter O'Hanian
- 2013 "Jess Dugan: Every breath we drew," Daylight Digital Feature.
- "Powerful, honest & intimate: Jess T. Dugan photographs explore identity, sexuality," feature article, Gay San Diego. San Diego, CA
- "Jess Dugan's Intimate Portraits," San Diego City Beat. San Diego, CA
- "Breakout Artists 2013: Chicago's Next Generation of Image Makers," New City. Chicago, IL
- "Contemporary Photographers: Jess T. Dugan," feature by Joerg Colberg, Conscientious.

- "Transcendence," Esquire Magazine (Russian edition).
- "Jess Dugan establishes identity, community through photography," review, The Pendulum. Elon, NC
- 2012 "Transcendence: Photographs by Jess T. Dugan at the Griffin Museum of Photography," review by Edie Bresler, Photograph Magazine.
- "Jess Dugan: Every breath we drew," Daylight Multimedia.
- "Alphabet of Light #18: Jess Dugan," by Kirsten Rian, Daylight Magazine.
- "Portraits echo at the Griffin Museum," Winchester Star. Winchester, MA
- "Jess T. Dugan's Photographic Study of Gender and Transformation," Feature Shoot.
- "Every breath we drew: exhibition catalogue," Schneider Gallery. Chicago, IL
- Feature article, The Archive 41: The Journal of the Leslie-Lohman Museum of Gay and Lesbian Art.
- Featured photographer, Light Leaked.
- Incandescent: a color film zine, Volume One.
- Featured photographer, Flak Photo.
- 2011 "Flash Forward- Emerging Photographers 2011," The Magenta Foundation.
- "Artist spotlight: Jess Dugan," The Advocate.
- "Coupled," Esquire Magazine (Russian edition).
- "What's the value, and face, of a family? Portrait salon provides answers, prompts questions," review, The Villager. New York, NY
- "Open View," feature in Love Issue #4. Bucharest, Romania
- "A Moment Collected: Photographs at the Harvard Art Museum," artist book. Boston, MA
- "A Place so as to Stay: exhibition catalogue," Gallery Kayafas. Boston, MA
- "More with less: Jess T. Dugan," feature on Urbanautica
- 2010 "Breaking and blurring gender boundaries," review of Traversing Gender in the Concord Monitor. Concord, NH
- "The 2010 Great LGBTQ Photo Show," The Archive: The Journal of the Leslie/Lohman Gay Art Foundation, Issue 35. New York, NY
- "Who's Who: Photographer Jess T. Dugan," Diffuse 5. Boston, MA
- "Open View" and "A Place so as to Stay," feature articles by Aline Smithson on Lenscratch. Los Angeles, CA
- "Jess Dugan," feature by Michael Werner on The Truth of Beauty and Two Way Lens. Frankfurt, Germany
- "Exploring Gender," review by Cate McQuaid. The Boston Globe. Boston, MA
- "A New Angle/Schneider Gallery," a review by Michael Weinstein. New City Art. Chicago, IL
- "Coupled: Gender... transcended," feature article by Kathlee Cleveland. The Weekly Dig. Boston, MA
- "Photographic series explores 'in-between' spaces of female identity and queerness," feature article, Bay Windows. Boston, MA
- 2009 Juried Publication, Photographic Resource Center at Boston University. Boston, MA
- "Transformative Art: Art meets activism in Easthampton show," review, Bay Windows. Boston, MA

- 2008 "Jess Dugan blurs the lines of rectitude," review, The Weekly Dig, Issue 10.1.08.
Boston, MA
"Amy Montali and Jess T. Dugan at Gallery Kayafas," review, Big, Red, & Shiny
#90. Boston, MA
"Gratitude and Rectitude: Jess Dugan shows new photography at Gallery
Kayafas," review. Bay Windows. Boston, MA
Texas Photographic Society Contact Sheet, Vol 28, No 4
"Jess T. Dugan," Northeast Exposure Online, The Photographic Resource Center.
Boston, MA
- 2007 Massachusetts College of Art and Design BFA Photography Catalogue
"Artjacked," Bay Windows. Boston, MA
"Dig This," The Weekly Dig. Boston, MA
- 2006 Photo Review Magazine, 2006 Competition Award issue

Lectures, Visiting Artist Talks and Residencies

- 2019 *Artist Lecture*, Provincetown Art Association and Museum. Provincetown, MA.
Artist Lecture, International Center of Photography. New York, NY.
- 2018 *Visiting Artist*, Anderson Ranch Arts Center. Snowmass Village, CO
Panelist, 2018 Society for Photographic Education Annual Conference,
Philadelphia, PA
Artist-in-Residence, Light Work, Syracuse, NY
- 2017 *Artist Lecture*, Saint Louis Art Museum. St. Louis, MO Contemporary Art
Museum St. Louis.
Artist Lecture, St. Louis, MO Kemper Museum of Contemporary Art. Kansas
City, MO
Artist Lecture, Emporia State University. Emporia, KS.
Artist Lecture, Fine Arts Work Center, Provincetown, MA
Artist Lecture, University of Missouri St. Louis. St. Louis, MO
Artist Lecture, Westfield State University. Westfield, MA
Artist Lecture, RedLine Contemporary Art Center. Denver, CO
Artist Lecture, Arapahoe Community College. Littleton, CO
Artist Lecture, Chicago High School for the Arts. Chicago, IL
Artist Lecture, Loyola University School of Social Work. Chicago, IL
Artist Lecture, St. Charles Community College. St. Charles, MO
Artist Lecture, 2016 National Portrait Gallery, Smithsonian Institution.
Washington, DC
Artist Lecture, Anderson Ranch Arts Center. Snowmass
Village, CO
Artist Lecture, Bowling Green State University. Bowling Green, OH
- 2016 *Artist Lecture*, Tulane University, New Orleans, LA
Artist Lecture, University of Missouri, Columbia, MO
Artist Lecture, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD
Artist Lecture, Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA
- 2015 *Artist Lecture*, Cornell Fine Arts Museum, Rollins College, Winter Park, FL

- Artist Lecture*, Bradley University, Peoria, IL
Artist Lecture, Filter Photo Festival, Chicago, IL
Trans Festiwal*, Bunkier Sztuki Gallery of Contemporary Art. Krakow, Poland
Presenting Artist, College Art Association National Conference, New York, NY
Artist Lecture, Oberlin College, Oberlin, OH
Artist Lecture, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI
- 2014
Artist Lecture, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI
Artist Lecture, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY
Artist Lecture, Western Washington University, Bellingham, WA
Artist Lecture, Hampshire College, Amherst, MA
Artist Lecture, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA
Featured Speaker, Society for Photographic Education Northwest Regional Conference. Bellingham WA
Artist Lecture, New Space for Photography, Portland, OR
Artist Lecture, Oregon College of Art and Craft, Portland, OR
Artist Lecture, Saint Louis University, St. Louis, MO
Artist Lecture, Washington University, St. Louis, MO
Artist Lecture, Simmons College, Boston, MA
Featured Speaker, Medium Festival of Photography, San Diego, CA
Visiting Artist, Anderson Ranch Arts Center. Snowmass Village, CO
- 2013
Visiting Artist and Critic, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. Milwaukee, WI
Guest Lecturer, St. Olaf College, Northfield, MN
Visiting Artist and Critic, University of Alabama Birmingham. Birmingham, AL
Lecturer, Birmingham Museum of Art, Birmingham, AL
Lecturer, San Diego Museum of Art, San Diego, CA
Panelist, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA
Visiting Artist and Critic, Elon University. Elon, NC
Guest Lecturer, Adrian College, Adrian, MI
Guest Lecturer, Columbia College Chicago, Chicago, IL
Guest Lecturer, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA
- 2012
Artist Talk, The Griffin Museum of Photography. Winchester, MA
Guest Lecturer, Milwaukee Institute of Art and Design. Milwaukee, WI
Guest Lecturer, Cambridge Rindge and Latin School, Cambridge, MA
Guest Lecturer, Beacon High School, Watertown, MA
Guest Lecturer, Columbia College Chicago, Chicago, IL
Artist Talk, Filter Photo Festival, Chicago, IL
Artist Talk, Schneider Gallery, Chicago, IL
Guest Lecturer, University of Toledo, Toledo, OH
Guest Lecturer, Art Institute of Boston. Boston, MA
Guest Lecturer, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA
Guest Lecturer, Berklee College of Music, Boston, MA
Visiting Artist and Critic, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA
- 2011
Visiting Artist and Critic, University of Missouri. Columbia, MO
- 2010
Guest Lecturer, Simmons College. Boston, MA
Artist Talk, Southern New Hampshire University, Manchester, NH
- 2009
Artist Talk, New England Institute of Art. Boston, MA

- 2008 *Artist Talk*, Gallery Kayafas. Boston, MA
2007 *Guest Lecturer*, Massachusetts College of Art and Design. Boston, MA
2006 *Visiting Artist*, North Shore Alliance of Gay and Lesbian Youth. Salem, MA
Visiting Artist, Project 10 East. Cambridge, MA

Monographs

- 2018 *To Survive on This Shore*, Kehrer Verlag
2015 *Every Breath We Drew*, Daylight Books

Curatorial Projects and Critical Writing

- 2017 *Co-curator*, "Call and Response: Art as Resistance," Strange Fire Collective, Center for Fine Art Photography, and Month of Photography Denver, Denver, CO
Editor, "The States Project: Missouri," Lenscratch
2015 *Co-curator*, "Agency," The Center for Fine Art Photography. Fort Collins, CO
Co-founder, Strange Fire Artist Collective
Writer, catalog essay, "Identity Shared," Southern New Hampshire University, Hooksett, NH 2012
Co-curator, "Peripheral Views: States of America," Museum of Contemporary Photography, Chicago, IL 2008-2010
Writer, Big, Red, & Shiny, a New England online arts journal, Boston, MA

Professional Service

- 2017-2020 *Chair*, LGBTQ Caucus, Society for Photographic Education
2018 *External Critic*, Graduate Reviews, Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, MO
Juror, "Fourth Annual Focus Juried Exhibition," University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. Milwaukee, WI
2017 *Portfolio Reviewer*, Society for Photographic Education National Conference, Orlando, FL
2016 *Juror*, "Juried Student Exhibition," University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC
Portfolio Reviewer, University of South Carolina Photo Festival, Columbia Museum of Art, Columbia, SC
2015 *Juror*, "Gendered Perspectives: An Investigation into Contemporary Identities," Bradley University. Peoria, IL
2013-Present *Member*, College Art Association
2010-2011 *Alumni Leadership Council*, Massachusetts College of Art and Design
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