

Ruth Owens



Ruth Owens is a figurative painter and video artist from the southern United States. Owens' work preserves and contributes to the Black archive by creatively using personal super-8 film references from the 1960s. In 2024 she was selected to exhibit in the Prospect.6 Triennial in New Orleans and exhibited a solo show at the Ohr-O'Keefe Museum of Art in Mississippi. Artist residencies include the Joan Mitchell Center, the Addison Gallery of American Art, the Vermont Studio Center, the Studios at MASS MoCA and the International Studio and Curatorial Program in NY. Her work is in the permanent collections of the 21c Museums, Ackland Art Museum at UNC Chapel Hill, the Addison Gallery of American Art, the Dale Center for the Study of War and Society, Beth Rudin DeWoody, Fidelity Investments Corporate Collection, and the Ogden Museum of Southern Art.