

## **CORVI-MORA**

### **SHAWANDA CORBETT**

Born in New York, 1989  
Lives and works in London

2018–2022	Dphil, The Ruskin School of Art, University of Oxford, Oxford
2016–2017	Postgraduate, The Ruskin School of Art, University of Oxford, Oxford
2013–2016	BA, Rochester Institute of Technology, New York

#### **Solo Exhibitions**

2023	"Down the Road" Sai, Tokyo
2022	"Art Now: Shawanda Corbett", Tate Britain, London "To The Fields Of Lilac", Salon 94, New York
2020	"Neighbourhood Garden", Corvi-Mora, London
2019	"The Complete Body", Wadham College, Oxford

#### **Performances**

2023	"Mercy Mercy Mercy, Transfiguration" Victoria and Albert Museum, London
2020	"breathe.", NOW Gallery, London
2019	"Blackbird in Mississippi", COS x Serpentine Park Nights, Serpentine Galleries, London "haar wese", University of Oxford, Oxford
2018	"Evocation of Buked", Deptford X, London

#### **Group Exhibitions**

2024	"Present Tense", Hauser & Wirth, Somerset
2023	"Dancing Before the Moon", 18th Venice Architecture Biennale, Venice "New Areas: Contemporary Ceramics at Newstead Abbey" Newstead Abbey, Nottingham "New Positions", Crafts Council Gallery, London "History in the Making: stories of materials and makers", Compton Verney, Warwickshire. "Black Venus", Somerset House, London
2022	"Body Vessel Clay: Black Women, Ceramics & Contemporary Art", Centre of Ceramic Art (CoCA), York Art Gallery, York "My Reflection of You", The Perimeter, London "Body Vessel Clay: Black Women, Ceramics & Contemporary Art", Two Temple Place, London

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"Black Venus", Fotografiska, New York

- 2021 "Human Conditions of Clay", Chapter Arts Centre, Cardiff  
"Cracked", Tristan Hoare, London  
"CRIP TIME", Museum für Moderne Kunst, Frankfurt  
"Maker's Eye", Crafts Council Gallery, London  
"Both Sides of Here: Artistic Encounters at the Threshold", The Courtauld Institute of Art, London  
"Drawing Biennial 2021", Drawing Room, London  
"Stockholm Sessions", Hospitalet, Stockholm
- 2020 "Friends and Friends of Friends", Schlossmuseum, Linz
- 2019 "haar wese", Supernormal, Oxford (Performance)  
"haar wese", Art of Noise III, Modern Art Oxford, Oxford (Performance)
- 2018 "Southern Jazz", International Exhibition, Kastamonu University, Turkey
- 2017 "Staircase", Elastic Performance Festival, Oxford

### Screenings

- 2019 "Evocation of Buked", Short Film Program, South London Gallery, London

### Awards

- 2021 Kleinwort Hambros Emerging Artist Prize
- 2020 The Turner Bursary, Tate, London

### Public Collections

The Fitzwilliam Museum, Cambridge

The Harris, Preston

Arts Council Collection

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Wallpaper, March 1  
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February 25  
Vivian Chui, "Shawanda Corbett: 'Ultimately, it's about world-building'", Ocula,  
February 9
- 2021 Duro Olowu, "Jazz-Keramik", Vogue DE, May-June  
"The 12 Young Creatives Inspiring The Vogue Editors Now", Vogue UK, March  
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- 2020 Bolanle Tajudeen, "Blackbird Mississippi", Port Magazine, Issue 2  
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vessels", Cfile, August 4  
Samira Reed, "Front Row", BBC Radio 4, July 28  
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Isabella Smith, "Bodies in Clay", Craft Issue 283, March – April
- 2019 Dino Bonacic, "10 Questions with Artist Shawanda Corbett Ahead of Her  
Performance at The COS X Serpentine Park Nights", 10 Magazine, July 19  
"Craft Abilities, Not Disabilities: Interview with Shawanda Corbett", This Girl Makes,  
July 9  
Holly Daizy Broughton, "Shawanda Corbett and Her Ability to Render Me Silent For  
6 Weeks", She Performs  
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