

## SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

- Inter-American Development Bank, Washington, D.C., USA, *Single-Use Planet* 2019
- Hofstra University, Hempstead, NY, USA, *Environmental Impact* 2019
- SFO Museum, San Francisco, CA, USA, *Washed Up* 2019
- Greenwich Academy, Greenwich, CT, USA *Washed Up* 2019
- Myrtle Beach Art Museum, Myrtle Beach, SC, USA, *Can't You Sea: Ocean Plastic Artifacts* 2019
- Basta con la Plastica, Sardinia, Italy, *Washed Up* 2018
- Art With Me, Tulum, Mexico, *Washed Up* 2018
- Flinn Gallery, Greenwich, CT, USA, *Washed Up* 2017
- MACLA, San Jose, CA, USA, *Temperature Check: Body of Evidence* 2017
- Granary Art Center, Ephraim, UT, USA, *Washed Up* 2017
- RMIT University Gallery, Melbourne, Australia, *Ocean Imaginaries* 2016
- Angkor Photo Festival, Siem Reap, Cambodia, *Washed Up* 2016
- Fotografie Forum Frankfurt, Frankfurt, Germany, *Wonders of the World* 2016
- Mt. Rokko International Photography Festival, Kobe, Japan, *Washed Up* 2016
- Cheryl Hazan Gallery, New York, NY, USA, *Mise-en-scène* 2016
- Wilson College, Chambersburg, PA, USA, *Washed Up* 2016
- Art Publix, Ville de Montréal, Canada, *Washed Up* 2015
- The Fence, Boston, Brooklyn, Houston, Atlanta, USA, *Washed Up* 2015
- Center for Contemporary Arts, Santa Fe, NM, USA, *The Curve: A Global View of New Photography* 2015
- Verve Gallery, Santa Fe, NM, USA, *Cause & Effect* 2015
- Museo de la Basura, Sian Ka'an Biosphere Reserve, Mexico, *Washed Up* 2015
- Habana Outpost, Brooklyn, NY, USA, *Washed Up* 2014
- Hunter College, New York, NY, USA, *Washed Up* 2014
- Newhouse Center for Contemporary Art, Staten Island, NY, USA, *Fluid: Essential for Life* 2012
- Galería Octavio Paz, Mexican Cultural Institute of New York, NY, USA, *Washed Up* 2012
- Calumet Gallery, New York, NY, USA, *En Foco New Works #15* 2012

## AWARDS

- Creative Capital Award 2019
- Art With Me Social Impact Award 2018
- Nominated for Prix Pictet Prize: Space 2016
- Nominated for Prix Thun for Art & Ethics 2016
- Photolucida's Critical Mass, Top 50 2015
- Center Project Launch, Juror's Choice Award 2015
- Nominated for Prix Pictet Prize: Disorder 2015
- Fundación Bancomer, Fondo de Apoyo a las Artes 2014
- Nominated for Prix Pictet Prize: Consumption 2014
- En Foco New Works #15 Award 2011

## SELECTED SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- TED at We The Future Event, New York, NY 2019
- Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, NY 2019
- Hofstra University, Hempstead, NY 2019
- Luxembourg Sustainability Forum, Luxembourg 2019
- Art With Me Tulum, Mexico 2018
- Flinn Gallery, Greenwich, CT 2018
- Hunter College, New York, NY 2014

## PUBLICATIONS

- *Talking Trash: Cultural Uses of Waste*, Vanderbilt University Press, USA 2019
- *Space*, teNeues, Germany 2017
- *Photo Viz*, Gestalten, Berlin, Germany 2016
- *Unexpected Art*, Chronicle Books, USA 2015
- *Art & Ecology Now*, Thames & Hudson, United Kingdom 2014
- *Land Art*, Palette Editions, France 2013

## SELECTED PRESS

- The Paris Review, "Land Forms" 2018
- National Geographic, "This Is Not A Mirage: Colorful Art Installations That Delight, Then Horrify" 2016
- Time Magazine, "13 Artists Who Turned Ocean Trash Into Amazing Art" 2016
- Wired, "Mexico's Ugly Ocean Trash Transformed Into Treasure" 2015
- Colossal, "Washed Up: Alejandro Duran's Site-Specific Found Plastic and Trash Installations" 2015
- Gizmodo, "Artist's Trash Exhibitions Depict A Planet Colonized By Plastic" 2015
- Huffington Post, "Temporary Trash Artworks Put Our Oceans Waste In Perspective" 2015
- ABC News, "Alejandro Duran's Transforming A Trashed Landscape Series" 2015
- El Diario, "Artista de Brooklyn Transforma Basura En Arte" 2013
- Die Zeit, "Alles Plastik, Oder Was?" 2012

## SELECTED TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- The Museum of Modern Art, New York, Video & Photography Educator 2005-2012
- International Center of Photography, New York, Museum Educator 2007-2012

## EDUCATION

- The New School, New York, NY, Master of Fine Arts - Creative Writing, Poetry 2001
- Tufts University, Master of Arts - Teaching 1998
- Tufts University, Bachelor of Arts - English 1997