



DAVID LEVINTHAL

The Charging Chasseur from History (Polish Rider)

Signed in pencil, lower right, "David Levinthal 2016 AP"

archival pigment print mounted to dibond

61 x 79 1/4 in. (61 3/8 x 79 1/2 x 2 1/2 in.)

AP, in an edition of 5 with 3 AP's

2016

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Since the early 1970's, David Levinthal has been exploring the relationship between photographic imagery and the fantasies, myths, events, and characters that shape contemporary American's mental landscape. His work has been a touchstone for conversations about theories of representation in photography and contemporary art as he has investigated the overlapping of popular imagery with personal fantasy through all of his major series including Hitler Moves East, Modern Romance, Wild West, Desire, Blackface, Barbie, Baseball, and History. In 2018, the George Eastman Museum presented David Levinthal: War, Myth, Desire, the largest retrospective of his work to date accompanied by the most comprehensive publication ever produced on his work. He has received a National Endowment for the Arts Fellowship and a Guggenheim Fellowship. His work is exhibited widely and part of the permanent collections of the Museum of Modern Art, Museum of Fine Arts Houston, the Whitney Museum of American Art, San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, Carnegie Museum of Art, The Menil Collection, Los Angeles County Museum of Art, Smithsonian American Art Museum, and the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

Exhibitions:

2018

David Levinthal at Heather James Fine Arts, Jackson Hole, WY

"David Levinthal: War, Myth Desire" George Eastman Museum, Rochester, NY

"David Levinthal: Playland" Abrams Engel Institute for the Visual Arts, Birmingham, AL

2017

"David Levinthal: Photographs 1972-2016" Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX

"David Levinthal: Recent Acquisitions" NSU Art Museum, Fort Lauderdale, FL

2016

"David Levinthal: "The Wild West" Julie Nester Gallery, Park City, UT

2015

"David Levinthal: Pin Ups" Mana Contemporary, Jersey City, NJ

"David Levinthal: Hitler Moves East" Mana Contemporary Chicago, Chicago, IL

"David Levinthal: XXX – Blanc et Noir" Mana Contemporary, Jersey City, NJ

"History: Photographs by David Levinthal" George Eastman House, Rochester, NY

"David Levinthal: Hitler Moves East" Mana Contemporary, Jersey City, NJ

2014

"David Levinthal: Make Believe" San Jose Museum of Art, San Jose, CA

"David Levinthal: Photographs" Phillips, New York, NY

2013

"David Levinthal: War Games" Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington D.C.

2012

"David Levinthal: Star Wars" Galeria Javier Lopez, Madrid, Spain

2011

"David Levinthal: Attack of the Bricks" Gering & Lopez, New York, NY

"Toyland: David Levinthal" Leadapron, Los Angeles, CA

"Black Again: Blackface Polaroids" John McWhinnie at Glenn Horowitz Booksellers, New York, NY

"David Levinthal: Photographs 1974-2008, 169 Gallery, Santa Monica, CA

2010

"David Levinthal" Wessel + O'Conner Fine Art, Lambertville, NJ

"David Levinthal" Gallery Seomi, Korea

"David Levinthal: American Beauties, Bad Barbies, Wild West," Ochi Gallery, Ketchum, ID

2009

"I.E.D: War in Afghanistan and Iraq," Stellan Holm Gallery, New York, NY

"David Levinthal: Bad Barbie," John McWhinnie at Glenn Horowitz, New York, NY

"Barbie!," Gering & Lopez Gallery, New York, NY

2008

"David Levinthal: Space Toys - New Polaroids," Baldwin Gallery, Aspen CO

"David Levinthal: War," Conner Contemporary Art, Washington D.C.

"David Levinthal: Space," Galeria Javier Lopez, Madrid, Spain

"David Levinthal: 1983-2008," Raiña Lupa Galeria, Barcelona, Spain

"Girlfriend! The Barbie Sessions by David Levinthal," Amarillo Museum of Art, Amarillo TX

"David Levinthal: A Wild Romance," Glenn Horowitz Bookseller, East Hampton, NY

"David Levinthal: Hitler Moves East," Glenn Horowitz Bookseller, New York, NY

"Jesus," Augen Gallery, Portland, OR

"Hockey Night," Albright-Knox Art Gallery, Buffalo, NY

2007

"The Passion," Stephen Cohen Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

"Depth of Field," The National Baseball Hall of Fame & Museum, Cooperstown, NY

2006

"Baseball," Yogi Berra Museum, Montclair State University, Little Falls, NJ

"The Passion," Spike Gallery, New York, NY

"David Levinthal," Gerald Peters Gallery, Dallas, TX

"David Levinthal," Gerald Peters Gallery, Santa Fe, NM

"Blackface," The Menil Collection, Houston, TX

2005

"Girlfriend," Baldwin Gallery, Aspen, CO

"David Levinthal's Vision: Capturing America's Pastime," New Britain Museum of American Art, New Britain, CT

"David Levinthal and the American Dream," Louisville Slugger Museum, Louisville, KY

"David Levinthal," Stellar Somerset Gallery, Palo Alto, CA

"New/Now: David Levinthal," New Britain Museum, New Britain, CT

"David Levinthal," Milwaukee Art Museum, Milwaukee, WI

"Dirty Little Secrets," Cartelle Gallery, Marina del Rey, CA

"From Blackface to Barbie," Augen Gallery, Portland, OR

"David Levinthal," Peter Blake Gallery, Laguna Beach, CA

"David Levinthal and the American Dream," New Center for Contemporary Art, Louisville, KY

2004

"Hell's Belles," Spike Gallery, New York, NY

"American Beauties," Ochi Fine Art, Ketchum, ID

"Baseball," Conner Contemporary Art, Washington, DC

"Netsuke," Galerie Xippas, Paris, France

2003

"Baseball," Baldwin Gallery, Aspen, CO

"David Levinthal," Augen Gallery, Portland, OR

"The Wild West," Lisa Sette Gallery, Scottsdale, AZ

"Small Wonder: World in a Box," Block Museum, Evanston, IL

2002

"From the Valley of the Dolls: David Levinthal, 1985-2001," Daniel Azoulay Gallery, Miami, FL

"XXX," The Fay Gold Gallery, Atlanta, GA

"The Wild West," Ochi Gallery, Ketchum, ID

"David Levinthal: 1975-2001," Asheville Art Museum, Asheville, NC

"XXX," The Paul Morris Gallery, New York, NY

"Wild West," The Mark Moore Gallery, Santa Monica, CA

"The Wild West," The Gerald Peters Gallery, Santa Fe, New Mexico

"The Wild West," Conner Contemporary Art, Washington, DC

"Blackface," Alexandria Black History Resource Center, Alexandria, VA

"Small Wonders: World in a Box," Contemporary Art Center of Virginia, Virginia Beach, VA

2001

"David Levinthal," Marella Arte Contemporanea, Milan, Italy

"Small Wonders: World in a Box," Detroit Institute of Arts, MI

"XXX" Galerie Rodolphe Janssen, Brussels, Belgium

"XXX Series," Modernism, San Francisco, CA

"Blackface," Conner Contemporary Art, Washington, DC

"XXX Series," Bernard Toale Gallery, Boston, MA

2000

"Modern Romance," Speed Museum, Louisville, KY

"Wild West Series," Salina Art Center, Salina, KS

"Blackface," Mark Moore Gallery, Santa Monica, CA

"XXX Series," Galerie Xippas, Paris, France

"XXX: New Photographs," Baldwin Gallery, Aspen, CO

"Girlfriend! The Barbie Sessions," San Jose Museum, San Jose, CA

Traveling to: Norton Museum of Art, West Palm Beach, FL; The Museum at the

Fashion Institute of Technology, New York, NY; Salina Art Center, Salina, KS;

Birmingham Museum of Art, Birmingham, AL

"Spring Fever: David Levinthal's Baseball Series," Richard Levy Gallery, Albuquerque, NM

"David Levinthal: Barbie Millicent Roberts", Augen Gallery, Portland, OR

"Barbie," Lisa Sette Gallery, Scottsdale, AZ

1998

"Wild West", P.S. 1, Queens, NY

Mark Moore Gallery, Santa Monica, CA

New Gallery, Houston, TX

Baldwin Gallery, Aspen, CO

1997

Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington D.C.

Lisa Sette Gallery, Scottsdale, AZ

Craig Krull Gallery, Santa Monica, CA

Philadelphia Museum of Judaica, Philadelphia, PA

Holocaust Museum Houston, Houston, TX
"David Levinthal: 1975-1996," International Center of Photography, New York, NY
Janet Borden Gallery, New York, NY
1996
Judah L. Magnus Museum, Berkeley, CA
Modernism Gallery, San Francisco, CA
1995
University Art Museum, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM
Galerie H.S. Steinek, Vienna, Austria
Craig Krull Gallery, Santa Monica, CA
Megan Fox Gallery, Santa Fe, NM
1994
Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth, TX
Center for Creative Photography, Tucson, AZ
Gilcrease Museum, Tulsa, OK
Janet Borden Gallery, New York
The Photographers' Gallery, London, England
Bibliothèque Nationale, Paris, France
1993
The Friends of Photography, Ansel Adams Center, San Francisco, CA
Wiener Staatsoper, Vienna, Austria
Galerie H.S. Steinek, Vienna, Austria
Gene Autry Western Heritage Museum, Los Angeles, CA
Palm Springs Desert Museum, Palm Springs, CA
Southeastern Center for Contemporary Art, Winston-Salem, NC
Laurence Miller Gallery, New York
Pastrays Gallery, Yokohama, Japan
1991
Janet Borden Gallery, New York, NY
Laurence Miller Gallery, New York, NY
Museum für Gestaltung, Zürich, Switzerland
Forum Bottcherstrasse, Bremen, Germany
1990
Pence Gallery, Santa Monica, CA
Laurence Miller Gallery, New York, NY
1989
"Surrogate Selves" Corcoran Gallery of Art
University Art Museum, California State University, Long Beach, CA
Jan Kesner Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
1988
C.E.P.A. Gallery, Buffalo, New York
Laurence Miller Gallery, New York, NY
Clarence Kennedy Gallery, Polaroid Corporation, Cambridge, MA
Allied Arts Gallery, Las Vegas, NV
1987
303 Gallery, New York, NY
Philadelphia College of Art, Philadelphia, PA
1986
Visual Arts Gallery, University of Alabama, Birmingham, AL
Blatent Image Gallery, Pittsburgh, PA
1985
Area X Gallery, New York
Founders Gallery, University of San Diego, CA

1978

International Museum of Photography at George Eastman House, Rochester, NY
Quivera Gallery, Albuquerque, NM

1977

Carpenter Center for the Visual Arts, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA
California Institute for the Arts, Valencia, CA
Southern Light Gallery, Amarillo College, TX

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