

## Artist Statement

"Music plays an essential part in the inspiration and creation of a piece of art. It begins with me listening to music and using musical improvisation, a process that is free-spirited and without boundaries, to both play and express myself. Early on I found the process to be healing and since then I have wanted to share the process with new ideas with fellow musicians, artists, and the viewers/audience. The most important thing is that music and art has shaped me to be the person I am today. The use of different materials becomes a therapeutic process for myself and others, and I take a lot of pleasure in the creative process. This is what I pictured 20 years ago, and it has inspired me to be an artist ever since."

## Biography

Born 1974, in Soweto, Daniel 'Stompie' Selibe is a Neo-expressionist painter who coalesces the mediums of art and music, notably old-school jazz.

## Education

Daniel 'Stompie' Selibe's art education came in the form of arts programs such as those offered by Manu College, Dorkay House, Art Therapy Centre and Artist Proof Studios.

**2000 - 2004** - Art Therapy Centre Training Programme

**1998** - Dobsonville College

**1999** - Wits Technikon Training Course

**1991-1993** - Dorkay House Music School, South Africa

## Exhibition History

### Solo Exhibitions

**2019** - 'Love Found', Berman Contemporary, Johannesburg, South Africa

**2018** - House & Leisure Private Launch for Johannesburg Gold Edition Oct/Nov 2018, Berman Contemporary, Johannesburg, South Africa

**2018** - Discovery Leadership Summit, Berman Contemporary, Johannesburg, South Africa

**2016** - 'Broken Chords', Candice Berman Gallery, Johannesburg, South Africa

### Group Exhibitions

**2018** - Welcome to Berman Contemporary, Johannesburg, South Africa, January 2018

**2017** - Turbine Art Fair (TAF), Johannesburg, South Africa

**2017** - Cape Town Art Fair (CTAF), Berman Contemporary, Johannesburg, South Africa

**2016** - START Art Fair, Saatchi Gallery, London, United Kingdom

**2016** - Turbine Art Fair (TAF), Johannesburg, South Africa

**2016** - That Art Fair, Cape Town, South Africa

**2016** - Klein Karoo Nasionale Kunstefees (KKNK), Art Festival Oudtshoorn, South Africa

**2015** - Turbine Art Fair (TAF), Candice Berman Gallery, Johannesburg, South Africa

**2015** - Guest artist at Ballhaus Naunynse Theater, Berlin, Germany

**2014** - Turbine Art Fair (TAF), Candice Berman Gallery, Johannesburg, South Africa

**2012** - Alliance Gallery, Johannesburg, South Africa

**2010** - David Krut Gallery, Johannesburg, South Africa

## Collections

- KBH Investment Group, Dubai
- Tricol Property Development CC
- Magnolia Ridge Properties, South Africa
- LTF Trade Finance Group, South Africa
- LEETEK Electro Projects, South Africa
- Oakleaf Capital CC
- Fani Titi, CEO Investec Wealth, South Africa
- Sharon & Paolo Calderari, Miami, USA
- Mandy Lamb Collection, Singapore
- Winter Collection, South Africa / London
- Gillian Gamsu Collection, South Africa