

# Must-See Art Guide: Amsterdam

This week's guide features Ai Weiwei, Dustin Yellin, Will Holder, and more.

**Tatiana Berg**, November 24, 2016



Rotimi Fani-Kayode, *Untitled* (1987–1988). Courtesy of Huis Marseille, Museum for Photography.

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The United States might be settling down for a long holiday weekend, but meanwhile over in Amsterdam things are heating up for a busy four days of art-related festivities. The annual [Amsterdam Art Weekend](#) starts today, and now through Sunday the capitol of the Netherlands is host to an array of exhibitions, performances, conferences, and screenings. There's lots to choose from, so we've rounded up our must-see highlights to help you parse your options. To be honest I don't know if turkey is readily available in Amsterdam—probably not?—but if you're lucky enough to be over there you probably have better things on your mind than our American holiday. Chow on stuffing and cranberries another time. Or not. If Thanksgiving food was really good, wouldn't we eat it during the rest of the year? Focus on art instead.



Koen Vermeule, *Yume no uchi*, (2016). Courtesy of BorzoGallery.

**Exhibition:** “KOEN VERMEULE: Soul Shades”

**When:** November 25–December 24, 2016

**Where:** BorzoGallery, Keizersgracht 516, Amsterdam, the Netherlands



Dustin Yellin. Courtesy of GRIMM.

**Exhibition:** “Dustin Yellen: 10 Parts”

**When:** November 25, 2016–January 7, 2017

**Where:** GRIMM, Frans Halsstraat 26, Amsterdam, the Netherlands

**Exhibition:** “In the Spirit of Nature: Spiritual Photographs by Martin Gusinde, Rotimi Fani-Kayode, and Mario Cravo Neto”

**When:** September 10–December 4, 2016

**Where:** Huis Marseille, Museum for Photography, Keizergracht 401, Amsterdam, the Netherlands



Isaac Julien, *Looking for Langston* (1989) still. Courtesy of Galerie Ron Mandos.

**Exhibition:** “Isaac Julien: Looking For Langston”

**When:** November 11, 2016–January 7, 2017

**Where:** Galerie Ron Mandos, Prinsengracht 282, Amsterdam, the Netherlands



Johan Grimonprez, *Raffaele Minichiello, first transatlantic hijacker, Rome, November 1969* (1999). Courtesy of Flatlands Gallery.

**Exhibition:** “Joan Grimonprez – Dial H-I-S-T-O-R-Y and No Man’s Land: Politics in the Sky- Skyjackers’ Series”

**When:** November 17–December 22, 2016

**Where:** Flatland Gallery, Lijnbaansgracht 312-314, Amsterdam, the Netherlands



Laurence Aëgerter. Courtesy of Art Affairs.

**Exhibition:** “Laurence Aëgerter: Photographic Treatment”

**When:** November 25–December 17, 2016

**Where:** Art Affairs, Veemkade 354, Amsterdam, the Netherlands



Stéphanie Saadé. Courtesy of AKINCI.

**Exhibition:** “Stéphanie Saadé: The Leaf Once Pilgrim”

**When:** November 25, 2016–January 21, 2016

**Where:** AKINCI, Lijnbaansgracht 317, Amsterdam, the Netherlands





Ai Weiwei, #SafePassage (2016). Courtesy of Foam.

**Exhibition:** “Ai Weiwei: #SafePassage“

**When:** November 16–December 7, 2016

**Where:** Foam, Keizersgracht 609, Amsterdam, the Netherlands



Will Holder. Courtesy of Kunstverein.

**Exhibition:** “Will Holder: Sorry! NO We Don’t Do REQUESTS”

**When:** October 15–December 17, 2016

**Where:** Kunstverein, Hazenstraat 28, Amsterdam, the Netherlands

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