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Vadis Turner Biography

Vadis Turner works with traditional craft materials and techniques to develop a visual language that re-imagines rites of passage and the classification of heirlooms in a contemporary cultural context. Turner has exhibited all over the U.S. and abroad, including at the National Gallery in Prague and the Andy Warhol Museum in Pittsburgh. Her work is in the permanent collections of the Brooklyn Museum of Art, 21C Museum, Kentucky Museum of Art and Craft and the Egon Schiele Art Centrum. Turner was born in Nashville, Tennessee. She received her B.F.A. and M.F.A. from Boston University. She currently lives and works in Brooklyn.