

## Marla Rutherford

Lives and works in Los Angeles, CA

### Education

2000 BA, Boston University

2005 BFA in Photography, Art Center College of Design, Pasadena, CA

### Exhibitions

- 2009 *Character Project*, USA Network / Vanity Fair traveling exhibition with book published by Chronicle Books. New York, Washington, DC, Los Angeles, CA  
*Character Project* images and new work, Irvine Contemporary, April, 2009.  
Photo LA, Robert Berman Gallery
- 2008 Photo Miami, Robert Berman Gallery  
*Recontres d'Arles*, Arles, France. Selected by Carla Sozzani for the "Discovery Award." Guest curator: Christian Lacroix.  
*Reunion*: Gallery Artists. Irvine Contemporary  
*Submit*, Galerie Clairefontaine, Luxembourg
- 2007 *Kerry Skarbakka and Marla Rutherford: Re-Presenting the Portrait*. Irvine Contemporary, Washington, DC.  
*Regeneration: 50 Photographers of Tomorrow 2005 - 2025*. Williamson Gallery, Art Center College of Design, Pasadena, CA
- 2006 *Flash Forward*. Lennox Contemporary. Toronto, Canada.  
*Regeneration: 50 Photographers of Tomorrow 2005 - 2025*. Pingyao International Photography Festival. Pingyao, China.  
*Queen of the Night*. Berman/Turner Gallery. Los Angeles, California.  
*Fetish*. Galerie Fuze. Paris, France.  
PIE (Photographic Imaging Expo) 2006, Tokyo, Japan. Featured photographer and speaker.  
*Regeneration: 50 Photographers of Tomorrow 2005 - 2025*. Aperture Gallery, New York City. April 2006. Exhibition and Aperture book launch.  
*Regeneration: 50 Photographers of Tomorrow 2005 - 2025*. Galleria Carla Sozzani. Milan, Italy.  
Thomas Werner Gallery. New York City. ASMP winners of 2004 show

### Selected Photo Assignments and Portraits

- Village Voice*, *Sarah Silverman is My Kind of Cunt*, By Michael Muston, January 23-30, 2007. Cover and Pages 15-18.
- Fast Company*, *Fast Talk - Voices from the Creative Front*, By Danielle Sacks, September 2006. Pages 21-25.
- LIFE*, *The Kooky Cartoon Costume Ball*, By Jill Underwood, December 15 2006.
- Los Angeles Magazine*. *The Dream Maker*, By David Davis, December 2006. Page 102.
- TIME*. *The Bland Face of Evil*, By R.S, November 2006.
- Los Angeles Magazine*. *The Z Factor*, By RJ Smith, November 2006. Page 86.
- Newsweek*. *She's a Door Person*, By Jonathan Mummolo, July 17, 2006. Page 12.
- Bizarre*. *The Monster Factory*, By Alex Godfrey, August 2006.
- LA Weekly*. *Welcome to the Dollhouse*, By Lina Lecaro, June 16-22, 2006.

Los Angeles Magazine, *The Lion's Den*, By Margot Dougherty. January 2006. Pages 70-71.  
*Forbes Magazine*, *Itinerant Work*, By Scott Woolley. December 2005. Page 75.  
*Los Angeles Magazine*, *Drag King*, By David Davis. October 2005. Page 94-97.  
*Los Angeles Magazine*, *Mommy What Does %#!@ Mean?*, By Tamar Brott. September, 2005.  
Pages 112- 115

## Bibliography and Published Photographs

*Character Project. American Character: A Photographic Journey*. Foreword by Tom Brokaw. San Francisco: Chronicle Books, 2009.

*PHOTO Magazine* (France), *Notre Surprise du Mois (Surprise of the Month)*. April 2006, 72-79.

*Elegy* (France). *Marla Rutherford Renouvelle La Photo Fetish*, Alyz Tale. Spring 2006, 18-21.

*Sieter Sonntagsblick Magazine* (Germany). *Portfolio*. June 2006, pp. 46-47.

*American Photo. Regeneration Showcases 50 Photographers of Tomorrow*, Jay DeFoore. May 2006.

Photosapiens.com. *Marla Rutherford - Fetish*. May 2006.

*Phat Photo* (Japan). *Phat Photo Recommends Six Photographers*. May 2006, p. 49.

*The New Yorker*. "Abandoned Housewife advertises Regeneration Aperture Show". April 24, 2006, p. 30. Photograph published.

*Phat Photo* (Japan). *Y-Generations feat. Marla Rutherford*, Ryo Ohwada. Feb 2006, p. 6-7.

*PHOTO Magazine* (France). *A Quoi Ressemblera La Photo En 2025?* October 2005.  
Opening Photo.

ArtInfo.com. *The New Photographers*. August 15 2005. "Abandoned Housewife," opening photo.

*The Guardian. Movers and Fakers*. August 13, 2005. Opening photo and p. 15.

*Regeneration: 50 Photographers of Tomorrow: 2005-2025*. Thames & Hudson and Aperture Press. 2005. Photo images on p.160-163.

*Skin Two. Marla Propisms*. Summer 2005. Pages 66-69.

Marquis. *Marla Rutherford*. No.33. Pages 88-93.

## Awards/Honors

*Regeneration: 50 Photographers of Tomorrow: 2005-2025*, traveling museum exhibition.  
1 of 7 Americans chosen (and 1 of 50 photographers from 450 candidates)  
Fine Art nominee, 2006 Color Awards  
"Surprise of the Month" Photographer, April 2006, *PHOTO* magazine (France)  
Winner in Magenta Publishing Awards 2006  
Winner in *PDN's* photo annual '05