

Vivian Poey  
Bio

Vivian Poey is a photographer and educator in Cambridge, Massachusetts. Her work examines a number of issues ranging from migration and cultural assimilation to the passing of time. She is American, born in Mexico of Cuban parents and lived in Guatemala and Colombia before moving to the U.S. This complicated trajectory informs all of her art, which serves as a method of investigation, and includes photography, installation and performance.

Poey earned an MFA from the Rhode Island School of Design and has exhibited her work across the country and in Florence, Italy. In addition to traditional exhibition spaces Poey works to reach multiple communities by exhibiting in educational settings including the Boston Arts Academy, and Lesley University, and has spoken about her work to students of various ages such as the Sumner Elementary school in Boston and at the Crimson Program for public high school students at Harvard University.

Vivian Poey teaches Photography and Integrated Studies at the Lesley College of Art + Design.