

Take that Rubio! Donald Trump gets 'finger extensions' to combat his 'small hands' in hilarious spoof portrait by famed photographer Alison Jackson

- Alison Jackson is renowned for her photographs in which she uses lookalikes of public figures to create imagined scenes from their lives
- In a new series of images for Vanity Fair, she has turned her attentions to

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After enduring months of teasing and joking about his 'small hands' it looks like the mockery may have finally got to Donald Trump.

A new image appears to show the presidential candidate applying finger extensions - but all is not as it seems.

The picture is in fact a spoof by Alison Jackson in which the Republican nominee is played by a lookalike for the October issue of *Vanity Fair*.

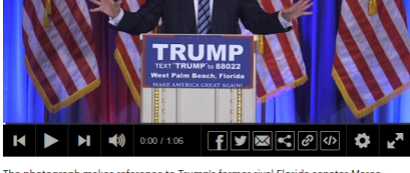


Spoo: British artist Alison Jackson has created a series of images showing a Donald Trump lookalike having finger extensions applied, pictured, swearing and naked



Talking point: The finger images play on the mockery the presidential candidate has received over the size of his hands, pictured

'These are very strong hands' Trump dismisses small hands talk



The photograph makes reference to Trump's former rival Florida senator Marco Rubio's attack on his 'small hands' during the primaries, which sparked months of speculation over their size.

It is part of a series of images in which the British artist imagines his life behind closed doors.

Jackson is known for her funny and realistic photographs inspired by the private lives of celebrities, public figures and royalty.

The pictures show a man who looks uncannily like Trump going about his day-to-day activities.

Despite her extensive experience in finding lookalikes for her projects, she said it took her nearly an entire year to find somebody suitable and willing to play Trump.



Transatlantic search: Despite her extensive experience in finding lookalikes, Alison said it took her nearly an entire year to find somebody suitable and willing to play Trump



Problem solving: Alison, who has previously photographed a lookalike George Bush, pictured, said a key feature of Trump's look is his mouth

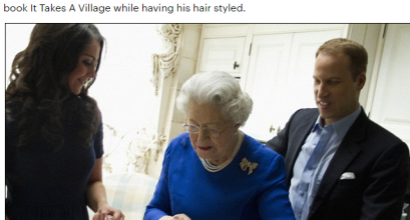
Jackson, who works with casting directors in New York and London, searched numerous countries and even approached people on the street.

She said one person they approached even 'got very angry and didn't want anything to do with the project.'

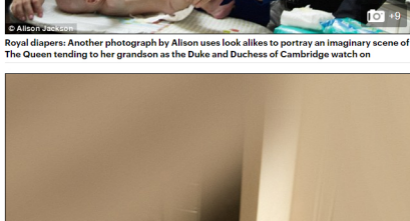
'It's an extraordinary thing,' she told the magazine. 'I mean, I've been really, desperately seeking Donald Trump.'

One picture shows 'Trump' trying on military uniforms, having a spray tan applied to his naked body, and sticking up his middle finger as he is targeted by leaf blowers.

Another photograph shows the character reading his Democrat rival Hillary Clinton's book *It Takes A Village* while having his hair styled.



Royal diapers: Another photograph by Alison uses look alikes to portray an imaginary scene of The Queen tending to her grandson as the Duke and Duchess of Cambridge watch on



Bathtime! In other work, Alison imagined what life looks like inside the home of the Duke and Duchess of Cambridge with Prince George



Challenging: Alison, whose previous projects have included a David Beckham lookalike, pictured, said one person they approached about Trump 'got very angry'



Published: Alison's pictures are featured in the October issue of *Vanity Fair*, pictured

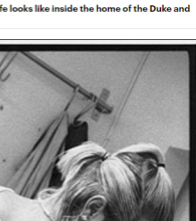
One picture shows him examining his hands in the mirror.

She said a key feature of his look was accurately recreating his mouth.

'Do you know anyone else who's got a mouth like Donald Trump?' she said.

'Physically, I mean.'

Previous projects by the artist include pictures of people who look uncannily like the British Royal family, former soccer player David Beckham, former US president George Bush, the late actress Marilyn Monroe and reality star Kim Kardashian.



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