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**SOLO EXHIBITIONS:**

2018 **Form+Content Gallery** *A Fertile Emptiness* Minneapolis, MN

2015 **Schaeffer Gallery at Gustavus Adolphus College** *The Beginning of the Third* Dream St. Peter, MN

2011 **Tychman Shapiro Gallery** *Excavation* Minneapolis, MN  
2010 **ACANTHE Village d’artistes** *Coexistence* La Ferté Loupière, France  
2007 **Lillian Davis Hogan Gallery at St. Mary's University** *Branches* Winona, MN

1998 **Shepard Center Gallery** *Embodied* St. Paul, MN  
1989 **509 Gallery** *The Present Pas* San Francisco, CA  
1985 **Galleria Design Center** *Image and Portrait Artist* San Francisco, CA

1976 **Grand Piano** *Musical Drawing* San Francisco, CA

**GROUP EXHIBITIONS:**

2019 **Arc Gallery** *Sanctuary* San Francisco, CA

**Form+Content Gallery** *Fare Tredici* Minneapolis, MN

2018  **Squirrel Haus Arts** *MCAD Alumni Exhibit* Minneapolis, MN

**George R.A. Johnson Gallery** *Breck Art Faculty Show* Minneapolis, MN  
2017 **Cooperstown Art Association** *The 82nd National Juried Art Exhibition* Cooperstown, NY

**Form+Content Gallery** *10th Anniversary Show* Minneapolis, MN  
 **Northwest Art Center Minot State University** *Americas 2017: Paperworks* Minot, ND

**Colors of Humanity** [www.colorsofhumanityartgallery.com](http://www.colorsofhumanityartgallery.com)

2016 **DeVos Art Museum** *North of the 45th* Marquette, MI  
 **Minnetonka Center for the Arts** *Menagerie: Animals in Art* Minnetonka, MN

**Figure 50 National Showcase of Figurative Art** <http://www.figure50.com/>

**uBe Art** *Creatures: real & imagined* Berkeley, CA 2014

**Linus Galleries** *Vulnerability VS Strength* Los Angeles, CA

**Linus Galleries** *Roots* Los Angeles, CA

2013 **Phipps Center for the Arts** *Shadow Sisters* Hudson, WI

2012 **Boston Center for the Arts Mills Gallery** *Future of the Past: Encaustic Art in the 21stCentury* Boston, MA

**Whittier Gallery: Compound** *Accumulation* Minneapolis, MN juror: John Rasmussen

2011 **George R.A. Johnson Gallery** *Breck Art Faculty Show* Minneapolis, MN

2010 **Tychman Shapiro Gallery** *Profiling: Faces of Diversity* Minneapolis, MN

**Minneapolis Institute of Art MAEP Gallery** *Foot In The Door* Minneapolis, MN

2009 **York Arts Gallery** *Hot for Wax* York, PA

**The Black Dog** *Images from Somewhere Else* St. Paul, MN

**MCAD Gallery** *Paradigm Shift: MCAD Alumni and Friends Honor Kinji Akagawa* Minneapolis, MN

2008 **Gallery R & F** *Ahead of the Buzz* Kingston, NY

2007 **The Atrium Gallery at Ball State University** *Encaustic Biennial 2007* Muncie, IN juror: Joan Synder

**Gallery R & F /Watermark/Cargo Gallery** *Encaustic Biennial 2007* Kingston, NY juror: Joan Synder

2006 **Duluth Art Institute** *Arrowhead Biennial* Duluth, MN  
 **The Phipps Center for the Arts** *Prism of Longing* Hudson, WI

2005 **The Art Gallery, Bet Yigal Alon** *In Book Form* Genosar, Israel

**A.I.R. Gallery** *Wish You Were Here* New York, NY

**MCAD Gallery** *Minnesota Scholastic Teacher Exhibit* Minneapolis, MN

2004 **JCC** *In Book Form: Israeli and Twin Cities Artists* St. Paul, MN

**Walker Church** *Creating Peace: Arab/Jewish Artists* Minneapolis, MN  
 **A.I.R. Gallery** *Wish You Were Here* New York, NY  
 **Shelley Holzemer Gallery** *Five Women Explore the Figure II* Minneapolis, MN

**MCAD Gallery** *All the Wiser* Minneapolis, MN

**Catherie G. Murphy Gallery** *Figure & Psyche* St. Paul, MN

**Shelley Holzemer Gallery** *Winter Group Show* Minneapolis, MN

2003 **Weisman Art Museum** *Art Expo* Minneapolis, MN  
 **Fred R. Kline Gallery** *Old Masters/New Masters* Santa Fe, NM  
 **Shelley Holzemer Gallery** *Five Women Explore the Figure* Minneapolis, MN  
 **Fred R. Kline Gallery** *New American Drawings 2003* Santa Fe, NM \*Curator's Award\*

2002 **MCAD Gallery** *Scholastic Teachers* Minneapolis, MN

**Soap Factory** *Necessary Differences II* Minneapolis, MN

2000 **Minnesota Museum of Art** *Minnesota Biennial 2000* St. Paul, MN  
 **Muscarelle Museum of Art** *American Drawing Biennial 2000* Williamsburg, VA

**A.I.R. Gallery** *Generation 2000* New York, NY

2000 **George R.A. Johnson Gallery** *Breck Art Faculty Show* Minneapolis, MN

1999 **St. Paul University** *Creating and Connecting* St. Cloud, MN

1996 **MCAD Gallery** *Selections '96* Minneapolis, MN

**WARM** *17th Annual Juried Exhibition for Women* Minneapolis, MN

**MCAD Gallery** *MFA Thesis* Minneapolis, MN  
1995 **University of Wisconsin** *National Juried Graduate Drawing Exhibition* Oshkosh, WI

**MCAD Gallery Calhoun Square** *Seeing Is Believing* Minneapolis, MN

**MCAD Gallery** *Merit Show* \*Honorable Mention\* Minneapolis, MN

1994 **Berkeley Art Center** *10th Annual Juried National Exhibition* Berkeley, CA

**The Luggage Store** *The 2nd Annual Juried Luggage Show* San Francisco, CA

1992 **Art Academy of Cincinnati** *Third Annual Juried Exhibition* Cincinnati, OH

1990 **California Institute of Integral Studies** *Dream Art* San Francisco, CA

1988 **Cultural Services of Eugene** *From Personal Experience* Eugene, OR

**New Zone Gallery** *From Personal Experience* Eugene, OR  
1979 **San Francisco Arts Festival** San Francisco, CA  
1978 **Fort Mason Arts Center** *Women Artists* San Francisco, CA  
1977 **Fort Mason Arts Center** *Haight Ashbury Artists* San Francisco, CA

**Haight Ashbury Arts Workshop** *Women Artists* San Francisco, CA  
 **University of California SF Medical Center Gallery** *Haight Ashbury Artists* SF, CA

**Grand Piano** *Haight Ashbury Artists* San Francisco, CA

**AWARDS:**

2017 **Finalist Golden Educators Residency NY**  
2012/13 **Semi-Finalist McKnight Artist** *Fellowships for Visual Artists* *Minnesota*  
2007 **Faculty Chair for Personal Involvement & Excellence in Teaching and Mentoring Breck School** MN

2003 **Curator's Award New American Drawings** **2003** Kline Gallery Santa Fe, NM  
2000/01 **Finalist Jerome Fellowship Minnesota**  
1999 **Juror’s Choice Award Art of the** **Plains** Plains Art Museum Fargo, ND   
1995 **Honorable Mention Minneapolis College of Art and Design** *Merit Show* MN

**EDUCATION:**

1996  **M.F.A.** Visual Studies Minneapolis College of Art and Design

1975 **B.F.A.** San Francisco Art Institute Painting and Drawing

1972 Cincinnati Art Academy  
1972 Edgecliff Academy

**GUEST ARTIST and LECTURER:**

2019 **College of St. Catherine’s** *The Women’s Art Institute* St. Paul, MN

2018 **Professional Development Workshop** **MFA Program** MCAD Minneapolis, MN

**Moderator** *Rimon Artist Salon Series – Diaspora & Cultural Survival: A Crypto-Jewish Perspective* Minneapolis

2017  **College of St. Catherine’s.** *The Women’s Art Institute* St. Paul, MN

2015 **Gustavus Adolphus College** *Senior Seminar* St. Peter, MN  
2014/13 **College of St. Catherine’s** *The Women’s Art Institute* St. Paul, MN

2011 **Tychman Shapiro Gallery** *Excavation* Minneapolis, MN  
2011/01 **Minneapolis College of Art and Design** *The Women's Art Institute* Minneapolis, MN

2008  **American School of Barcelona, Spain**  
2006 **Minneapolis College of Art and Design** *Graduate Seminar* Minneapolis, MN  
2004 **Minneapolis College of Art and Design** *Graduate Seminar* Minneapolis, MN

**Minneapolis College of Art and Design** *Outsiders Insiders Border Crossings* Minneapolis, MN

**Minneapolis College of Art and Design** *Figure and Psyche: Musing the Wit* Minneapolis, MN

2001 **Juror St. Paul Art Crawl** *Poster Competition*  St. Paul, MN  
2000 **The Soap Factory** *Necessary Differences II* Minneapolis, MN

**The Minnesota Museum Minnesota** *Biennial 2000* S t. Paul, MN

**Minneapolis College of Art and Design** *Advanced Drawing* Minneapolis, MN

1999 **St. John’s University** *Creating and Connecting* St. Cloud, MN

**PUBLICATIONS:**

2015 Edie Schmierbach *New season of art exhibits begin* at Gustavus. **Mankato Free Press** September 30

2012 Elizabeth Michelman *The Future of the Past: Encaustic Art in the 21st Century* **Artscope.** November

Jim Kiely *The Future of the Past: Encaustic Art in the 21Century.* **Big Red and Shiny** October 26

2010 *Michal Sagar’s “Excavation” inspired by visit to* *Spain* **Jewish World** December 10

Catherine Trella *Un regard américain à l’espace Acanthe L’Yonne* **Républicaine**July 27

2007 Liz Euller. *Branches* **The Voice Breck School.** November

2006 Mary Abbe. *Prism of Longing* **Minneapolis Star Tribune** January 22  
2004 Sarah Leomporra *A date with your subconscious* **The Wheel College of St. Catherine** March 23

Valerie Valentine. *A snapshot portrait of women’s experience in art and life.* **Southside Pride.** June

Patricia Olson. *Figure & Psyche.* **Catherine G. Murphy Gallery Catalogue** March 13

2003 Jan Ernst Adlmann. *Drawing Flourishes.* **Albuquerque Journal** March 14  
 Mary Ann Vincenta. *Five Women Explore the Figure.* **Pulse of the Twin Cities.** August 27

2000 Mary Abbe. *Biennial Redux.* **Minneapolis City Pages** July 5

Doug Hanson *These artists are doing for themselves.* **Minneapolis Star Tribune.** October 27

Patricia Briggs. *Minnesota Biennial 2D 2000* **Minneapolis City Pages** July 5  
1999 Lynn Golberstein. *Creating and Connecting* **St. John’s University Art Center Catalogue**

1998 Jerry Rudquist *Art on the Plains.* **Plains Art Museum Catalog** December 1997

Mike Halvorson *MCAD Alumni at Medtronic* **Exhibition Program Medtronic**

Clea Felien *A great new place for great new art* **Southside Pride** December

Clea Felien *Art News.* **Southside Pride** July  
 Bloomington Art Center **Minnesota Monthly Magazine** February

1992 Harry Roche. *First Annual Luggage Show.* **San Francisco Bay Guardian.** December 30

1989 Bill Kisliuk *Unconventional Artist Draws from Her Past.* **San Francisco Tenderloin Times** December   
1988 *From Personal Experience.* **The Register Guard.** Eugene, Oregon. August 12  
1985 Judi Brooks *Introducing Michal Bass Sagar* **The Galleria Magazine San Francisco** April

1979 *The art of relaxing.* **San Francisco Examiner** September 27