

## KELLY BIRKENRUTH

### EXHIBITIONS

- 2023**
- *Mimesis*, MEAM Museum  
Barcelona, Spain
  - *LA Art Show*, Abend Gallery  
Los Angeles, CA
  - *International Biennial Portrait Competition*, Wausau Museum  
Wausau, WI
  - *Valentine Gems*, Susan Powell Fine Art  
Madison, CT
  - *Pushing Forward Reaching Back*, American Women Artists  
Brookgreen Gardens, SC
  - *45th Annual Open Exhibition*, Salmagundi Club  
New York, NY
  - *Summer in New England*, Susan Powell Fine Art  
Madison, CT
  - *5 x 5 Project XIII*, Abend Gallery  
Denver, CO
- 2022**
- *LA Art Show*, Abend Gallery  
Los Angeles, CA
  - *Breaking Through*, Customs House Museum, American Women Artists  
Clarksville, TN
  - *Modern Male IV Exhibition*, Bowersock Gallery  
Provincetown, MA
  - *Liberating the Flesh*, Zhou B Art Center  
Chicago, IL
  - *5x5 Project XI*, Abend Gallery  
Denver, CO
  - *Valentine Gems*, Susan Powell Fine Art  
Madison, CT
  - *New York Figurative Show*, Salmagundi Club  
New York, NY
  - *Braveheart*, Lovetts Gallery  
Tulsa, OK
  - *Artists to Watch*, Susan Powell Fine Art  
Madison, CT
  - *32nd Annual Holiday Miniatures Show*, Abend Gallery  
Denver, CO
  - *Member's Only Competition*, Portrait Society of America
  - *Art Renewal Center 16th Annual International Salon*

- 2021** - *Femmes Des Fleurs, Solo Show*, Abend Gallery  
Denver, CO
- *Women Painting all over the world*, MEAM Museum  
Barcelona, Spain
  - *LA Art Show*, Abend Gallery  
Los Angeles. CA
  - *Iconic*, Wausau Museum of Contemporary Art  
Wausau, WI
  - *New England Regional Juried Exhibition*, Guild of Boston Artists  
Boston, MA
  - *Contemporary Figuration*, Abend Gallery  
Denver, CO
  - *Modern Male III Exhibition*, Bowersock Gallery  
Provincetown, MA
  - *Summer Breeze Exhibition*, Lovetts Gallery  
Tulsa, OK
  - *Spring into Art*, Susan Powell Fine Art  
Madison, CT
  - *Lifting the Sky*, American Women Artists  
Online Exhibition
  - *Music/Man*, 33 Contemporary  
Chicago, IL
  - *Summer in New England Exhibition*, Susan Powell Fine Art  
Madison, CT
  - *Art Renewal Center 15th Annual International Salon*
  - *Member's Only Competition*, Portrait Society of America
  - *31st Annual Holiday Miniature Show*, Abend Gallery

- 2020** - *Whimsy, Solo Show*, Abend Gallery  
Denver, CO
- *Member's Only Competition*, Portrait Society of America
  - *Nor'Easter 50th Annual Juried Exhibition*, New Britain Museum of  
American Art  
New Britain, CT
  - *15th Annual International Juried Exhibition*, International Guild of Realism  
Principle Gallery  
Charleston, S.C.
  - *Seven to Watch*, Susan Powell Fine Art  
Madison, CT
  - *It Could be You: Portraiture in A Constructed World*, Portraits, Inc  
Birmingham, AL
  - *5 X 5 Project VII*, Abend Gallery  
Denver, CO
  - *Annual Holiday Show*, Susan Powell Fine Art  
Madison, CT

- *Holiday Open House* , Lovetts Gallery  
Tulsa, OK
- *30th Annual Holiday Miniature Show*, Abend Gallery  
Denver, CO

- 2019**
- *Painting Today*, MEAM Museum  
Barcelona, Spain
  - *Inside Out/Outside In*, RJD Gallery  
Bridgehampton, NY
  - *It Could Be You: Portraiture in A Constructed World*, Equity Gallery  
New York, NY
  - *Jackson Hole Art Fair*, Abend Gallery  
Jackson Hole, WY
  - *A Tradition of Excellence*, RS Hanna Gallery  
Fredericksburg, TX
  - *Art Renewal Center 14th Annual International Salon*
  - *14th Annual International Juried Exhibition* International Guild of Realism  
Principle Gallery  
Alexandria, VA
  - *5x5 Project IV*, Abend Gallery  
Denver, CO
  - *Modern Male*, Bowersock Gallery  
Provincetown, MA
  - *Annual Still Life Invitational* Susan Powell Fine Art  
Madison, CT
  - *Figuratively Speaking* Salmagundi Club  
New York, NY
  - *Valentine Gems* Susan Powell Fine Art  
Madison, CT
  - *Connecticut Academy of Fine Arts 108th Annual Exhibition*  
Mystic Museum of Art  
Mystic, CT
  - *In Bloom Online Exhibition* Abend Gallery  
Denver, CO

- 2018**
- *Annual Holiday Miniatures Exhibition* Abend Gallery  
Denver, CO
  - *Annual National Juried Exhibition* Wausau Museum of Contemporary Art  
Wausau, WI
  - *Figurative Art Group Exhibition* Dacia Gallery  
New York, NY
  - *Regional Juried Exhibition* Guild of Boston Artists  
Boston, MA
  - *Visions of Venus/Venus's Visions*

- Poets and Artists Juried Exhibition  
 Zhou B Art Center  
 Chicago, IL
- *Perspectives of the American Experience*  
 American Women Artists Juried Exhibition  
 Rockwell Museum  
 Corning, NY
  - *Annual Still Life Invitational* Susan Powell Fine Art  
 Madison, CT
  - *Art Renewal Center 13<sup>th</sup> Annual International Salon*
  - *Valentine Gems Show* Susan Powell Fine Art  
 Madison, CT
  - *Viva La Femme L'Atelier Berkshires*  
 Great Barrington, MA
  - *11<sup>th</sup> Biennial National Art Exhibition* Visual Art Center  
 Punta Gorda, FL
- 2017** - *Annual Still Life Invitational* Susan Powell Fine Art  
 Madison, CT
- *Summer Show* Hearle Gallery  
 Chatham, MA
  - *Under a Vast Sky* American Women Artists Juried Exhibition  
 Tucson Desert Art Museum  
 Tucson, AZ
  - *Annual Holiday Show* Susan Powell Fine Art  
 Madison, CT
- 2016** - *Annual Art Competition* Artists Magazine
- *Art Renewal Center 12<sup>th</sup> Annual International Salon*
  - *All Media Competition* Artists Magazine
  - *Annual Still Life Invitational* Susan Powell Fine Art  
 Madison, CT
- 2015** - *Portrait Society of America Members Only Competition*
- *Annual Holiday Show* Susan Powell Fine Art  
 Madison, CT
  - *Women Making Their Mark* Susan Powell Fine Art  
 Madison, CT
- 2014** - *Annual Still Life Invitational* Susan Powell Fine Art  
 Madison, CT
- *Solo Show* West Hartford Art League  
 West Hartford, CT
- 2013** - *CT+6 Annual Juried Show* West Hartford Art League  
 West Hartford, CT

- 2012** - *Open Juried Portrait Exhibition* My Studio Gallery  
Port Washington, N.Y.
- *Annual Still Life Invitational* Susan Powell Fine Art  
Madison, CT
  - *Salon International* Greenhouse Gallery  
San Antonio, TX
- 2011** - *Exhibition of Contemporary American Realism*  
America China Oil Painters Artists League  
Butler Institute of Fine Art, OH
- *Scottsdale Salon of Fine Art* Legacy Gallery  
Scottsdale, AZ
  - *Portrait Society of America Members Only Competition*
- 2010** - *Art Renewal Center 7th Annual International Salon*  
- *Annual Juried Show* New Britain Museum of American Art  
New Britain, CT
- *Object's of Art Group Show* Beardsley Fine Arts Gallery  
Wilton, CT
  - *Mini Masterpieces* New Britain Museum of American Art  
New Britain, CT
  - *Faces of Winter* Connecticut Society of Portrait Artists  
Stamford, CT
- 2009** - *Annual Juried Show* New Britain Museum of American Art  
New Britain, CT
- *Connecticut Academy of Fine Arts Exhibition*  
Mystic, CT
  - *Faces of Winter* Connecticut Society of Portrait Artists  
Old Lyme, CT
- 2008** - *Juried Portrait Exhibition* West Hartford Art League  
West Hartford, CT
- *12th Open Exhibition* Catherine Lorillard Wolfe Art Club  
National Arts Club, N.Y.
  - *Artists Exhibition* The Red Tree Gallery  
Atascadero, CA
  - *Group Spring Show* Beardsley Fine Arts Gallery  
Wilton, CT
  - *Faces of Winter* Connecticut Society of Portrait Artists  
Greenwich, CT
- 2007** - *Group Show* Just Looking Gallery  
West Hartford, CT

- *Faces of Spring* Connecticut Society of Portrait Artists  
Old Lyme, CT
  
- 2006** *Salon International* Greenhouse Gallery  
San Antonio, TX  
- *77th Open Juried Exhibit* Connecticut Women Artists  
New Haven, CT
  
- 2005** - *Juried Portrait Exhibit* West Hartford Art League  
West Hartford, CT  
- *Spring Group Show* Hanging Tree Gallery  
Los Angeles, CA  
- *Group Show* Howell Green Gallery  
Malibu, CA  
- *2005 Juried Open* Topanga Canyon Gallery  
Topanga Canyon, CA
  
- 2004** - *76th Grand National* American Artists Professional League  
Salmagundi Club, N.Y.  
- *Romance to Romanticism* Keyes Gallery  
Springfield, MO
  
- 2003** - *Artist's Choice Exhibition* California Art Club  
Pasadena, CA  
- *1st Annual Exhibit* Southern California Society of Portrait Artists  
Laguna Beach, CA  
- *38th Annual Exhibition* San Bernardino County Museum  
San Bernardino, CA  
- *Annual National Juried Show* Silver Maple Gallery  
Waco, TX  
- *72nd Annual Exhibition* Hudson Valley Art Association  
Hastings-on-Hudson, N.Y.
  
- 2002** - *Echoes and Visions* Laguna Niguel 5th Annual Juried Show  
Laguna Niguel, CA  
- *74th Grand National* American Artists Professional League  
Salmagundi Club, N.Y.

## **AWARDS**

Salmagundi Club 45th Annual Open 2023  
 ~~ **American Artist Professional League Award**  
 Portrait Society of America 2022  
 ~~ **7th Place** Commissioned Portrait Category  
 ~~ **Finalist** Still Life Category  
 Art Renewal Center 16th International Salon

~~**Finalist**  
Portrait Society of America 2021  
~~ **7th place** Non-Commissioned Portrait Category  
Blue Review Art Prize  
~~ **Honorable Mention**  
Art Renewal Center 15th International Salon  
~~ **Finalist**  
Portrait Society of America 2020  
~~ **Finalist** Commissioned Portrait Category  
Art Renewal Center 14<sup>th</sup> International Salon  
~~ **Finalist**  
Connecticut Academy of Fine Arts 108<sup>th</sup> Annual Exhibition  
~~ **2nd Place**  
Art Renewal Center 13<sup>th</sup> International Salon  
~~ **Finalist**  
American Women Artists "Under a Vast Sky" Exhibition  
Tucson Desert Art Museum  
~~ **Award of Excellence**  
Artists Magazine Annual Art Competition  
~~ **Finalist**  
Art Renewal Center 12<sup>th</sup> International Salon  
~~ **Finalist**  
Artists Magazine All Media Competition  
~~ **Honorable Mention**  
Portrait Society of America 2015  
~~ **2nd Place** Still Life Category  
CT+6 Annual Juried Exhibition  
~~ **Best of Show**  
Port Washington, N.Y. Open Juried Portrait Competition  
~~ **Second Place**  
Art Renewal Center 9<sup>th</sup> International Salon  
~~ **Finalist**  
America China Oil Painters Artists League  
Exhibition of Contemporary American Realism  
~~ **Finalist**  
Portrait Society of America 2014  
~~ **5th Place** Non-Commissioned Portraits  
~~ **Honorable Mention** Commissioned Portraits  
Art Renewal Center 7<sup>th</sup> International Salon  
~~ **Finalist**  
West Hartford Art League Juried Portrait Exhibition  
~~ **First Place**  
Connecticut Society of Portrait Artists Faces of Spring  
~~ **Honorable Mention**  
Topanga Canyon Gallery Open Juried Exhibition

~~ **Best of Show** Oil Painting Category

**PUBLICATIONS**

- MEAM Museum, Mimesis Representational Art  
April 2023
- American Art Collector  
August 2022 Issue 202
- American Art Collector  
August 2021 Issue 190
- American Art Collector  
October 2020 Issue 180
- MEAM Museum, Your Best Painting Tomo II, Galeria Artelibre  
2020
- MEAM Museum, Painting Today, International Women's Day  
March 2019
- American Art Collector  
May 2018 Issue 151
- American Art Collector  
April 2016 Issue 126
- Art New England  
February 2018
- Wausau Museum of Contemporary Art  
ANJE 2018
- Poets and Artists, Visions of Venus  
February 2018, Issue 92
- Poets and Artists, 10th Anniversary Issue  
March 2018, Issue 92
- Poets and Artists, Painting the Figure Now  
July 2018, Issue 95

**COLLECTIONS**

UCONN Medical Center  
Hartford Hospital  
Grove Hill Medical Center  
American School for the Deaf  
Avon Public Schools  
Florence Griswold Museum  
Morris Group, Inc