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## DEGREES COMPLETED

NYK Academy at the Harlem Studio of Art ~ <i>New York, NY</i>	Painting Diploma, 2012
	Drawing Certificate, 2011
Lesley University ~ <i>Cambridge, MA</i>	Master of Art Education, 2009
Maryland Institute College of Art ~ <i>Baltimore, Maryland</i>	Bachelor of Fine Arts, 2004

## PORTRAIT REPRESENTATION

Sewell Fine Portraiture Portraits, Inc.	August, 2012-present February 2013-present
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## SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

Salmagundi Club, Junior/Scholarship Exhibition, Certificate of Merit	April 2017
Annual Members Show ~ <i>Salmagundi Club, New York, NY</i>	May 2016
Neumann +1 ~ <i>Neumann Leather Factory, Hoboken, NJ</i>	April, 2016
Grand Opening Show ~ <i>Beverly McNeil Gallery, Birmingham, AL</i>	September 2014
Salmagundi New Members Show ~ <i>Salmagundi Club, New York, NY</i> *Certificate of Merit	May 2013
Portraits, Inc. Spring Portrait Exhibition ~ <i>Arader Gallery, New York, NY</i>	May, 2013
Spring Still Life Invitational ~ <i>Principle Gallery, Alexandria, VA</i>	April, 2013
Judith Kudlow & Artists from the NYK Academy ~ <i>Anderson Fine Art Gallery, St. Simon's Is, GA</i>	December, 2012
Shades of Grey ~ <i>Marran Gallery: Lesley University, Cambridge, MA</i>	May, 2009
Small Wonders: An AGC Exhibit ~ <i>Stove Factory Gallery: Charlestown, MA</i>	December, 2008

## AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

Portrait Society of America, <i>Annual Members Competition</i> , Finalist - Commissioned Portraiture	2018
Portrait Society of America, <i>Annual Members Competition</i> , Honorable Mention	2013

## SELECTED PORTRAIT COMMISSIONS

Jim Young Kim, President, World Bank, <i>Washington DC</i>	June, 2019
The Honorable Lawrence Lawson, Monmouth County Courthouse, <i>Freehold, NJ</i>	January, 2015
Dr Wendy Wintersteen, Dean of Agriculture, <i>Iowa State University</i>	December, 2014
Gerald C. Harvey, Chairman of the Board of Governors, <i>Rutgers University</i>	August, 2014
Dr. Marcel Zimetbaum (posthumous) ~ <i>Montefiore Hospital</i>	February, 2013

Liza Gladstein Amir was born in New Jersey in 1982. She began her studies at the Maryland Institute College of Art where she received her Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in 2004. She continued her studies at the Art Students League of New York, and the International School of Drawing and Painting in Umbria, Italy, but it wasn't until she spent a summer at the Florence Academy of Art that she found the training and working method she knew she'd been looking for: a curriculum based on the nineteenth century academic tradition. This led her to the NYK Academy at the Harlem Studio of Art, where, under the direction of Judith Pond Kudlow, she received her Certificate in Classical Drawing in 2011 and her Painting Diploma in 2012. Her work has been shown in Anderson Fine Art Gallery in St. Simon's Island, GA, Beverly McNeil Gallery in Birmingham AL, and Principle Gallery in Alexandria, VA. Portrait commissions include the New Jersey Superior Court, Iowa State University, Loma Linda Hospital, and Harvard University. She resides in Caldwell, NJ with her husband, two sons and daughter.