

## Tamara Kostianovsky

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#### Education

MFA The Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, Philadelphia, PA, 2001-2004

BFA, Escuela Nacional de Bellas Artes "Prilidiano Pueyrredon", Buenos Aires, Argentina, 1994-1998

#### Solo Exhibitions

##### 2023

*Tropical Abattoir*, RX Gallery, Paris, France

*Botanical Revolution*, The Baker Museum, Naples, FL

*Renewal: Sculptures by Tamara Kostianovsky*, Denver Botanic Gardens, CO

*Mesmerizing Flesh*, Ogden Contemporary Art, UT

##### 2022

*Grafted Gardens*, Slag/RX Gallery, NY

##### 2021

*Fibrous Landscapes*, Galerie RX, Paris, France

*Between Wounds and Folds*, Smack Mellon, Brooklyn, NY

*Tamara Kostianovsky: Savage Legacy*, Fuller Craft Museum, Brockton, MA

##### 2017

*To Prevent Bad Luck*, Y Gallery, NY

##### 2015

*Relic*, Urban Institute for Contemporary Art, Grand Rapids, MI

*After Goya*, Nevada Museum of Art, Reno, NV

##### 2011

*Seeing Red*, Magrorocca Galleria, Milan, Italy

*Stains*, Slag Gallery, NY

##### 2008

*Actus Reus*, Black and White Gallery, NY

##### 2006

*Diaspora*, Philadelphia Museum of Jewish Art, Philadelphia, PA

##### 2004

*Hair-Map*, University of the Arts, Rosenwald-Wolf Gallery, Philadelphia, PA

##### 2001

*Phantasmata*, Nexus Gallery, Philadelphia, PA

#### Selected Group Exhibitions

##### 2023

*Arboreal*, Skidmore College, NY

*Beyond the Margins, An Exploration of Latina Art and Identity*, Blue Galleries at Boise State University, ID

##### 2022

*Beyond the Margins, An Exploration of Latina Art and Identity*, Utah Museum of Contemporary Art (UMOCA), Salt Lake City, UT

*Social Fabric: Textiles and Contemporary Issues*, Newport Art Museum, RI

*If Tomorrow Comes*, BravinLee Programs, NY

*Vous etes un arbre!* Les Franciscaines, Deauville, France

*Nature*, Slag Gallery, NY

*Nature*, RX Gallery, Paris, France

##### 2021

*Stains*, Slag Gallery, NY

*Vida, Muerte, Justicia (Life, Death, Justice)*, Weber State University, UT

*Coton, Dissonances Artistiques*, Musee du Textile et de la Mode de Cholet, France

*If you Lived Here You'd be Home by Now*, Wassaic Project, NY

*Everyday Magic: Artistic/Gnostic Impulses*, National Arts Club, NY

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### 2020

*Rooted*, Trees in Contemporary Art, Palo Alto Art Center, Palo Alto, CA

*Inside Art*, Children's Museum of Manhattan, NY

*Back to the Source*, Wave Hill Gardens, Bronx, NY

### 2019

*Woven Walls*, Morgan Lehman Gallery, NY

*Arcadia Earth*, The First Immersive Augmented Reality Journey through Planet Earth, NY

*Off Menu: Contemporary Art About Food*, Bedford Gallery, Walnut Creek, CA

*Feast and Famine*, Paul Robeson Galleries, Rutgers University, NJ

*Ficciones*, Bienal Sur, Centro Cultural Paco Urondo, Buenos Aires, Argentina

*Fauna of Mirrors*, LIU, Brooklyn NY

### 2016

*Natural Resistance*, Y Gallery, NY

*Weave Wars*, Indianapolis Art Center, IN

### 2014

*El Museo Starter Kit*, El Museo del Barrio, NY

*Apocryphal Times*, Friedman Benda Gallery, NY

### 2013

*Voces y Visiones*, Nevada Museum of Art, Reno, NV

*Nourritures Premiers*, Maison&Object, Paris Nord Villepinte, Paris, France

### 2013

*Vista, Plans and Cultural Landscapes*, University of Maryland, MD

### 2010

*Consume*, Exit Art, NY

*Hair Tactics*, Jersey City Museum, NJ

### 2009

*Reinventing Ritual*, The Jewish Museum, NY

*Emerging Artist Fellowship Exhibition*, Socrates Sculpture Park, NY

### 2007

*The (S) Files 007/ El Museo's Bienal*, El Museo del Barrio, NY

### 2006

*Wild Girls*, Exit Art, NY

### 2005

*Other America*, Exit Art, NY

### 2003

*The L Factor*, Exit Art, NY

## Awards, Honors, and Residencies

### 2023

NYFA Sculpture, Finalist

The Virginia A. Groot Foundation Award

### 2022

Puffin Foundation Grant, NY

Sustainable Foundation Grant

Yaddo Artist-in-Residence, NY

### 2021

Foundation for Contemporary Art Grant, NY

### 2018

Winter Workspace, Wave Hill Gardens, NY

### 2012

Pollock-Krasner Foundation Grant, NY

Franconia Sculpture Park/Jerome Foundation Fellowship, MN

### 2010

John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation Fellowship, NY

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### 2009

New York Foundation for the Arts (NYFA) Fellowship, NY  
Emerging Artist Fellowship, Socrates Sculpture Park, NY  
Lower Manhattan Cultural Council, Swing Space, NY  
Artist Alliance Visual Arts Residency, NY

### 2008

Pollock-Krasner Foundation Grant, NY  
Cisneros-Fontanals Foundation (CIFO), Finalist, FL

### 2005

Pew Fellowships in the Arts, Finalist, Philadelphia, PA

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