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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 Past* 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 **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 **22 North Chimera** Ypsilant, MI
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
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 21st Century* 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* San Francisco, 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* Minneapolis, 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:

- 2018 Professional Development Workshop MCAD MFA Program Minneapolis, MN
Moderator Rimon Artist Salon Series – *Diaspora & Cultural Survival: A Crypto-Jewish Perspective* Minneapolis, MN
- 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
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 St. 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 21st Century* 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
- 2004 Mary Abbe *Prism of Longing* Minneapolis Star Tribune January 22
Sarah Leomporra *A date with your subconscious* The Wheel The 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
- 1989 Bill Kisliuk *Unconventional Artist Draws from Her Past* San Francisco Tenderloin Times December
- 1992 Harry Roche *First Annual Luggage Show* San Francisco Bay Guardian December 30
- 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