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## Showings

### 2022 *Austin Studio Tour*

2022 *Birdsong in the Anthropocene*, McCrory Timmerman Galleries, Taylor, Tx, group show

2022 *Sum of the Parts*, Lydia Street Gallery, solo exhibition.

2022 *Earth Shift: She Will Have Her Way with You*, Cloud Tree Studios Gallery, solo exhibition

### 2021 *Austin Studio Tour*

2021 *Paperworks*, Georgetown Art Center, group exhibition

2020 *The Femme Abstract*, Austin, group exhibition

2020 *Habitats and Pathways*, Camiba Art Gallery, solo exhibition

2019 *Art at Flower Hill*, The Flower Hill Urban Homestead Museum, solo exhibition

2019 *The Story of the Deer in the Road*, Camiba Art Gallery, solo exhibition

2019 *Women of West Go East*, Cloud Tree Studios and Pump Project

### 2019 *West Austin Studio Tour*

2018 *Valerie Fowler: Art at Flower Hill*, Neill-Cochran House Museum, solo exhibition

### 2018 *West Austin Studio Tour*

2018 *The Peoples Gallery*, Austin City Hall

### 2017 *West Austin Studio Tour*

2016-2017 *Valerie Fowler: Nature and Other Stories*, Dougherty Arts Center, Solo Exhibition

### 2016 *West Austin Studio Tour*

2016 *Botanicals*, Georgetown Art Center, Georgetown, Texas

2016 *The People's Gallery*, Austin City Hall

2016 *Artists INC Exhibition*, La Pena, Austin

2015 *Vessel*, Utility Research Garden, group exhibition, Austin

2015 *Regional Juried Exhibition*, Artspace111, Fort Worth

### 2015 *West Austin Studio Tour*

2015 *The People's Gallery*, Austin City Hall

2014 *Shadows and Light*, Agaveprint, Austin

2014 *Ivy and the Wicker Suitcase, Book Illustrations*, The Brandon, Café Brasil, Houston

2014 *The Great Outdoors*, Georgetown Art Center, Georgetown, Texas

2014 *Spoon*, Agaveprint, Austin

2014 *Regional Juried Exhibition*, Artspace111, Fort Worth

2014 *Hunting Art Prize*, Houston

2014 *The People's Gallery*, Austin City Hall

2014 *Assistance League of Houston Celebrates Texas Art*, Houston

2014 *Ivy and the Wicker Suitcase, Original Book Illustrations*, Georgetown Public Library, Georgetown, Tx

2013 *Out on a Limb-The Tree as Art and Metaphor*, Dell Jewish Community Center, Austin

2013 *The People's Gallery*, Austin City Hall.

2013 *Woodlands High School Art Trust Gala and Fundraiser*, Houston (painting: *Rio Frio, Opening Earth* purchased for permanent collection)

2013 *Assistance League of Houston Celebrates Texas Art*, Houston

2012 *EAST Austin studio Tour*, Pump Project, Agaveprint, and Boom Gallery, Austin

2012 *Grassroots*, Austin Airport

2012 *Seven Takes on Landscape*, Austin Art Connections

2012 *The Peoples's Gallery*, Austin City Hall

2011 *East Austin Studio Tour*, guest of Agaveprint  
2011 *Home Studio Art Show and Ivy and the Wicker Suitcase Musical Preview*, Austin  
2010 *Drawing it Out*, U.S. Art Authority, Austin  
2007 *Paint*, Davis Gallery, Austin  
2007 *The People's Gallery*, Austin City Hall  
2005-06 *Valerie Fowler: New Paintings*, Phlox, Austin  
2004 *Summer Swim*, 2040 Gallery, Austin  
2003 *Secret Furniture*, Gallery Lombardi, Austin  
2003 *Love Connection*, 2040 Gallery, Austin  
2003 *Christmas Assembly*, Gallery Lombardi, Austin  
2001 *Summer Show*, D. Berman Gallery, Austin,  
1988 *Introductions*, Hooks-Epstein Galleries, Houston,

#### Performances

2020 January, *The Story of the Deer in the Road*, Crankie performance, Georgetown Art Center  
2019 November 10, *Flower Hill Crankie #1*, Crankie performance, Flower Hill Urban Homestead Museum  
2019 September 14, 21 & 26, *The Story of the Deer in the Road* - Crankie performance, Camiba Art.  
2018 November, Art Alliance Austin's Artbash, *Flower Hill Crankie #1*.  
2018 September, *Flower Hill Crankie #1*, Neill-Cochran House Museum, Austin, and performances during the 2018 West Austin Studio Tour  
2016 December, *Ivy and the Wicker Suitcase*, Dougherty Arts Theater, Austin  
2016 February, *Ivy and the Wicker Suitcase*, Faulk Central Library, Austin  
2015 Spring, *Ivy and the Wicker Suitcase*, West Coast Tour  
2014 November, Set Design and live performance, *Ivy and the Wicker Suitcase*, Stateside at the Paramount Theater, Austin  
2014 Summer, *Ivy and the Wicker Suitcase*, East Coast Tour

#### Teaching Experience

2017- 2019 Faculty Art Instructor, The Contemporary at Laguna Gloria, The Art School  
2007-2019 Home Studio Art Instructor

#### Presentations

2018 October, *Meet the Texas Book Festival Artist*, Artist Talk and performance: *Flower Hill Crankie #1*, The Contemporary, Austin  
2018 Artist Talk, Neill-Cochran House Museum, *Valerie Fowler: Art at Flower Hill*  
2018 June, Pecha Kucha, Austin #31  
2017 February, Guest Artist Talk, St Edwards University  
2017 January 4, Artist Talk, Dougherty Arts Center, *Nature and Other Stories*, solo exhibition  
2015 Art After Six, Artist Talk in connection with Austin City Hall's 2015 Exhibition  
2014 Artist Gallery Talk, Georgetown Art Center

#### Commercial and Graphic Art Experience

2018 Contracted with Pomegranate Communications, published: calendar, puzzle, greeting cards  
2016 Artwork: *Newning and Park Lane*, KUTX radio, promotional CD cover  
2011 Illustrated book, 62 illustrated pages, *Ivy and the Wicker Suitcase*, to accompany CD for musical, written and produced by Brian Beattie  
1994-2000 The Texas Observer, Contributing Artist, Austin, Tx.

1993-1994 Murals completed for Whole Foods Markets in Austin, Chicago, and Ann Arbor.  
1987-1989 Public News, Layout Artist and Illustrator, Houston, Tx  
1985-1987 The Texas Observer, Layout Artist and Illustrator, Austin, Tx.

#### Awards and Recognition

2016 - 2021 City of Austin Cultural Funding Grant  
2018 Festival Poster Artist, The Texas Book Festival 2018  
2017 Silver Award, 2 Dimensional Art, Bastrop Art in Public Places  
2017 Finalist, Faces of Austin, short film competition, *Valerie Fowler: Nature and Other Stories*,  
by John Clark  
2015 Fellow, Artist Inc, through the City of Austin and the Mid-America Arts Alliance  
2014 Finalist, Hunting Art Prize, Houston

#### Education

1985 The University of Texas at Austin, BA in Art

#### Press

2022, February 26, Sightlines, *Painted Nature: Valerie Fowler's 'Earth Shift'*, by Jeanne Claire van Ryzin.  
2020 KUT Arts Eclectic; *Urgency and Focus: Painter Valerie Fowler on Her New Body of Work*, 8/10/2020  
2019 The Austin Chronicle, Reviews 9/20/2019, *Valerie Fowler: The Story of the Deer in the Road*,  
"Wonderfully painted memories of where the wild (and even-toed ungulate) things are", Wayne Allen Brenner  
2018 KLRU Austin, 1/3/18, *Botanical Artist Valerie Fowler | Central Texas Gardener*  
2016 The Austin Chronicle, Reviews 12/30/2016, *Valerie Fowler: Nature and Other Stories*; "The art here tells local stories but is universal in ways that are loud, strange, and reverent for uncontrolled nature" Sam Anderson-Ramos