

# ELIZABETH GARAT

## Selected Exhibitions

- 2016 *River Arts Festival Invitational 2016*, ANF Architects, Memphis, TN
- 2016 *Place Keepers*, Annesdale Park Gallery, Memphis, TN
- 2015 *Epilogue II* at Masonic Contemporary, Jason Miller- Curator, Memphis, TN
- 2015 *New Works* by Elizabeth Garat & Anne Froning, *Circuitous Succession Gallery*, Memphis, TN
- 2015 *57<sup>th</sup> Annual Delta Arts Exhibition*, Regional Juried Exhibition, George Dombek- Juror, Arkansas Arts Center, Little Rock, AR
- 2015 *Water Works II*, Internat'l Juried Exhibition, Juri Koll, Peter Frank & John Yau- Jurors, Venice Institute of Contemporary Art and Porch Gallery, Ojai, CA
- 2014 *56<sup>th</sup> Annual Delta Arts Exhibition*, Brian Rutenberg-Juror, Arkansas Arts Center, Little Rock, AR
- 2014 featured artist, June, *RS Antiques & Art*, Memphis, TN
- 2012 *Con gli Occhi degli Artisti Stranieri, (Through Foreign Eyes)* Forte Sangallo, Civita Castellana, Italy
- 2011 *Luminous*, Works by Elizabeth Garat & Anne Froning, Buckman Performing and Fine Arts Center, Memphis, TN
- 2009 *Bird's Nest Invitational*, Brandon Michael Fine Art, Santa Fe, New Mexico
- 2008 *On Location 2000-2007, Paintings and Photographs*, Germantown Performing Arts Center, Germantown, TN
- 2007 *Bella Toscana; Three Painters' Impressions of Tuscany* works by Elizabeth Garat, Christine A. Ritchie & Deborah Whitt, Askew Nixon Ferguson Architects, Memphis, TN
- 2006 *Quartet*, works by Elizabeth Garat, Sally Markell, Sybil McBeth, Anne Wike, Memphis Botanical Garden, Memphis, TN
- 2005 *En Vacances: Views from Madeira, Santa Catalina, and Beyond*, Buckman Performing and Fine Arts Center, Memphis, TN
- 2003 *California Native: State of Grace*, California Land and Seascapes, Gallery 32, Germantown, TN
- 2001 *Duende: Power, Passion & Paint*, works by Elizabeth Garat & Christine A. Ritchie, Buckman Performing and Fine Arts Center, Memphis, TN
- 1999 *Landscape and Memory*, works by Elizabeth Garat & Christine A. Ritchie, Stonerow Studios, Jim Thorpe, PA

## GALLERY AFFILIATIONS

Annesdale Park Gallery, Memphis, TN, David Hasty- owner

## PROFESSIONAL/TEACHING

- 1997-present Fine Arts faculty, St. Mary's Episcopal School, Memphis, TN  
1997 – 2015 Freelance Exhibition Designer, Memphis, TN  
2000-2006 Creator/Facilitator "Drawing on the Creator Within," Monday Night Art Experiences for Adults, Memphis, TN  
1990-1994 Assistant to International Costume Designer Dunya Ramicova  
1988-90 Resident Costume Designer, Playhouse on the Square & Circuit Playhouse, Memphis, TN

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- Plein Air Painting Workshop, Julian Merrow-Smith, Provence, France  
Plein Air Painting Workshop, Simiane la Rotonde (Provence) France, with Brigitte Curt and Jim Smyth  
Ongoing study of plein air oil painting with Maddine Insalaco and Joe Vinson, Tuscany, Italy  
Plein Air and Studio Landscape painting with California painter, Elizabeth Tolley

## BIBLIOGRAPHY

- WKNO FM Memphis, Checking on the Arts airdate April 13, 2016, Interview re: Place Keepers with Kacky Walton
- Exhibition Catalog *Water Works II*, 2015
- Exhibition Catalog, *Through Foreign Eyes/ Con gli occhi degli artisti stranieri a Civita Castellana*, October 2012 Maddine Insalaco, Emanuele Rossini, and JoeVinson authors, Museo Archeologico dell'Agro Falisco-Forte Sangallo, and Cappella Papale Civita Castellana; publishers
- The Commercial Appeal, Women to Watch, June 12, 2011  
<http://www.commercialappeal.com/news/2011/jun/12/women-to-watch-students-time-away- inspire-artist/?partner=RSS>

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## EDUCATION

- 1988 MFA, Costume Design, Dept. of Design and Production, University of North Carolina School of the Arts  
1986 MA, Drama; History, Theory and Criticism, University of California at Santa Barbara, CA  
1984 BA with honors, Film Studies, University of California at Santa Barbara, CA

## ARTIST'S WEBSITES

- Studio and Plein Air Landscape Paintings <http://elizabethgarat.com>  
Contemporary Watercolors <http://elizabethgarat.carbonmade.com/>

