**JESSICA CURTAZ**

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**EDUCATION**

2007Master of Fine Arts,Claremont Graduate University, emphasis in drawing.

1999 Bachelor of Arts in Fine Art, University of California at Santa Cruz, emphasis in lithography and intaglio.

1999 Bachelor of Arts in Biology, University of California at Santa Cruz, emphasis in plant biology.

**SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2019 *Uprooted*, Fleisher Art Memorial, Philadelphia, PA.

2019 *Arachne*, National Liberty Museum Project Space, Philadelphia, PA.

2018 *Rootage*, Gallery 543, Philadelphia, PA.

2018 *Outside In*, Philadelphia International Airport, Philadelphia, PA.

2016 *Into Fractions*, Bert Green Fine Art, Chicago, IL.

2015 *Standing Still*, Offramp Gallery, Pasadena, CA.

2013 *Under the Sun’s Glare*, Charles Hartman Fine Art, Portland, OR.

2013 *That’s for Remembrance*, Offramp Gallery, Pasadena, CA.

2013 *Fold*, Bert Green Fine Art, Chicago, IL.

2011 *Start Here,* Bert Green Fine Art, Los Angeles, CA.

2011 *In Relation*, Charles Hartman Fine Art, Portland, OR.

2009 *Push*, Bert Green Fine Art, Los Angeles, CA.

2008 *Through The Wire*, Charles Hartman Fine Art, Portland, OR.

2007 *All Fall Down*, Peggy Phelps Gallery, Claremont Graduate University, Claremont, CA.

2004 *Tunnel Vision*, Gallery 825, Los Angeles CA.

**SELECT GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

Two and three person shows marked by \*

2019 *Summer Selections*, Charles Hartman Fine Art, Portland, OR

*Art in Action*, Main Line Art Center, Haverford, PA

2018 *It’s a Wrap: 20 for 20*, Philadelphia International Airport, Philadelphia, PA

*Art in Action*, Main Line Art Center, Haverford, PA

*Winter Group 2018*, Charles Hartman Fine Art, Portland, OR

2017 *Scope Miami*, Bombay Sapphire Artisan Series, Miami, FL

*The Bombay Sapphire Artisan Series*, The Painted Bride, Philadelphia, PA

*Teaching Artist Exhibiti*on, Main Line Art Center, Haverford, PA

2016 *LA Art Show*, Bert Green Fine Art, Los Angeles, CA

*Teaching Artist Exhibition*, Main Line Art Center, Haverford, PA

2015 *MathThematic*, Esther Klein Gallery, Philadelphia, PA

*Exquisite Echoes*\*, Gray Gallery, Philadelphia, PA

2014 *Fasted Lines*\*, Umpqua Valley Arts Center, Roseburg, OR

*Seven*, Charles Hartman Fine Art, Portland, OR

*Drawings*, Bert Green Fine Art, Chicago, IL

2013 *A Visible Mark*, *Contemporary Drawing*, Norco College Art Gallery, Norco, CA

*Sea and Sky*, Liz Afif Gallery, Philadelphia, PA

*Cellular/Molecular*, Esther Klein Gallery, Philadelphia, PA

2012 Venice Art Walk, Venice, CA

Chicago Inaugural Exhibition, Bert Green Fine Art, Chicago, IL

2011 *Mapping Affection*, Umpqua Community College, Roseburg, OR

 Art Market Art Fair, Charles Hartman Fine Art, San Francisco, CA

 Suite Art Fair, Charles Hartman Fine Art, Dallas, TX

2010 *It’s Who You Know*, Projects Gallery, Philadelphia, PA

*Auction 100*, Laguna Art Museum, Laguna, CA

2009 Venice Art Walk, Venice, CA

*Composed\**, Jill Thayer Gallery, Bakersfield, CA

Los Angeles Art Show, Bert Green Fine Art, Los Angeles, CA

2008 *East of Eden*, Barnsdall Art Park, Bert Green Fine Art, Los Angeles, CA

*Marks on Paper*, Pharmaka, Los Angeles, CA

*First/Last*, Winsted Adams Projects, Los Angeles, CA

Venice Art Walk, Venice, CA

 *Some Complications\**, Coma Art Space, Los Angeles, CA

 *Body without Organs\**, Merlino Gallery, California State University, Long Beach, CA

2007 *Don’t Fence Me In*, Bandini Art, Culver City, CA

 Bridge Art Fair Miami, Bert Green Fine Art, Miami, FL

 *Synchronic*, Area 1 Gallery, Santa Monica, CA

 *GLAMFA*, Long Beach State University, Long Beach, CA

 *Membunuh Hari Tua (Killing the Past)*, Pipuangpu Space Lab, Yogyakarta, Indonesia

 *Pillow Talk*, Ruth Bachofner Gallery, Bergamot Station, Santa Monica, CA

 Bridge Art Fair Chicago, Bert Green Fine Art, Chicago IL

2006 *Delicacy\**, Bandini Art, Culver City, CA

 Bridge Art Fair Miami, Bert Green Fine Art, Miami FL

*Natural Flavors*, East and Peggy Phelps Galleries, Claremont Graduate University, Claremont, CA

*Fresh stART*, Area 1 Gallery, Santa Monica, CA

*New Ground*, Landis Art Center Gallery, Riverside, CA

*Random Perspectives*, Red House Gallery, Venice, CA

*I Like You*, East and Peggy Phelps Galleries, Claremont Graduate University, Claremont, CA

*W/E Trade*, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA

*Drawings*, Gallery C, Hermosa Beach, CA

2005 *Incognito*, Santa Monica Museum of Art, Santa Monica, CA

*Petite Works III*, 825 Annex, Bergamot Station, Santa Monica CA

*Drawn to the Line*, Risk Press Gallery, West Hollywood, CA

*Hand Pulled*, Michael C. Folonis, AIA, Santa Monica, CA

*OutAuction 2005*, Pacific Design Center, Los Angeles, CA

 *Kairotic Orbit*, Downtown Art Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

*50/50 Show*, Gallery 825, Los Angeles, CA

*More Patterns*, Revisited/Bamboo Lane, China Town, CA

*In the Abstract*, Gallery 825, Los Angeles, CA

 *Fresh stART*, Area 1 Gallery, Santa Monica, CA

2004 *Petite Works II*, 825 Annex, Bergamot Station, Santa Monica CA

 *Square Blue Fire Restoration Gala*, Square Blue Gallery, Costa Mesa CA

*Silent Auction*, Andrewshire Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

*50/50 Show*, Gallery 825, Los Angeles CA

 *Venice Art Walk*, Venice, CA

 *White Planes*, Gallery 825, Los Angeles CA

 *LAPS New Member’s Show*, Old Town Gallery, Tustin CA

 *New Member’s Show*, Gallery 825, Los Angeles CA

2003 *Open*, Gallery 825, Los Angeles CA

 *200*, Andrewshire Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

 *Petite Works*, Gallery 825 Annex, Bergamot Station, Los Angeles CA

*And Now a Word from our Sponsor…*, Gallery 825, Los Angeles, CA

 *8 1/2 x 11*, Gallery 727, Los Angeles, CA

 *The 50/50 Show*, Gallery 825, West Hollywood, CA

 *Women’s Festival of the Arts*, Second City Council Art Gallery, Long Beach, CA

1999 *Irwin Scholarship Exhibition*, Sesnon Art Gallery, Santa Cruz, CA

1997 *Women’s Art Show*, Cowell College, Santa Cruz, CA

 *Novos Art Show*, Smith Gallery, Santa Cruz, CA

**PUBLIC WORKS**

2019 Garden Mural (ceramic tiles and mural paint), Joseph Catharine Elementary School, Philadelphia, PA

2019 *Eye Bird* Yarn Mural, Main Line Art Ceneter, Haverford, PA

2019 *Fire Salamander* Yarn Mural, multiple locations, Kensington, PA

2018 *Prick* Yarn Mural, Philadelphia International Airport, Philadelphia, PA

2017 *Community Garden* Yarn Mural, Versailles Play Room, Philadelphia, PA

**PRESS**

2019 [*fleisher.org*](http://fleisher.org), “Flowers, Insects and Aliens….Oh My!”, by Kailee Walsh, October 2019

2018 *TheMomEdit.com*, “Jessica Curtaz – Yarnbombing Outside, On Display Inside”, by Shana Dragelis, June 2018

2018 *Philadelphia Magazine*, “Takin’ it to the Streets”, by Lauren Kubiak and Erin Moran, April 2018, pp.107-109 (illus.)

2017 *Streets Department*, “Did a Philly street artist just create the best new symbol for female empowerment in the Trump era?”, by Conrad Benner, June 2017

2017 *Philadelphia Style Magazine*, Lifestyle, “6 Philadelphia Street Artists to Follow on Instagram Right Now”, By Michelle Mass, June 2017

2016*Streets Department*, “Philadelphia’s Top 10 Street Art Moments of 2016”, by Conrad Benner, December 2016

2009 *THE magazine*, Reviews, “Jessica Curtaz, Bert Green Fine Art”, by Christopher Michno, April 2009, pp. 43 (illus.)

2009 *ARTnews*, Reviews: National, “Jessica Curtaz, Charles A. Hartman Fine Art”, by Richard Speer, February 2009, pp. 110 (illus.).

2008 *The Oregonian*, “Prickly Precision on Display, by D.K. Row, October 17, 2008, pp. 34 (illus.).

**FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS**

2019 Fleisher Art Memorial Wind Challenge

2017 Finalist Bombay Sapphire Artisan Series

2007 Walker & Parker Memorial Fellowship, Claremont Graduate University

2006 Claremont Graduate Art Fellowship, Claremont Graduate University

1999 Porter College Undergraduate Fellowship, University of California at Santa Cruz

1999 Irwin Scholarship for Fine Art, University of California at Santa Cruz

**RESIDENCIES**

2021 Public Art Residency, Main Line Art Center, Haverford, PA

2019 South by Southeast, Mural Arts Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA

2019 Kensington Community Artist, Mural Arts Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA

2018 Kensington Community Artist, Mural Arts Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA

2017 Art Futures Residency, The Philadelphia Museum of Art, Philadelphia, PA

**TALKS AND PRESENTATIONS**

2020 *The Artist and Community Art in Times of Crisis* Panel Discussion, College of New Jersey

2018 Artist talk at the Philadelphia International Airport, Art Tour for the Center for Emerging Visual Arts(CFEVA) Collectors Circle, invitational

2018 Artist talk at the Philadelphia International Airport, Art Tour Lead by Conrad Benner of Streets Department, invitational

2015 Artist talk for *Exquisite Echoes,* Gray Gallery, Philadelphia, PA.

2007 GLAMFA Artist Panel Discussion, California State University Long Beach, Long Beach, CA. One of 5 invited participants.

2004 Artist talk for solo show *Tunnel Vision*, Gallery 825, West Hollywood, CA.

**PUBLICATIONS**

2018 Create! Magazine Issue 11, 2018, pp. 132-135 (illus.)

2013 Offramp Gallery’s Five Years of Contemporary Art Catalog, 2013, pp. 70-71 (illus.)

200*7 GLAMFA 2007 Exhibition Catalogue*, 2007, pp 32-33 (illus.).

2007 *Adhesive*, Claremont Graduate University’s student art journal, editor, Spring 2007.

2004 “Subtle Structure,” in *Contemporary Impressions: The Journal of the American Print Alliance*, Spring 2004, vol.12: pp 11-13. (illus.).