

SUSAN STEPHENSON

2014

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SELECTED EXHIBITIONS:

- 2014 UPCOMING EXHIBITION: **HOLLIS DUNLAP, NATHAN LEWIS, AND SUSAN STEPHENSON**, Six Summit Gallery, Ivoryton, CT.
- 2012 **FACULTY EXHIBITION**, Stillman Gallery, Lyme Academy College of Fine Arts, Old Lyme, CT.
- 2011 **A UNIQUE PERSPECTIVE: SUSAN STEPHENSON AND DEBORAH RANDALL**, Cate Charles Gallery, Stonington, CT.
SUSAN STEPHENSON, GUEST ARTIST, Imago Gallery, Warren, RI.
- 2010 **CONTEMPORARY REALISM BIENNIAL**, Fort Wayne Museum of Art, Fort Wayne, Indiana.
BY THE SEA, Cate Charles Gallery, Stonington, CT.
PLEIN AIR PAINTERS OF THE MARITIME GALLERY, The Maritime Gallery at Mystic Seaport.
- 2009 **STUDIO FACULTY EXHIBITION**, Stillman Gallery, Lyme Academy College of Fine Arts, Old Lyme, CT.
- 2007 **SUSAN STEPHENSON: INSIDE-OUT**, Stonington Vineyards Gallery, Stonington, CT.
- 2006 **THE LANDSCAPE OF GOLF**, Newport Art Museum, Newport, RI.
- 2005 **LACFA AT THE THE ARNOT ART MUSEUM**, Arnot Art Museum, Elmira, NY.
URBAN ESCAPE, City Lights Gallery, Bridgeport, CT.
- 2004 **SUSAN STEPHENSON: COLOR AND LIGHT**, Masur Museum of Art, Monroe, LA.
REALISM NOW: TRADITIONS AND DEPARTURES, Vose Gallery, Boston, MA.
2004 MIAMI UNIVERSITY YOUNG PAINTERS COMPETITION, Hiestand Galleries, Oxford, OH.
- 2003 **SUSAN STEPHENSON: RECENT PAINTINGS**, South College, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA.
- 2002 **BIENNIAL 2002**, Peninsula Fine Arts Center, Newport News, VA. Philip Pearlstein, Juror.
NATIONAL COMPETITION, Bowery Gallery, New York, NY. Wilbur Niewald, Juror.
REGIONAL ARTIST EXHIBITION, Pfizer Central Research, Groton, CT.
LAGRANGE NATIONAL BIENNIAL, Chattahoochee Valley Art Museum, LaGrange, GA. Benny Andrews, Juror.
22ND NATIONAL JURIED ART SHOW, New Orleans Art Association, New Orleans, LA. Kaywin Feldman, Juror.
- 2001 **SUSAN STEPHENSON: RECENT WORKS**, Stonington Vineyards Gallery, Stonington, CT.
AMERICAN LANDSCAPES, MFA Circle Gallery, Maryland Federation of Art, Annapolis, MD. Gary Vikan, Juror.
NATIONAL JURIED SHOW, Bowery Gallery, New York, NY. Janet Fish, Juror.
NATIONAL COMPETITION, Provincetown Art Association & Museum, Provincetown, MA. Rachel Rosenfield, Juror.
NATIONAL JURIED COMPETITION, Long Beach Island Foundation of the Arts and Sciences, Loveladies, NJ. Shamim Momin, Juror.
- 2000 **INTERIORS**, Gallery 214, Glenridge, New Jersey.
PAINTINGS OF THE GRIFFIS ART CENTER, Pfizer Central Research Division, Groton, CT.
26TH ANNUAL MYSTIC INTERNATIONAL, Mystic Maritime Gallery, Mystic, CT, 2000.
- 1999 **SUSAN STEPHENSON: RECENT PAINTINGS**, Stonington Vineyards Gallery, Stonington, CT.
- 1998 **FIGURE DRAWING IN THE ACADEMY TRADITION: 1890 – 1998**, LymeAcademy College of Fine Arts, Old Lyme, CT.
SUSAN STEPHENSON AND LYNN WALKER, Stonington Vineyards Gallery, Stonington, CT.
- 1997 **SUSAN STEPHENSON AND JERRY WEISS**, Stonington Vineyards Gallery, Stonington, CT.
VISIONS OF THE SEA, Gregory Gallery, Darien, CT.
- 1996 **LANDSCAPES: A NEW ENGLAND VIEW**, Gregory Gallery, Darien, CT.
ANNUAL FACULTY EXHIBITION, LymeAcademy College of Fine Arts, Old Lyme, CT.
- 1995 **REFIGURING THE FIGURE**, Creative Arts Workshop, New Haven, CT. Helen Cooper, Juror.
- 1993 **NATIONAL COMPETITION**, First Street Gallery, New York, NY. Janet Fish, Juror.
NATIONAL JURIED SHOW, Bowery Gallery, New York, NY. Rosemarie Beck, Juror.
6TH ANNUAL INDOOR EXHIBITION, Waterhouse Pavilion, Chattanooga, TN. Michael Auping, Juror.
7TH ANNUAL WOMEN IN THE ARTS JURIED EXHIBITION, Erector Square Gallery, New Haven, CT. Susana Viola Jacobson, Juror.
NEW ORLEANS FINE ARTS FESTIVAL, World Trade Center, New Orleans, Louisiana, 1993. Richard Schmid, Juror.

AWARDS AND HONORS:

Creative Capital professional development workshop, "Internet for Artists," 2011.
Fellowship in Painting: Rhode Island State Council on the Arts, 2004.
Fellowship: LymeAcademy College of Fine Arts Faculty Travel Grant, 2002.
Finalist: "Miami University Young Painters Competition," Oxford, Ohio, 2004.
Award of Excellence: "26th Annual Mystic International," Mystic Maritime Gallery, Mystic, CT, 2000.
Artist in Residence: The Griffis Art Center, New London, Connecticut, 1994 – 95.
Artist in Residence: Association for Visual Artists, Chattanooga, Tennessee, 1993.
Commission: Masur Museum of Art and Twin City Art Foundation, Monroe, LA, 2004.
Commission: "Ocean House 2000," private collector through Mystic Maritime Gallery, Mystic, Connecticut, 2000.
Travel Grant: 1992 NAN Award, chosen by painting faculty, Boston University College for the Arts.
Constantin Alajalov Painting Scholarship, Boston University College for the Arts, 1990 – 1992.
Faculty Art Scholarship, funded by studio faculty, Louisiana Tech University Department of Art and Architecture, 1986.

SELECTED COLLECTIONS:

Masur Museum, Monroe, LA.
Pfizer Central Research, Groton, CT.
Norman Bird Sanctuary, Newport, RI.
The Griffis Art Center, New London, CT.

EDUCATION:

1992 MFA, Boston University, Boston, MA. Studied with John Moore.
1990 BFA, Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, LA. Graduated summa cum laude, Phi Kappa Phi.

SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY:

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