

# Afsaneh Djabbari-Aslani

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#### **Profile**

Iranian born artist and activist. Multi-dimensional Fine Arts artist. Working in oils, acrylics, pastels and mixed media.

Interview with CT PUBLIC TELEVISION <a href="https://cptv.org/programs/where-art-thou-southern-fairfield-county">https://cptv.org/programs/where-art-thou-southern-fairfield-county</a>

Interview with Live Girl: <a href="https://golivegirl.org/qa-with-the-artist/2020/5/19/qa-afsanehaslani">https://golivegirl.org/qa-with-the-artist/2020/5/19/qa-afsanehaslani</a>

### https://youtu.be/K01Y1seuw5A

#### **Exhibits**

Mayor's Gallery - Stamford, CT 3/7-5/4 2023 Solo Show

High Line Nine - 4 - Group show Brazil X Iran - 2/2 - 2/15/2023

Stamford Loft Artist Association - Group and Juried Shows: 2018,2019, 2020, 2021, 2022 and January of 2023

New Canaan Art Society Juried and Group Shows- 2016,2017,2018, 2019,2020, 2021 and 2022

Clio Art Exhibit, New York City - Juried show October 2019

Live Girl - Empowering Young Women Exhibits - Juried show 2019, 2020, 2021, and 2022

Mayor's Gallery - Group Show 2017 Next Solo Show March 2023

Bankwell Solo Exhibition - 2017

Silvermine Art Guild - Juried shows 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013

## **Board Member and Fundraising**

Blossom Hill Foundation - Helping war effected children since 2010 and donating Art Work for fundraising purposes.

STAR - Standing Together Against Racism - Board Member- from the start of the foundation

New Canaan Art Society - Board Member .

Cultural Alliance of Fairfield County, Loft Artist Association and Greenwich Art Society member

### **Experience**

**VOLUNTEER ART HISTORY TEACHER -NEW CANAAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2003-2012** 

Trained over 300 docents over the years to take over 10,000 students from third grades through seventh grades to visit The Metropolitan Museum of Art, MoMa, The Wadsworth and Yale British Museum. Training included class lectures as well as individual training for the volunteer docents.

BARNARD COLLEGE, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY – ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF FINANCIAL AID AND HIGHER OPPORTUNITY PROGRAM 1991-1996

Worked with NY State to identify and award financial aid packages to qualifying underprivileged students. Processed all financial aid applications and packages for various grants, student loans and work studies. Met and advised parent and students on how to manage their education cost.

UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (UNDP) - PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICER 1984-1991

Worked in Media Relations and Press kits. Managed 6 publications in 11 languages with the different departments from the editorial board to the printers. Covered Latin America, Middle East and Africa departments. Before joining the Public Affairs Department worked in Human Resources - recruiting international applicants.

#### **Education**

**Silvermine Art Guild**, New Canaan, CT - from 2009 to 2013 studied with artists: Tom Brenner, Nomi Silverman, Heidi Harrington, Alyse Rosner, David Dunlop, Dean Fisher and Carey Parks-Schwartz.

**New York University**, MPA Robert Wagner School of Public Service Financial Management "89

**University of Southern California -** Roski School of Fine Arts and Design, BFA and BA in French '82

Private collectors across USA and Europe