

## SYDNEY LICHT

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### SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 *Getting Warmer*, Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, NY, NY
- 2022 *Shelf Life*, Zillman Art Museum - University of Maine, Bangor, ME
- 2022 *At the Edge of Things*, Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, NY, NY
- 2020 *Scatter/Gather*, Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, NY, NY
- 2017 *This Side Up*, Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, NY, NY
- 2015 *Canned & Contained*, Chase Young Gallery, Boston, MA
- 2015 *Packaged Goods*, Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, NY, NY
- 2011 *Recent Works*, Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, Bridgehampton, NY
- 2008 *New Works*, Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, NY, NY
- 2006 *Boxed & Bagged*, Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, NY, NY
- 2003 *New Still Life Paintings*, Lyonswier gallery, NY, NY
- 2003 *On the Table*, geschiedle, Chicago, IL
- 2001 *Bunches*, Lyonswier Packer Gallery, Chicago, IL
- Strain*, SPACELab, SPACES Gallery, Cleveland, OH
- 1998 Houghton House Gallery, Hobart & William Smith Colleges, Geneva, NY
- 1997 *Still Life Paintings*, Lyons-Wier Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1996 *New Paintings*, 55 Mercer, NY, NY
- 1995 *New Still Lifes*, Lyons-Wier & Ginsberg Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1994 *Recent Paintings*, 55 Mercer, NY, NY
- Recent Paintings*, Lyons-Wier Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1991 Hillyer Hall, Smith College, Northampton, MA
- 1987 *Recent Paintings*, Marianne Deson Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1986 *Invitational Exhibition*, W.A.R.M. Gallery, Minneapolis, MN

### SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 *The Blush*, The Schoolhouse Gallery, Provincetown, MA, May 11 - June 9
- 2023 *Blooming*, presented by Zeuxis, THERE, NY, NY, April 29 - June 3
- 2021 *Odd Couple*, curated by Max Zlotzky Seiler, Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, NY, NY
- 2020 *Small Wonders*, (online exhibition), Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, NY, NY
- 2018 *Zeuxis: The Unstilllife*, Traveling to: Delaware College of Art and Design, Wilmington, DE; The Painting Center, NY, NY; Windgate Art and Design Gallery, University of Arkansas at Fort Smith; University of Mississippi Museum of Art and Historic Houses, Oxford, MS
- 2017 *New To Us*, Thomas Deans Fine Art, Atlanta, GA, Sept 9 - Oct 15
- 2017 *Following The Thread*, Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, NY, NY, Aug 3 - Sept 2
- 2017 *Conversations in Red*, Stroll Art Center Main Gallery, Chautauqua Institution, Chautauqua, NY, July 19 - August 22
- 2017 *The Art of Eating*, Gallery North, 90 North Country Road, Setauket, NY, Feb 23 - March 17

- 2016 *Celebrating 40: Selections From Kathy Markel's Personal Collection and Highlights From the Gallery*, Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, NY, NY, Dec. 1 - 23
- 2016 *Zeuxis: Flowers as Metaphor*, Traveling to: Hendrix College, Conway, AR; Santa Rosa Junior College, Santa Rosa, CA; Wiegand Gallery, Notre Dame de Namur University, Belmont, CA
- 2016 *Space, Light and Disorder*, curated by Marilla Palmer, Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, NY, NY, January 7 - February 13
- 2015 *Humble Iterations*, Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, NY, NY, December 3 - 24
- 2015 *Still + Life: Stephen Pentak and Sydney Licht*, Thomas Deans Fine Art, Atlanta, GA, October 16 - November 14
- 2015 *Paper Works*, Six-Person Show with catalogue essay by Jennifer Samet, Warm Springs Gallery, Charlottesville, VA, February 4 - March 31
- 2015 *Zeuxis: Beyond the Window*, Traveling to: Norton Center for the Arts at Centre College, Danville, KY; Bowery Gallery, NYC; Alexandre Hogue Gallery, University of Tulsa, OK
- 2014 Two-Person Show, Chase Young Gallery, Boston MA, March 5 - 30
- 2013 Two-Person Show, Salena Gallery, Long Island University/Brooklyn Campus, September 3 - 27.
- 2013 *Still, Blue*, Traveling to: Jessie C. Wilson Galleries, Anderson University, Anderson, IN, First Street Gallery, NYC
- 2012 *Inside/Outside*, Two-Person Show, Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, Bridgehampton
- 2012 *Reflections*, Traveling to: Lindenwood University, St. Charles, MO; Crisp Museum, Southeast Missouri State University, Sinclair Galleries, Coe College, Cedar Rapids, IA; The Painting Center, NYC, Pennsylvania College of Art and Design, Lancaster, PA
- 2011 *Small Works*, Cumberland Gallery, Nashville, TN
- 2011 *Zeuxis: The Common Object*, Traveling to: Lancaster Museum of Art, Lancaster, PA; Peninsula Fine Arts Center, Newport News, VA; Prince St. Gallery, NYC; Meyerhoff Gallery, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD
- 2010 *Small Works Invitational*, The Painting Center, NY, NY
- 2009 *In/Out*, Broome St. Gallery, NYC; Hobart & William Smith Colleges, Geneva, NY
- 2008 *Small Takes*, First Street Gallery, NY, NY
- 2007 *Zeuxis: On Board*, Lori Bookstein Fine Art, New York, NY
- 2006 *2nd Rochester Biennial*, Memorial Art Gallery, U of Rochester, Rochester, NY  
*Facets of Perception*, Snug Harbor Cultural Center, Staten Island, NY;  
 Schweinfurth Memorial Art Center, Auburn, NY; Eleanor D. Wilson Museum, Hollins University, Roanoke VA
- 2005 *Still Life*, Art Access Gallery, Columbus, OH
- 2004 *Three Squares*, Nathan Larramendy Gallery, Ojai, CA
- 2003 *Guaranteed Fresh: Still Life Today*, Davidson Galleries, Seattle, WA
- 2002 *About Looking At Things*, gescheidle, Chicago, IL
- 2001 *Pyramid Art Center Upstate Invitational*, Rochester, NY  
*Something Old, Something New*, Lyonswier Gallery, NY, NY
- 2000 Two-Person Show, Tower Fine Arts Gallery, State University of NY at Brockport  
*New Realism for a New Millennium*, Memorial Art Gallery, Rochester, NY
- 1999 *Hot Lunch*, Hartnett Gallery, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY

- 1998 *Still Lifes*, Lyons-Wier Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1996 *Dept. of Art Faculty Exhibition*, Hopkins Gallery, Ohio State University
- 1995 *Still Life: Three Ohio Painters*, Denison University Gallery, Granville, OH
- 1994 *Split Image*, Westminster Art Gallery, Bloomfield College, Bloomfield, NJ
- 1993 *Contemporary Self-Portraits*, Massillon Museum, Massillon, OH
- 1990 *Silvermine Faculty Show*, Silvermine Gallery, New Canaan, CT
- 1989 *Twelve Invite Twelve*, Hammond Museum, North Salem, NY
- 1987 The David Adler Cultural Center, Libertyville, IL
- 1985 *New Artists/New Work*, Marianne Deson Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1984 *Artists of Chicago & Vicinity*, The Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL

## EDUCATION

- 1983 M.F.A., School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 1976 Skowhegan School of Painting & Sculpture, Skowhegan, ME
- 1976 A.B., Smith College, Northampton, MA

## SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY

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- 2022 Saltz, Jerry, Review, *New York Magazine*, To Do: September 26 issue.
- 2020 Goings on About Town, *The New Yorker Magazine*, March 16, p. 14.
- 2017 Saltz, Jerry, *New York Magazine*, To Do: March 22-April 5, March 20, 2017, [www.nymag.com/arts/all/to-do-2017-03-20/](http://www.nymag.com/arts/all/to-do-2017-03-20/)
- 2017 Farley, Michael Anthony, *This Week's Must See Art Events*, Feb 13, [www.artfcity.com/2017/02/13/this-weeks-must-see-art-events/](http://www.artfcity.com/2017/02/13/this-weeks-must-see-art-events/)
- 2015 Sheets, Hilarie M., *Art Show*, *ELLE DECOR*, November issue, pp. 130-132.
- 2015 Webb, Victoria, blog, *Sydney Licht and Stephen Pentak at Thomas Deans Fine Art, Atlanta*, <http://www.furiousdreams.com/blog/>, October 25.
- 2015 Goings on About Town, *The New Yorker Magazine*, June 1, p. 12.
- 2014 Katz, Marni, *Sydney Licht's Color Stacked Paintings*, Design Milk website, <http://design-milk.com/sydney-lichts-color-stacked-paintings/>, Jan. 31.
- 2014 Katz, Marni, blog, <http://stylecarrot.com/2014/01/27/sydney-licht/>, January 27.
- 2014 Lauer, David and Pentak, Stephen, *Design Basics*, 9th Ed., Cengage Publishing.
- 2013 Naves, Mario, *Shared Experience: The Paintings of Rachel Youens and Sydney Licht*, Too Much Art blog, [www.mnaves.wordpress.com](http://www.mnaves.wordpress.com), September 4.
- 2012 Plotkin, Neil, Interview on Painting Perceptions Blog, [www.paintingperceptions.com](http://www.paintingperceptions.com), January 13.
- 2012 Baker, Brett. Painters' Table: Top 10 Best Posts, January 2012, The Huffington Post, February 13, 2012.
- 2011 Lauer, David and Pentak, Stephen, *Design Basics*, 8th ed., Cengage Publishing.
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- 2003 Naves, Mario, *A Quiet Facility Thrills: Still Lifes with a Deft Touch*, *The New York Observer*, NYC, September 22
- 2000 Low, Stuart. *New Takes on What's Real?*, *Democrat & Chronicle*, Rochester, NY, January 12

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- 1997 Buchholz, Barbara. *Licht Reinvents the Still Life*, The Chicago Tribune, Sept. 19  
New American Paintings, Open Studios Press, August
- 1995 Heisler, Eva. *Negative Space Has Weight in Still Lifes*, The Columbus Dispatch, January 29
- 1987 Taylor, Sue. *Licht Confronts Life's Pain*, The Chicago Sun-Times, August 14
- 1984 Speyer, A. James. *Artists of Chicago & Vicinity* catalog, Art Institute of Chicago
- 1983 Kenny, Lorraine. *Randolph St. Gallery Exhibition Review*, The New Art Examiner

#### HONORS & RESIDENCIES

- 2023 Visiting Artist, The American Academy in Rome, Italy, November
- 2016 Visiting Artist, The American Academy in Rome, Italy, April - May
- 2010 Yaddo Residency, Saratoga Springs, NY, April - May
- 2008 Visiting Artist, The American Academy in Rome, Italy, November
- 1997 Ohio Arts Council, Individual Artist Fellowship in Painting
- 1986 Jerome Foundation Grant, Minneapolis, MN, W.A.R.M. Invitational Competition
- 1976 Scholarship for study at Skowhegan School, Skowhegan, ME
- 1976 Elected to Smith College Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa

#### PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

- Advance Publications, New York, NY
- Constellation Brands, Rochester, NY
- FMR Corporation/Fidelity Investments, Boston, MA
- Scripps Howard Foundation, Cincinnati, OH

#### LECTURES & PANELS

- 2022 Radio Interview with Brainard Carey, WYBC, Yale University, Sept 9,  
<http://www.museumofnonvisibleart.com/interviews/sydney-licht/>
- 2021 Conversation with Paula Heisen, online interview by Rachel Youens, sponsored by Zeuxis:  
<https://www.zeuxis.us/conversations-15>
- 2013 Pennsylvania College of Art & Design, Panel Member, *Zeuxis: Reflections*, February
- 2010 Lancaster Museum of Art, Panel Member, *Zeuxis: The Common Object*, February
- 2009 Nassau County Museum of Art Collectors, Studio Visit, October
- 2006 Memorial Art Gallery, Lecture, 2nd Rochester Biennial Exhibition, July
- 2004 Hobart & William Smith Colleges, Lectures, September & December
- 2000 State University of New York at Brockport, Lecture, October  
Memorial Art Gallery, Rochester, NY, Lecture, June
- 1996 Columbus College of Art & Design, Columbus, OH, Lecture, February
- 1995 Denison University, Granville, OH, Lecture, February
- 1994 Ohio State University University, Lecture, May  
Oberlin College, Oberlin, OH, Lecture, April
- 1992 Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfield Hills, MI, Lecture, October