

NANCY D. BROWN

PUBLIC ART

- 2025** *Cleave*, 6828 Depot Street, Sebastopol, CA
- 2024** *The Bunny Project: A Community Mail Art Collaboration*, San Leandro, CA
- 2022** *Semaphore*, Clarke & W Juana, San Leandro, CA

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2025** *One Notch Below Bedlam*, Waterfront Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- 2023** *Melt*, O'Hanlon Center for the Arts, Mill Valley, CA
- 2019** *On the Verge*, Olive Hyde Gallery, Fremont, CA
- 2017** *Domestic Mysteries*, Urbano Cellars, Berkeley, CA
- 2012** *Unexpected Ordinary*, Garaventa Drive, Concord, CA
Coaxing Matters, Malonga Casquelourd Center for the Arts, Oakland, CA (two-person)
- 2011** *Or the Thing Itself*, Garaventa Drive, Concord, CA
- 2010** *One Sheet, One Household, One Month*, Garaventa Drive, Concord, CA

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2025** *Pint Size 3*, Transmission Gallery, Oakland, CA
The Belonging Project, Sebastopol Center for the Arts & Piazza Hospitality, Sebastopol, CA
- 2024** *Postal Collage Project #13*, Berkeley Art Center, Berkeley, CA
A Question of Balance, Museum of Sonoma County, Santa Rosa, CA
- 2023** *Autumn's Palette*, O'Hanlon Center for the Arts, Mill Valley, CA
FourSquared, Arc Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- 2022** *21st Annual Art Auction*, Root Division, San Francisco, CA
- 2021** *Cats & Dogs*, Red Bluff Gallery, Red Bluff, CA (online)
Happenstance, MarinMOCA, Novato, CA
ArtSpan 2021 SF Open Studios Exhibition, SOMArts, San Francisco, CA
20th Annual Art Auction, Root Division, San Francisco, CA
*ConVERGE*nce, MarinMOCA, Novato, CA
Left Coast Annual, Sanchez Arts Center, Pacifica, CA
- 2020** *Annual Gala*, Triton Museum of Art, Santa Clara, CA
19th Annual Art Auction, Root Division, San Francisco, CA
Art in Place, @ firehousearts.org
- 2019** *18th Annual Art Auction*, Root Division, San Francisco, CA
Jen Tough Gallery, ART Santa Fe, Santa Fe, New Mexico
ArtSpan Benefit Art Auction, SOMArts Cultural Center, San Francisco, CA
Annual Gala, Triton Museum of Art, Santa Clara, CA
Matter of Form, SHOH Gallery, Berkeley, CA
Wild Things, 1599 Tennessee Street, San Francisco, CA
- 2018** *Sculpture Now*, Peninsula Museum of Art, Burlingame, CA
Salon at the Triton, Triton Museum of Art, Santa Clara, CA

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- 17th Annual Art Auction*, Root Division, San Francisco, CA
Sculpture: REFUGE + PRECIPICE, Healdsburg Center for the Arts, Healdsburg, CA
Room for Thought, Space 151, Levy Art + Architecture, San Francisco, CA
Black and White, Site:Brooklyn, Brooklyn, NY
5th Annual Juried Exhibition, Piedmont Center for the Arts, Piedmont, CA
- 2017** *Luminous*, Arc Gallery, San Francisco, CA
More, Merrier VIII, Art Ark Gallery, San Jose, CA
Director's Choice Exhibition, Viridian Artists Inc., New York, NY
AbstrAction: Fall National Juried Exhibition, MarinMOCA, Novato, CA
16th Annual Art Auction, Root Division, San Francisco, CA
Left Coast Annual, Sanchez Art Center, Pacifica, CA
Reflections and Shadows, Sebastopol Center for the Arts, Sebastopol, CA
- 2016** *The Art of the Toy*, Arts Benicia, Benicia, CA
15th Annual Art Auction, Root Division, San Francisco, CA
WILD/MIND, GearBox Gallery, Oakland, CA
Brand 44 Works on Paper Annual Nat'l Juried Exhibition, Brand Library Art Gallery, Glendale, CA
Order + Chaos, Arts Benicia, Benicia, CA
2016 Summer National Juried Exhibition, MarinMOCA, Novato, CA
8th Annual 50|50 Show, Sanchez Art Center, Pacifica, CA
Twenty-seventh International Juried Exhibition, Viridian Artists Inc., New York, NY
6x6x2016, Rochester Contemporary Art Center, Rochester, NY
53rd Annual Juried Competition, Masur Museum of Art, Monroe, LA
Impulse, Arc Gallery, San Francisco, CA
3rd Annual Juried Show, Piedmont Center for the Arts, Piedmont, CA
Aqua: 31st Annual Juried Show, Gallery Route One, Point Reyes Station, CA
Postcards from the Edge, Visual AIDS, New York, NY
- 2015** *Reimagining Minimalism*, O'Hanlon Center for the Arts, Mill Valley, CA
14th Annual Art Auction, Root Division, San Francisco, CA
3rd Annual Drawn Together: A Celebration of Bay Area Artists, Children's Fairyland, Oakland, CA
Reaction: 30th Annual Juried Show, Gallery Route One, Point Reyes Station, CA
- 2014** *13th Annual Art Auction*, Root Division, San Francisco, CA
Altered Landscapes, Arts Benicia, Benicia, CA
9th National Juried Exhibition, Axis Gallery, Sacramento, CA
6th Annual 50|50 Show, Sanchez Art Center, Pacifica, CA
Left Coast Annual, Sanchez Art Center, Pacifica, CA
- 2013** *Fall National Juried Photography Exhibition*, MarinMOCA, Novato, CA
The Art of No, Diablo Valley College Art Gallery, Pleasant Hill, CA
Vessels, Arts Benicia, Benicia, CA
- 2012** *Social Commentary*, Art Ark Gallery, San Jose, CA
Material Culture: The Organic and the Non-Organic, Minna Gallery, San Francisco, CA
Matter! deYoung Museum's New Generation Student Showcase, San Francisco, CA

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Left Coast Annual, Sanchez Art Center, Pacifica, CA

Take a Chance on Miniatures, Napa Valley Museum, Napa, CA

2011 *Gems: Exquisite, Intricate, Intimate Small Works of Art*, Arts Benicia, Benicia, CA

Artistic Architecture, Malonga Casquelourd Center for the Arts, Oakland, CA

Beautiful Dissolution, O'Hanlon Center for the Arts, Mill Valley, CA

Arts on Fire XV, Sanchez Art Center, Pacifica, CA

EDUCATION

Graduate Study in Painting & Drawing, San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco, CA

BA, Psychology with Fine Arts minor, Simmons College, Boston, MA, *graduated with Distinction*

AWARDS

2021 Alameda County Arts Commission's Artist Registry

San Leandro Arts Commission Arts & Culture Grant

Honorable Mention, *Happenstance*, MarinMOCA, Novato, CA

2019 Award Winner, *Art Santa Fe*:

"...banal materials transformed into mysterious ghosted shapes that recall surrealist photography..."

Juror's Choice Award, *Matter of Form*, SHOH Gallery, Berkeley, CA

2017 Alameda County Arts Commission's Artist Registry

2016 Director's Choice, *Twenty-seventh International Juried Exhibition*, Viridian Artists Inc., New York, NY

PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Member, Pacific Rim Sculptors

Arts in California Parks [Artist Directory](#)

Juror, California State PTA *Reflections Art Program*, Dougherty Valley HS, San Ramon, CA, 2015-2019

PUBLICATIONS

Semaphore, Nancy D. Brown, Blurb Books, 2022

BIBLIOGRAPHY

Autumn's Palette catalogue, O'Hanlon Center for the Arts, 2023

FourSquared catalogue, Arc Gallery, 2023

"Art Springs from a Weed Patch", Jim Knowles, ***San Leandro Times***, Vol. 31, No. 6, February 10, 2022

MFA Never Archive Project Catalogue, Root Division, 2016

Material Culture: the organic and the non-organic, Nexus ArtReach, 2012

Arts on Fire XV, Gale Frances, ***Dirty Palette***, May 2011

"...implying that size and drama aren't everything, Nancy Brown's Dyad #4, [is] a subtle example of figurative minimalism."