
Nina Katz Bio

Nina Katz is a local Bay Area artist whose work is largely concerned with the figure and portraits. Her work has been shown in a variety of exhibitions locally and throughout the US, including the San Francisco deYoung Museum. She was awarded first prize at the 2022 Marin Society of Artist “All About Women” show and second prize for the Seattle League 2022 Portrait Award. She was also the recipient of two Jurors Choice Awards at the 2015 ArtSpan Awards and has been named semi-finalist for the National British Gallery BP awards in 2014 and 2016. She is currently represented by the Jack Fischer Gallery in San Francisco.

Nina was born in Brooklyn, NY and spent her formative years in Hong Kong before attending college in Boston and eventually moving to the Bay Area. She is primarily self-taught and has dedicated herself to painting full time for the past 15 years. She lives and works out of her studio in Berkeley, CA.

Exhibitions / Awards:

2022

Crocker Kingsley Show

December 3, 2022 - January 14, 2023

Marin Society of Artists "All About Women" Award

First Prize Award

Seattle Artist League 2022 Portrait Award

Second Prize Award for 2 paintings

Jack Fischer Gallery - "Did you make this?" "How long did it take?"

January 15 - February 28, 2022

San Francisco, California

2021

Jack Fischer Gallery - The Female Gaze

July 10 - August 28, 2021

San Francisco, California

2020

The deYoung Museum Open

October 10 - January 3, 2021

San Francisco, California

Jack Fischer Gallery - larger than life Solo Exhibition

February 22 - March 28, 2020

San Francisco, California

2019

The Rice Gallery of Fine Art - Portraits and Figures

February 1 - March 9, 2019

Overland Park, Kansas

2018

DZINE Gallery - Cracking the Nutshell

May 4th - September 25th, 2018

San Francisco, California

2016

DZINE Gallery - #portrait

March 26th - September 22, 2016

San Francisco, California

Semi-Finalist for the 2016 British Portrait Award

National Portrait Gallery

London, England

2015

Winner of Two Juror's Top Choice Awards

San Francisco Art Span Gallery

San Francisco, CA

Hookers & Eggers Studio

New York, New York

2014

Fresh Art 2014 - a National Juried Exhibition

Marin Society of Artists

Ross, California

Gary Francis Fine ArtGallery - The Figure: A Bay Area Legacy

Alameda, California

2013

Alley Cat Studio Solo Exhibition

San Francisco, CA

2012

East Bay Open Studios

Berkeley, California

2010

Giorgi Gallery - A Year of Portraits From the New York Times Obituaries (solo exhibition)

Berkeley, California

2008

Women's History Month: Relics & Remembrances

March 8-30 2008

2006-7

Berkeley Art Center Juried Art Exhibition 2006-7

Berkeley Civic Center, Berkeley, CA

2004

Portraits

Woodside Public Library Group show, Woodside, CA

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