

Select EXHIBITIONS & AWARDS

- 2021 Mark Gruber Gallery, New Paltz, NY, Two Person Exhibit
38th Open Division International Association of Pastel Societies Exhibit, Zhou B Art Center, Chicago, IL
Pastel Painters Society of Cape Cod, South Yarmouth, Cape Cod, ***Pastel Society of Maine Award**
- 2020- Athens Cultural Center, 24 2nd Street, Athens, NY, Seasons of Greene: The Greene Land Trust
Central Massachusetts Pastel Society, Marks of Distinction Exhibit (Online), ***New Hampshire Award**
Pastel Society of Eastern Canada, "Les Pastellistes (online)," **7th Place Award**
Audubon Artists 78th Annual Exhibit (online), ***Silver Medal of Honor Award**
Connecticut Pastel Society, Renaissance in Pastel 2020 (online) Exhibit, ***Philip Danylik Memorial Award**
- 2019- Sam's Point Gallery, Mlnnewaska State Park Center, Cragsmoor, NY
Cocoon Theater Gallery, Two Person Exhibit, Poughkeepsie, NY
Pastel Society of America, NY, 47h Annual Exhibit, Dr. Marcus B. Burke, Sr. Curator, Hispanic Museum & Library, NYC
Mark Gruber Gallery, New Paltz, NY Three Person Exhibit
- 2018- Audubon Artists 76th Annual Exhibit, Geri Thomas, Juror, Fine Art Appraiser, ***Jack Richeson & Co. Gold Brush Award, Pastels**
Diana Felber Gallery, West Stockbridge, MA., "The Last Picture Show"
Pastel Society of America, NY, 46th Annual Exhibit, Calvin Brown, Assoc. Curator, Princeton University Art Museum ***Framers Award**
Mark Gruber Gallery, New Paltz, NY Two Person Exhibit
- 2017- Pastel Society of America, NY, 45nd Annual Exhibit, C. Kotik, Juror, Bklyn Museum of Art ***National Arts Club Award**
Athens Cultural Center, 24 2nd Street, Athens, NY, Seasons of Greene: The Greene Land Trust
International Association of Pastel Societies Annual Convention Show, Albuquerque, New Mexico
Hudson Valley Artist Association 84th Annual, Salmagundi Club, NYC
Woodstock Artists Association & Museum, Woodstock, NY "Small Works," **Honorable Mention**
Spencertown Academy Gallery, Spencertown, NY, Art From Farm to Table
- 2016- Audubon Artists Annual Exhibit, **N. American Pastel Artists Award**, C. Choi & C. Michael, Jurors, Bklyn Museum
Woodstock Artists Association & Museum, Woodstock, NY Fall Exhibition, **Alan Koff Award**
New Hudson Valley Luminists 3rd Invitational, Heritage Center, Newburgh, Sponsored by Central Hudson
Woodstock Artists Association & Museum, Woodstock, NY Summer Exhibition, **Honorable Mention**
Spencertown Academy Gallery, Spencertown, NY, Contemporary Pastels
- 2015 - Woodstock Artists Association and Museum, Woodstock, NY Small Works, **Honorable Mention**
Mark Gruber Gallery, New Paltz, NY, Two Person Exhibit
Clement Gallery, Troy NY, Two Person Exhibit
Belvoir Gallery, Millbrook, NY, Featured Artist, Fall Exhibit
- 2014 - Pastel Society of America, NY, 42nd Annual Exhibit, **Alabama Pastel Society Award**, M. Shelley, MET, NY, Juror
Dacia Gallery, Stanton St., New York, NY, Group Landscape Exhibit; **Solo Exhibit**
3rd International Pastel Artists Invitational Exhibition, Qingdou China; Xian Art Museum, Xian, China
- 2013 - New Hudson Valley Luminists Invitational, Heritage Center, Newburgh, Sponsored by Central Hudson
Belvoir Gallery, Millbrook, NY, Featured Artist, "WaterScapes"
Dacia Gallery, Stanton St. New York, NY, Group Landscape Exhibit
Trenton City Museum at Ellarslie Mansion, Artists of Woodstock: Collective Creativity, Group Invitational
2013 International Pastel Invitational Exhibit, Taiwan Education & Cultural Center, NY, NY
WAAM, Woodstock, NY - **Andrée Ruellan Award**, Charlie Grosso, Baang & Burne Gallery, Chelsea, NY, Juror
- 2012 - James Palmer Gallery, Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, NY - **Solo Exhibit** - "SACRED GROUND: Held in Trust"
2nd International Pastel Artists Invitational Exhibition, Taipei Taiwan
- 2011 - Mark Gruber Gallery, New Paltz, NY, Two Person Exhibit
- 2010 - Bruynswick Gallery, Gardiner, NY, **Solo Exhibit**
1st International Pastel Artists Invitational Exhibition, Taipei Taiwan
WAAM, Woodstock, NY - "Sketches" **People's Choice Award**
- 2009 - Fieldstone Fine Art Gallery, Bayer Corporation, Ramsey, New Jersey. Two Person Exhibit
Red Eft Gallery, Wurtsboro, NY Three Person Exhibit - "SACRED GROUND"
Carrie Haddad Gallery, Hudson, NY, **Solo Exhibit** - "SACRED GROUND: Held in Trust"
- 2008 - Teatown Lake Reservation, Ossining, NY, **Solo Exhibit** - "SACRED GROUND: Held in Trust"
Pritzker Gallery @ Casa del Arte, Highland, NY, **Solo Exhibit** - "SACRED GROUND: Held in Trust"
- 2007 - Bruynswick Gallery, Gardiner, NY, **Solo Exhibit**
Iona College Arts Center, New Rochelle, NY - "The Female Gaze," **Honorable Mention**, Madalyn Marx, Juror
- 2006 - WAAM, Woodstock, NY - "Small Works," **2nd Place Award** -R. Steiner, & C. Seckel, - Art Times, Jurors
Mohonk Mountain House, New Paltz, NY, **Solo Exhibit**
Woodstock Artists Association & Museum, Woodstock, NY, **Solo Exhibit**
- 2005 - Pritzker Gallery @ Casa del Arte, Highland, NY, **Solo Exhibit**
Woodstock School of Art, Woodstock, NY, Regional Exhibition, HongNian Zhang, Juror
Taiwan Center, Flushing, NY, **People's Award** - Int'l Pastel Exhibit, J. Chang, R. Pionk, R. Yanow, Jurors
Turchin Center for the Visual Arts, Appalachian State University, Boone, NC, Halpert Biennial '05
- 2004- Imagery Winery Gallery, Glen Ellen, California, **Finalist** - Sennelier Pastel Competition, Wolf Kahn, Juror
Schoharie County Arts Council Gallery, Katharina Rich Perlow, Juror
- 2003- Carrie Haddad Gallery, Warren St., Hudson, N.Y.
- 2002- Degas Pastel Society, New Orleans, La., 9th Biennial Exhibition, Sally Strand, Juror

- Samuel Dorsky Museum, SUNY New Paltz, NY, **Honorable Mention**, Sydney O. Jenkins, Juror
 Woodstock Artists Association, Woodstock NY, **Honorable Mention**
 2001- HCC Arts, Highland, NY, **2nd Place**, Cary S. Levine, Museum of Modern Art, Juror
 Catharine Lorillard Wolfe Art Club, New York, NY, Richard Ochs, Juror
 2000- Woodstock Artists Association, Woodstock, NY, **Solo Exhibit**
 1999- The Albany Center Galleries, Albany, NY, **2nd Place**, Jene Highstein, Juror
 1998- Orange County Community College, Middletown, NY, **Solo Exhibit**
 1998 - PSWC, Tower Theater Gallery, Roseville, CA, Elizabeth Mowry, Juror
 1997- Woodstock Artists Association, Woodstock, NY, Active Member Wall - **Solo Exhibit**
 1996- Silvermine Guild Arts Center, New Canaan, CT, Susan Brundage, Leo Castelli Gallery, Juror

GALLERY Representation

- Mark Gruber Gallery, New Paltz, NY
- Mohonk Mountain House, New Paltz, NY
- Boscobel House, Garrison, NY
- Clement Gallery, Troy, NY
- Wired Gallery, High Falls, NY
- Geary Gallery, Darien, Ct.

AFFILIATIONS and COMMISSIONS

- Audubon Artists Association, Member since 2014, **Elected Member 2018**
 Hudson Valley Artist Association, **Signature Member 2017**
 Platte Cove Artist Residency, Catskill Center, NY June 2010
 New York Plein Air Painters, Member since 2006
 National Academy of Professional Plein Air Painters, Member since 2003
 Pastel Society of America, New York, NY, Associate 2002, **Signature 2007, MASTER PASTELIST 2018, Elected Board of Governors 2019**
 New York Society of Women Artists, New York, NY, Member and Secretary, 2002-06
 Organization of Independent Artists, New York, NY, Member 2001-03
 LongReachArts Cooperative Gallery, Dutchess County, NY, Member since 2000
 Woodstock Artists Association & Museum, Woodstock, NY, **Active Member since 1994**
 Yellow Room Productions, Inc., New York, NY, Pastel Paintings showcased in the film "The Weekend", 1998
 The Times Herald Record, Middletown, NY, Winter prints - Saugerties Lighthouse-1994, Esopus Lighthouse-1995

EDUCATION

- Il Chiostro of Toscana, Vagliagli, Italy, Plein-Air Pastel Workshop, Instructor Christine Debrosky, PSA 2001
 Dutchess County Community College, Poughkeepsie, NY • **Graphic Design Curriculum, 1988**
 Arts Students League, New York, NY, **Painting**, Harvey Dinnerstein, Instructor 1985
 State University at New Paltz, NY • **Master of Professional Studies, 1984 • Cert. Elementary Ed (N-6) /Art Ed, 1978**
 Queens College, Flushing, NY • **Bachelor of Arts/ Psychology & Fine Arts Major, 1974**
 Queensborough Community College, Bayside, NY • **Associate in Arts/ Fine Arts Major, 1972**

PUBLICATIONS and REVIEWS

- Vic Pastel**, Newsletter of Pastel Society of Victoria, Australia - Featured Artist, June 2021
Art Times - Artist Profile by Raymond Steiner, Summer 2016
Fine Art Connoisseur/ Fine Art Today - "Painting Local" - May 2015, by Jeffrey Carlson, Editor
The Artist's Magazine - A "Studio Visit" - Fall 2013
"Pastel Application Techniques For Beginners" textbook by Jason Chang - featured artist, May 2013
American Artist Magazine - "Quick Sketch" - October 2012
ArtTimes - Raymond Steiner, review - November 2010
American Artist Magazine - **Feature article** by John Parks - December 2009
Delaware & Hudson Canvas - Terry Schommer, review - September 2008
Art Business News, Originals - August 2008
Poughkeepsie Journal, Enjoy! Section, *Portrait of an Artist* - June 6, 2008
Almanac, Ulster Publishing, Paul Smart, review - June 4, 2008
Catskill Mountain Guide, Featured Artist - June 2007, September 2007
Art in America Guide, Listed - 2001 - present
Daily Freeman, Mary Cassai, review - November, 2000
Art Beat, Richard Corozine, review - July, 1988

Academic PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Woodstock School of Art, Woodstock, NY** Instructor Pastel Workshop & Classes 2019 - Present
Scenic Hudson, Poughkeepsie NY, Instructor - Plein Air workshops at Scenic Hudson Parks, Hudson Valley, NY 2009
Barrett Art Center, Poughkeepsie, NY, **Instructor** - Intermediate/Advanced Pastel Classes & Workshops, 2007-2016
Dutchess Community College, Poughkeepsie, NY, **Adjunct Instructor** - Introduction to Drawing, 2002.
Kopavi Studios, Founder/Executive Director of the Non-profit Art Gallery, Consultation & graphic design, 1988-present.