



Judy Volkmann

Judy Volkmann grew up in Fall River, Massachusetts, and earned her Bachelor of Fine Arts degrees in Painting and Art Education from the University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth. She has received numerous awards, including the Ellen Batell Stoeckel Fellowship to study at Yale Summer School of Music and Art in Norfolk, Connecticut. It was during that summer, inspired by the abstract painters there, when she began to explore abstraction in her figurative work.

For over twenty years, Volkmann's art has focused mainly on the human figure and expressionism. She enjoys painting commissioned portraits for her clients, and has had her work displayed in galleries throughout the Northeastern region of the United States. Her art is in private collections in Massachusetts, New York, Rhode Island, Vermont, Virginia, Maine, Pennsylvania, Florida, Idaho and California.

After living and working in New York City for over ten years, she recently relocated to Providence, Rhode Island.



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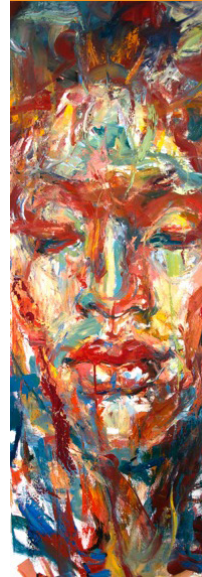
Artist Statement

My artwork depicts humanity, and how physical, emotional and societal influences shape us into who we are. The figures and portraits represented are often in states of being reflective, engaged, celebratory, or confrontational. In my process of painting the figures, my aim is to capture movement, and the physical characteristics and psychological aspects of being human. A sense of place and time are purposely void; creating an atmosphere expressive of the internal and external world of being. I want the spirit and energy of life in the work to impact the viewer toward an experience, and raise awareness to a condition or moment.

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Education

BFA, Art Education, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, North Dartmouth, MA – 1992

BFA, Painting, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, North Dartmouth, MA – 1991

Fellowship, Yale University, Yale Summer School of Music and Art, Norfolk, CT – 1990

Solo/Two-Person Exhibitions

Face Off, ArtProv Gallery, Providence, RI, 2016

Emotional Reflections, BankRI Turks Head Gallery, Providence, RI, 2016 (two locations)

Recent Works by Volkmann and Andreozzi, Pop-Up Gallery, Seekonk, MA – 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016

Expressive Portraits, Reis Open Studios, LIC Arts Festival, Long Island City, NY – 2013, 2014, 2015

Recent Works by Volkmann and Andreozzi, The Central Gallery, Providence, RI – 2013

New Paintings and Sculptures, Reis Open Studios, Long Island City, NY – 2012

Connections, Dartmouth Gallery, North Dartmouth, MA – 2001

Judith Volkmann, Riverside Art Gallery, Somerset, MA – 1994

Beyond a Mirror Image, Jackson Arts Center, Bristol Community College, Fall River, MA – 1993

In Nature, Greater Fall River Art Association, Fall River, MA – 1993

Group Exhibitions

30th Annual RI Open, Juried, Warwick Museum of Art, Warwick, RI, 2016

True Grit Art Gallery, Middleboro, MA, 2016

ArtProv Gallery, Providence, RI, 2016

Gallery Night Providence 20th Anniversary Celebration, URI Feinstein Providence Campus Gallery, Providence, RI, 2016

Summer, Judith Klein Art Gallery, New Bedford, MA, 2016

Holiday Show, ArtProv Gallery, Providence, RI – 2015

Color Sense, ArtProv Gallery, Providence, RI – 2014

Rebirth and Awakening, Alta Luna Gallery, Bristol, RI – 2013

Mid-Winter Blues, Alta Luna Gallery, Bristol, RI – 2013

Featured Artists – Open House, Trescott Street Gallery, Taunton, MA – 2012

Paint the Downtown, Downtown Taunton Foundation, Taunton, MA – 2012

LREI Art Auction, Saatchi & Saatchi Gallery, New York, NY – 2012
10x10 Benefit, Reis Art Plus, Long Island City, NY – 2012

LIC Arts Open Studios, Reis Studios, Long Island City, NY – 2007-2011

Barebrush, Rogue Space, New York, NY – 2011

Figurative Drawing and Painting, National Juried, Lore Degenstein Gallery, Susquehanna University, Selinsgrove, PA
Daniel Dallmann, Juror – 2009

LREI Art Auction, Andrew Edlin Gallery, New York, NY – 2008

LREI Art Auction, I-20 Gallery, New York, NY – 2007

Open Studios, Studio 37, New York, NY – 2006

Face It, DeBloise Gallery, Newport, RI – 2002

Alumni, Grimshaw-Gudewicz Gallery, Bristol Community College, Fall River, MA – 2001

National Juried, Bristol Art Museum, Bristol, RI – 2000

Rhode Island Art Educators, Krause Gallery, Moses Brown, Providence, RI – 1996-1999

Spirits of Art, Invitational, Facets Gallery, Fall River, MA – 1996

Rhode Island Art Educators, Art Museum, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI – 1994-1995

Open Studios, Facets Gallery, Fall River, MA – 1993

Grad Students, Art Gallery, UMass Dartmouth, Dartmouth, MA – 1991

Fellowship Students, Art Gallery, Yale Summer School of Music and Art, Norfolk, CT – 1990

Bibliography

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Volkmann, Judy Araujo. *Depicting Humanity with Passion and Tenacity*. Interview by Renee Phillips. Manhattan Arts International, New York: 20 Aug. 2013. Renee Phillips Art News Blog.

J. Fatima Martins, *Alta Luna's Soulful Blues*, Artscope, March/April 2013 Issue.

DCTV, *Judith Araujo-Volkmann at Dartmouth Gallery*, Dartmouth Community Television, October 2001.

David B. Boyce, *Variety a virtue at BCC exhibit, Art program alumni demonstrate gamut of styles, Mediums, Art Review*, The New Bedford Standard-Times, June 11, 2001.

Marion Wilner, *Facets shows holiday 'Spirits'*, The Fall River Herald News, December 22, 1995.

Marc Munroe Dion, *Woman's paintings go "Beyond Mirror Image,"* Fall River Herald News, April 6, 1993.