

# **ERIKA RANEE**

# EDUCATION

- 1993 University of California, Master's Degree of Fine Art in Painting
- 1991 School of Visual Arts, Bachelor's Degree of Fine Art
- 1987 Wesleyan University, Bachelor's Degree

# SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

- 2021 Sleep on the Wind, Freight+Volume, NYC (solo) Broken Arrow, Keyes Art, Sag Harbor, NY, curated by George Negroponte (solo) Alignments, Flinn Gallery, Greenwich, CT, curated by Tracy McKenna Here, There, and Everywhere: Women's Liberation and the Imagination Post Covid Lockdown, Foley Gallery, NYC, curated by Elizabeth Weiss U-Pick, Mother Gallery, Beacon, NY Paradise Island, Steven Harvey Fine Art, NYC
- 2020 *Intersections*, Lichtundfire, NYC, curated by Priska Juschka *Pressure Drop*, Gold/Scopophilia, Montclair, NJ
- 2019 *Dear God*, Freight+Volume, NYC (solo) *Psychedelic Galactica*, Lesley Heller Gallery, NYC (solo) *Ornament: Ho-Hum All Ye Faithful 3*, BravinLee Programs, NYC *A Fairly Secret Army*, Wild Palms, Dusseldorf, Germany *Waking Dream*, Freight+Volume, NYC, curated by Nick Lawrence
- 2018 Green Rose, Ground Floor Gallery, Brooklyn, NY (solo)
  Inside/Outside, BRIC Project Space, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Elizabeth Ferrer (solo)
  Be Still Life, Geoffrey Young Gallery, Great Barrington, MA, curated by Sue and Phil Knoll
  Seven Samurai, Platform Project Space, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Sue and Phil Knoll
  Summer of Love, Freight+Volume, NYC
  Emoji Show, Klaus von Nichtssagend, NYC
  Said by Her, Lesley Heller Gallery, NYC
- 2017 Zip-A-Dee-A, Mazmanian Art Gallery, Framington State University, Framington, MA (solo) Squared x2, Geoffrey Young Gallery, Great Barrington, MA, curated by Sue and Phil Knoll Gumbo, MAW Gallery, NYC, curated by Mason Saltarrelli True Believers, David&Schweitzer Contemporary, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Daniel John Gadd
- 2016 These Kind, Dadu, Nashville, TN (solo)
  Gasoline Rainbows, LMAKgallery, NYC (solo)
  Pussy Power, David&Schweitzer Contemporary, Brooklyn, NY, curated by Jennifer Samet and Michael David
  Papered Stories, LMAKgallery, NYC
- 2015 *Conversations*, LMAKgallery, NYC *The Hand That Creates the 1*, The Parlour Bushwick, Brooklyn, NY
- 2014 Rooted Movements, LMAKgallery, NYC The Last Brucennial, NYC



- 2013 'Toonskin, Artspace, New Haven, CT
- 2012 **40th Anniversary Celebration**, The Bronx Museum, Bronx, NY **It's a Small, Small World**, Family Business Gallery, NYC, a Marilyn Minter Virgin Production
- 2011 *Die Like You Really Mean It*, Allegra LaViola Gallery, NYC *The Art of Collecting*, Flint Institute of Art, Flint, MI
- 2010 **Sweet Talk**, Slate Gallery, Brooklyn, NY (solo) **Ves\*sel**, The Brennan Gallery, Jersey City, NJ, curated by Kenya Robinson

#### AWARDS AND HONORS

- 2021 New York Foundation for the Arts, Fellowship for Painting
- 2015 Louis Comfort Tiffany Foundation Grant (nominated)
- 2014 American Academy of Arts and Letter (nominated)
- 2011 Marie Walshe Sharpe Art Foundation Grant
- 2010 AIRspace Artist in Residence
- 1996 New York Foundation for the Arts, Fellowship for Painting
- 1994 American Academy in Rome (nominated)

#### **CURATORIAL PROJECTS**

- 2019 Human-Nature, Tiger Strikes Asteroid, Brooklyn, NY (group show)
- 2015 *Improvised Showboat #9/Eye Contact*, Industry City, Brooklyn, NY (group show)

## PUBLICATIONS

*Dear God*, exhibition catalogue, Freight+Volume, published by Nick Lawrence, 2019 *Waking Dream*, exhibition catalogue, Freight+Volume, published by Nick Lawrence, 2019 *Colour I*, published by NUT, 2018

*Summer of Love*, exhibition catalogue, Freight+Volume, published by Nick Lawrence, 2018 *Fired Up! Ready to Go! Finding Beauty, Demanding Equity: An African American Life in Art*, the Collections of Peggy Cooper Cafritz, published by Rizzoli Electa, 2018

*Artists to Artists, Vol. 2*, Sharpe-Walentas Studio Program 25th Anniversary publication, 2016 *Black: A Celebration of African-American Art Sacramento-Area Collections*, exhibition catalogue, 40 Acres Art Gallery, 2008

## COLLECTIONS

The Studio Museum, NYC MacAndrews & Forbes, Inc Flint Institute of Arts, Flint, MI Crocker Art Museum, Sacramento, CA Nina Chanel Abney Peggy Cooper Cafritz Enrique de la Cruz & Leslie Carmin