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Solo Exhibitions

"Life Expressions", Rome Area Council for the Arts, Rome GA, Feb. 2008

"Smile", A Royal Affair Café for Children's Healthcare of Atlanta, June, 2008

"People, Places and Things", A Royal Affair Café, Atlanta, GA, 2005

"Travels", GASP Gallery, Atlanta, GA. 2004

Juried Exhibitions & Awards

"A Mother's Love", Southern Appalachian Artists Guild 4th National Juried Exhibition, Blue Ridge, GA, Oct./Nov 2011.

"Jenna", American Women Artists Nat'l Juried Exhibition, Huff Harrington Gallery, Atlanta, Oct/ Nov, '11

"Zach at 10", South Cobb Arts Alliance National Juried Exhibition, Mableton, GA, Aug/Sept, 2011

"Jenna", Atlanta Fine Arts League 5th Annual Juried Exhibit "Georgia Only", Roswell, GA, Aug/Sept, '11
"Emily", "Daniel", & "The Luther Children", **Finalists**, Portrait Society of Atlanta Juried Summer Exhibition, Mableton, GA, 2011

"A Mother's Love", GA ARTISTS. A Juried Exhibition, Abernathy Artists Center, Atlanta, May/June 2011

"Jenna - Haiti" and "Zach at 10", Quinlan Visual Arts Juried Exhibition, Gainesville, GA, April /May 2011

"A Little Reassurance" and "South Carolina Sunset", Dogwood in Springtime Juried Exhibition, Atlanta Artists Center, April 2011

"Jenna - Haiti", **Award of Merit**, Southern Appalachian Artists Guild National Exhibition, Blue Ridge, GA, 2010

"Italian Still Life with Fruit", Southern Appalachian Artists Guild National Exhibition, 2010

"What's That?". Atlanta Fine Arts League 4th Annual National Exhibition, 2010

"Irene" & "Stokes", Atlanta Fine Arts League National Drawing Exhibition, 2010

"Italian Still Life with Fruit", Metro Montage Juried Exhibition, Marietta Cobb Museum of Art, 2010

"Isabelle", **Honorable Mention**, Portrait Society of Atlanta Fall Juried (Burt Silverman) Exhibition, 2010

"Stokes", **Finalist**, Portrait Society of Atlanta Fall Juried Exhibition, Juror-Burt Silverman, 2010

"A Little Reassurance", **Finalist**, Portrait Society of Atlanta Juried Drawing Exhibition, Quinlan Gallery, '10

"Borne Girls", **Finalist**, Portrait Society of Atlanta Juried Drawing Exhibition, Quinlan Gallery, 2010

"Rising", **Finalist**, Portrait Society of Atlanta Juried Drawing Exhibition, Quinlan Gallery, 2010

"Her Secret Garden", **Merit Award**, Portrait Society of Atlanta Juried Spring Exhibition, Marietta, May 2010

"Lynne", **Finalist**, Portrait Society of Atlanta Juried Spring Exhibition, Marietta, May 2010

"Zach @ 10", **1st Place**, Atlanta Fine Arts League Member Exhibit, Marietta Cobb Museum, March 2010

"Zach at 10" & "A Mother's Love". **Finalists**, Richeson 75 Portrait/ Figure Competition, 2010

"A Little Reassurance" & "Her Secret Garden", **Meritorious Entries**, Richeson 75 Competition, 2010

"Her Secret Garden", Pen Women National Juried Exhibition, Marietta Cobb Museum of Art, 2010

"Good Read", Atlanta Artists Center, Binders - Limelight Gallery, August 2010

"A Mother's Love", A PASSION FOR RED, Atlanta Artists Center, June 2010

"Her Secret Garden" & "Emily", Quinlan Visual Arts Member's Exhibition, Gainesville, GA, Oct., 2009

"Amanda with Violin", Cultural Arts Council of Douglasville's 23rd Annual National Exhibition, 2009

"Italian Still Life w/Fruit", Cultural Arts Council of Douglasville's 23rd Annual National Exhibition, 2009

"Zach @ 10", **Honorable Mention**, Portrait Society of Atlanta Fall Juried Exhibition, Sept. 2009

"Maggie H", **Finalist**, Portrait Society of Atlanta Nation Fall Jureid Exhibition, Sept. 2009

"Stokes" (drawing), **Finalist**, Portrait Society of Atlanta Nation Fall Jureid Exhibition, Sept. 2009

"Zach @ 10" & "Orange Pot", Atlanta Artists Center, Binders - Limelight Gallery, August, 2009

"Italian Still Life with Fruit", **Finalist**, Art Kudos International Juried Competition, 2009

"Her Secret Garden", **Exceptional Merit Honor Award**, Atlanta Fine Arts League 3rd Annual National Exhibition, Roswell Visual Arts Center, August, 2009

"Isabella & Edward" and "This One's Mine", 22nd Annual National Juried Exhibition by South Cobb Arts

Alliance, August 2009

"Amanda with Violin", Artist Guild of Northwest GA 1st Annual Fine Art National Juried Competition, Booth Art Academy, July 2009

"Maggie", **Honorable Mention**, Portrait Society of Atlanta Juried Spring Exhibit, Mable House, June '09

"Nicholas", **Finalist**, Portrait Society of Atlanta Juried Spring Exhibition, Mable House, June – July 2009

"Maddalena", **Finalist**, Portrait Society of Atlanta Juried Spring Exhibition, Mable House, June 2009

"Italian Still Life with Fruit", **3rd Place**, Olde Town Gallery National Juried Exhibit, Conyers 2009

"Her Secret Garden", Atlanta Artists Center DOGWOOD SHOW, 2009

"Italian Still Life with Fruit", Rome Art Coterie National Juried Exhibition, April, 2009

"Isabelle", **Best In Show**, Atlanta Artists Center, Dogwood Show, 2007

"Emily", **1st Place**, Atlanta Artists Center, Winners Circle Juried, 2008

"Amanda with Violin", **2nd Place**, Atlanta Artists Center, Winners Circle Juried, 2008

"Syah", **3rd place** Portrait Society of Atlanta, Fall Show 2007

"Amanda with Violin", **Honorable Mention**, Portrait Society of Atlanta Fall Exhibition, 2008

"Syah", **Honorable Mention**, Portrait Society of Atlanta Fall Exhibition, 2008

"Lunch at the Matterhorn", **Honorable Mention**, Atlanta Artists Center, New Member Show - Atlanta Artists Center, 2004

"Isabelle", **Finalist**, The Art Guild 2008 1st Annual Portrait Juried Competition and Exhibition, Manhasset, NY, 2008

"Emily", **Finalist**, Portrait Society of Atlanta National Juried Show, 2008

"Veronika", **Finalist** Portrait Society of Atlanta National Summer Show, Juried, 2008

"Amanda", **Finalist**, Portrait Society of Atlanta, Fall Show 2007

"Amanda" **Finalist**, Portrait Society of Atlanta, Spring Show 2007

"Chance" **Finalist**, Portrait Society of Atlanta, Spring Show 2007

"Caroline", **Finalist**- Portrait Society of Atlanta, Fall 2006 - Juried Show

"Walton", **Finalist** - Portrait Society of Atlanta, Spring 2006 - Juried Show

"Matthew", **Finalist** - Portrait Society of Atlanta, City Gallery at Chastain Fall 2004

"My Favorite Things", **Finalist** - Portrait Society of Atlanta, Fall 2004 Juried Show, 2004

"Hopes Girls", **Finalist** - Portrait Society of Atlanta, Spring 2004 Juried Show

Oil Painters of America National Show, Hilligoss Galleries, Chicago, Juried 2005

"Italian Still Life with Fruit", Atlanta Artists Center, *Winners Circle*, Jan. 2009

"Amanda With Violin", Atlanta Fine Arts League 2nd Annual National Show, 2008

"Isabelle", Rome Art Coterie 2008 National Show

"Roman Ruins", Atlanta Fine Arts League "Favorite Things" National Show, March 2007

"Syah" - "Favorite Things" - Atlanta Fine Arts League National Show, March 2007

"Joe's Boys", Atlanta Fine Arts League, Simply Drawn Exhibition, 2008

"Mountain Creek", Atlanta Artists Center, Winners Circle, Jan 2009

"This One's Mine", Atlanta Artists Center, Winners Circle, Jan. 2009

"Veronica", Artist Guild of Northwest Georgia, Online Exhibition, 2008

"Joe's Boys", AGNWG Online Exhibition, 2008

"Italian Still Life with Fruit" AGNWG Online Exhibit, 2008

Traveling Show, Atlanta Artists Center- 50th anniversary Juried Show 2004

"My Boys and Brownie" Atlanta Artists Center, Winners Circle, Juried

"Syah", Atlanta Artists Center Dogwood Show Traveling Show, Atlanta Artist Center, 2005 Trinity Art Show 2005 - Atlanta, Ga. 2005

"Traveling Show", Atlanta Artists Center, 2004

Trinity Art Show 2004 - Atlanta, Ga.

Emory Clinic - Atlanta Artists Center 2004

Trinity Art Show 2003 - Atlanta, Ga

Small Group Exhibitions

4 pieces in AFAL Small Works Exhibition & Sale 2010, Nov. – Dec. 2010

"South Carolina Sunset", "Butterfly 1", "Perfume Bottles", & "Christ Church", Atlanta Fine Arts League Small Works Exhibition & Sale, Binders/ Limelight Gallery, December 2010

"My Boys & Brownie", Atlanta Fine Arts League Member Exhibit, Marietta Cobb Museum, March 2010

"Emily", Atlanta Fine Arts League Member Exhibit, Marietta Cobb Museum, March 2010

Art in the Garden at Oak Hill, Rome GA, May 1st & 2nd, 2010

"What's That?", "Good Read", "Testing the Water" & "Bay Sunset", JUST SMALL WORKS, 2009 Fine Arts League, Binders – Limelight Gallery, November 2009

"Artful Expansions", Cherokee Town Club, Atlanta, GA, Jan., 2009

“My Boys & Brownie”, Atlanta Fine Arts League Member Exhibit, Marietta Cobb Museum, March 2010
 “Emily”, Atlanta Fine Arts League Member Exhibit, Marietta Cobb Museum, March 2010
 Art in the Garden at Oak Hill, Rome GA, May 1st & 2nd, 2010
 “Jim” & “Annie”, MADE AT ABERNATHY, Abernathy Arts Center Gallery, 2009
 “Italian Courtyard” & “Weir Farm”, THEN & NOW, Abernathy Arts Center Gallery, 2009
 Atlanta Fine Arts League Member Exhibition “Contemplations”, Quinlan Visual Arts Center, 2009 Mystery
 Artist – Gallery of the Stars, Sandy Springs Society, Ritz Carlton, Atlanta, February 2009
 2 Person Exhibition, A Royal Affair Café, Atlanta, GA 2007
 3 Person Exhibition, Binders, Atlanta, 2006
 “TLC”, 3 person show, Atlanta, GA 2005
 “Small Works”, Binders Art and Frames, Atlanta, GA Nov.2008
 “Members Exhibition”, Atlanta Fine Arts League, The Art Place, April, 2007
 Cherokee Town Club Art Exhibition, Atlanta, Jan. 2007
 “Give Your Heart to Art”, Sandy Springs Society, Atlanta, GA, Jan. 2007
 “Portraits”, Abernathy Arts Center, Atlanta, GA 2007
 “A Face to Remember”, Abernathy Arts Center, Atlanta, GA 2006
 “Flowers”, Abernathy Arts Center, Atlanta, GA 2006
 Jena Young Designs, Group Show, Atlanta, GA, Oct. 2006
 Cherokee Town Club Art Exhibition, Atlanta, GA, Jan. 2006
 Cherokee Art Exhibition, 2005, Atlanta, Ga.
 Small Works - GASP! Gallery, Atlanta, GA, 2004 – 2005
 Cherokee Art Exhibition, Atlanta, GA, 2004
 Emory Clinic, Atlanta Artists Center, 2004
 Emergence Show - GASP! Gallery 2003
 Cherokee Art Show 2003, Atlanta, Ga
 A Portrait Exhibition - Gasp! Gallery 2003
 Small Works Show - Gasp! Gallery 2003
 Landscapes and Cityscapes - Gasp! Gallery 2003
 Colors - Gasp! Gallery 2003
 City Gallery @ Chastain 2000, Atlanta, Ga.
 Cherokee Art Show 2000, Atlanta, Ga.

Publications

BEST OF WORLDWIDE PORTRAIT ARTISTS BOOK, 2010-2011

“Art of Our Mothers” Catalog for juried exhibition, Quinlan Visual Arts, Gainesville, GA 2011
 SANDY SPRINGS ARTIST, LEAH HOPKINS HENRY, presented Ed LaPorta Sr.,... Vinings Neighbor
 Newspaper, September 1, 2010
 “A True American Patriot” – My presentation to WWII Veteran & POW, Edward LaPorta, Marietta Daily
 Journal July 12, 2010
 South Cobb Arts Alliance 22nd National Juried Art Exhibition Catalog, 2009
 4 works, “A Mother’s Love”, “Zach @ 10”, “Her Secret Garden” and “A Little Reassurance” in RICHESON
 75 FIGURATIVE / PORTRAIT 2010 Hardcover Book
 Southern Seasons magazine – numerous ads, 2008-2009
 Feature article, Southern Seasons magazine, 2009
 Atlanta Style & Design ads, 2007 -2009
 Charleston Style & Design magazine ads 2009
 Atlanta Style and Design feature article Contemporary Realism by Charles Penn, Fall 2009
 Painting, “Italian Still Life with Fruit”, on the cover of cookbook As Good as Gold, 2008
 Atlanta Style and Design article on Art From the Heart, Summer 2007
 Rome News Tribune feature article, “Faces of Progress /Lindale native is RACA’s artist of the year”
 Sandy Springs Living Magazine article Spotlight on Moms
 Northside Neighbor Newspaper feature article, “Lasting Memories”
 Online Newsletter Bear Tracks Holy Innocents' Episcopal School
 Neighbor Newspapers “Sandy Springs artist paints portraits of fallen U.S. soldiers for families”, June 7, 2007
 April 14, 2007 - Art From The Heart portrait presentation of Spc. Justin W. Johnson covered in the Rome
 News-Tribune "3 years after a hero's loss, Justin Johnson is honored through a painting" by Dawn Treglown
 Oil Painters of America National Juried Exhibition Catalog, “Roman Ruins”, 2005

TV

GPTV State of the Arts feature segment on Art From the Heart
11 Alive Art From the Heart Interview at the National Museum of Patriotism

Honors

Awarded Member of Merit by the Portrait Society of Atlanta, 2010
Named 2008 Southern Featured Artist by the Rome Area Council for the Arts
Received a letter from Pete Geren, Secretary of State accepting "Warriors Walk" which was presented to the Army Third Infantry Division, Ft. Stewart, GA, June 2008
Artist for Children's Health Care of Atlanta's Festival of Trees, 2007
Accepted the Midtown Atlanta Rotary Project of the Year Award on behalf of the Atlanta Fine Arts League for Art from the Heart project, 2008

Public Speaking, Presentations & Teaching

Portrait presentation to WWII Veteran & POW, Edward LaPorta, Marietta, GA 2010
Taught a drawing class (15 students) in June 2010 in my studio.
Presentation to Oil Painting class at SCAD about presenting & marketing in the portrait business
Taught 2 night Workshop for the Rome Art Coterie – Principals & Oil Painting Demonstration 2009
Spoke on behalf of Atlanta Fine Arts League at the opening of Art from the Heart at the National Museum of Patriotism, September 2007
Presentation to the Rome Art Coterie members about my work and technique, 2008
Presentation to the Silver Wings Group, Atlanta, 2008

Job and Volunteer Experience

Sponsorship Chair, HIES Fundraiser Jingle Bell Jubilee, 2010-2011
President Emeritus, Holy Innocents' Episcopal School Fine Arts Alliance, 2010-2011
President, Holy Innocents' Episcopal School Fine Arts Alliance, 2009-2010
Director of Workshops/Education, Atlanta Fine Arts League
Director of Public Relations, Atlanta Fine Arts League
VP, Holy Innocents' Episcopal School Fine Arts Alliance, 2008-2009
Named Southern Artist of the Year 2008 by Rome Area Council of Arts
Chair, Sandy Springs Society Tossed Out Treasures Preview Party 2008
Chosen as 2007 Children's Healthcare Festival of Trees Artist
Professional Painter, 1994 – Current
Portrait Donations to many Atlanta Charities
Chair, Holy Innocents' 1st Bi – Annual Art Show and Sale 2008
Exhibitions Committee, Portrait Society of America /Cecilia Beaux Forum
Co-founder, Atlanta Fine Arts League, 2005
Chair, HIES Celebration of the Arts, High Museum of Art, Atlanta 2007
Chair, Holy Innocents' Episcopal School Gala (largest fundraiser) 2006
Owner, Leah Hopkins Designs and Interiors, 1992 – 2004
GASP! Gallery – helped manage and get gallery started, 2003 - 2005

Travels

Italy, France, England, Scotland, Holland, Japan, Hong Kong, Korea, New Zealand, Australia and Tahiti.
I have visited many museums throughout the country and the world. I am totally inspired by those experiences.

Professional Affiliations

Atlanta Fine Arts League
Oil Painters of America
Portrait Society of America
Cecilia Beaux Forum
- Exhibition Committee Member
- Portrait Society of Atlanta, juried member

Allied Artists of America
Quinlan Visual Arts Center
Atlanta Artists Center
Sandy Springs Society
Heritage Sandy Springs

Studies

Burt Silverman, New York, 2011
Yuqi Wang, small group studies, Atlanta, 2008
Daniel Greene, 2 week advanced portrait studies, New York, 2005
David Leffel, portrait and still life, small group studies, 2004
Anita Louise West, Plein Air landscapes, Blairesville, GA, 2008
John de la Vega, Color Seminar, 2008
John de la Vega, Portrait, small group, Birmingham. AL 2003

Ongoing Studies

Marc Chatov, portrait painting, Atlanta, GA
James B. Schell, portrait painting, Atlanta, GA

Education

University of Georgia, Athens, GA Bachelor of Arts
American College of the Applied Arts, Atlanta, GA

Visibility

My paintings can be found in many home and corporate collections and have been exhibited throughout the nation.

Representation

“A Stroke of Genius”, www.portraitartist.com
Hanging Around Rome Gallery, Rome GA
Olde Town Gallery, Conyers, GA