

RUSSO ▲ LEE GALLERY

GINA WILSON

Born: 1955, Saratoga Springs, New York

EDUCATION

M.F.A., Portland State University, Portland, Oregon	1984
B.A., University of Illinois at Chicago Circle Chicago, IL	1979

ONE-PERSON EXHIBITIONS

"Wend," Russo Lee Gallery, Portland, OR	2023
"teeter taught her," Russo Lee Gallery, Portland, OR	2021
"Cabinet of Curiosities," Russo Lee Gallery, Portland, OR	2018
The Laura Russo Gallery, Portland, OR	1987, 1989, 1991, 1992, 1997, 1999, 2001, 2005, 2008, 2012, 2015
Lynn McAllister Gallery, Seattle, WA	1988
Alumni Series, Portland State University, Portland, OR	1985
Thesis Exhibition, Gallery 299, Portland State University, Portland, OR	1984

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

Russo Lee Gallery, Portland, OR	2019, 2020, 2021, 2022
"A Necessary Festival," Russo Lee Gallery, Portland, OR	2017
"30 Years: New Work by Gallery Artists," Russo Lee Gallery, Portland, OR	2016
The Laura Russo Gallery, Portland, OR	1991, 1992, 1995, 2002, 2004, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2012, 2013, 2015
"Making a Mark: Drawing in Oregon," The Arts Center, Corvallis, OR	2013
"25th Anniversary Gallery Group Show," The Laura Russo Gallery, Portland, OR	2011
"20th Anniversary Group Show," The Laura Russo Gallery, Portland, OR	2006
Beaverton Arts Commission Annual Exhibition, Beaverton, OR	2002, 2004
"15th Anniversary Group Show," The Laura Russo Gallery, Portland, OR	2001
"Carrying On," Autzen Gallery, Portland, State University, Portland, OR	1999
"Here and Now," Tidbit Gallery, Portland, OR, invitational	1998
"Prints and Drawings", The Laura Russo Gallery, Portland, OR	1998
"Boy Mechanic Show," Quartersaw Gallery, Portland, OR	1997
"Paintings by Margaret Shirley and Gina Wilson," Gallery 299, Portland State University, Portland, OR	1993
Office of the Chancellor, Portland State University, Portland, OR	1992-1993
Oregon Biennial, University of Oregon, Eugene, OR, traveling exhibition	1992
Oregon Biennial, Portland Art Museum, Portland, OR	1991
Grover/Thurston Gallery, Seattle, WA	1991
All Oregon Art Annual, Salem, OR	1990
The Oregon Biennial, Portland Art Museum, Portland, OR	1989
Pearl District Group Show, Portland, OR	1988
Clackamas Community College Clackamas, OR, two person exhibition	1988
"Northwest Expressionism" (invitational), Seattle Art Museum, WA	1987
"New Views," Fountain Gallery of Art, Portland, OR	1985
Friction Gallery, Portland, OR	1981
Chicago Library Exhibition, Chicago, Illinois	1978

COMMISSIONS

Public Outdoor Mural, City of Beaverton, OR

2009

COLLECTIONS

Anderson Properties, Portland, OR
ArtColl Trust, Bellevue, WA
Boise Art Museum, Boise, ID
Central City Concern, Portland, OR
City Center Parking, Portland, OR
Flint Institute of Arts, Flint, MI
Harsch Investment Corporation, Portland, OR
Portland Art Museum, Portland, OR
Portland State University, Portland, OR
Stoel Rives Boley Jones & Grey, Portland, OR
Tin House, Portland, OR
Willamina Lumber Co., Portland, OR

RELATED ACTIVITIES & AWARDS

First Place Award, Beaverton Showcase, Beaverton Arts Commission Annual Exhibition, Beaverton, OR	2011
Artist's Mural Dedication Speech for Beaverton Arts Commission, City of Beaverton, OR	2009
Beaverton Arts Advocacy Award	2008
Best in Show, Beaverton Arts Commission Annual Exhibition, Beaverton, OR	2004
Substitute Instructor, Marylhurst University, Marylhurst, OR	2003
Team Teacher, Portland State University, Portland, OR	2002
Instructor, Portland State University, Portland, OR	1983-1984, 1996
Guest Lecturer, Artists Lecture Series, University of Oregon, Eugene, OR	1993

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Hicks, Bob, "The Arts," *The Oregonian*, November 2001
Jenkins, Steven, "Fay Jones and Gina Wilson," *Artweek*, November 1999
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Gragg, Randy, "Body Buildings," *The Oregonian*, December 1997
"Laura Russo Gallery" *Ourtown*, December 1997
"Gina Wilson," *The Woman's Journal*, December 1997
Failing, Patricia, "Necessity Is the Mother of Reinvention," *ARTnews*, December 1997
Allen, Lois, "Beyond Black and White," *Reflex*, May/June 1993
Duckler, Garrick, "WW Art Choice," *Willamette Week*, December 1992
tGragg, Randy, "Artist finds Bright Promise in Exploring her Dark Side," *The Oregonian*,
December 1992
Gragg, Randy, "Art with X-Ray Vision," *The Oregonian*, March 1991
"Laura Russo Gallery," *Willamette Week*, September 1989
"Jim Clausnitzer and Gina Wilson," *Willamette Week*, September 1989
Johnson, Barry, "First Thursday Exhibitions Turn Galleries into Holiday Markets,"
The Oregonian, December 1987
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Guenther, Bruce, *The Fountain Gallery of Art 25th Anniversary Exhibition*, Portland, OR 1986
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The Oregonian, July 1985

