# Wylie Garcia Artist. Consultant. Connector.

# **REPRESENTATION**

K.Grant Fine Art, Vergennes, VT Soapbox Arts, Burlington, VT

# **PROJECTS**

Love With Strangers, Editor June 2022 - Present A Substack newsletter about art crushes, dreams, and possibilities, making connections between art, art history, and popular culture.

# Wylie's Artist Resource Newsletter, Editor

November 2020 - 2023 A substack subscription newsletter providing links and guides to grants and call to artist resources.

*Wylie Garcia Art and Consulting LLC, Artist Consultant* January 2019 - PRESENT One on one professional development consultation for artists at any stage in their careers.

Art Meets History Artist Lab, Facilitator and Faculty June 2018 - PRESENT Artist development and educational program working in tandem with institutional research archives with a focus on telling the stories of divergent histories through the creation of exhibition project proposals.

*Contemporary Art, Professional Artist Practitioner* May 2006 - PRESENT Professionally exhibiting my own work in museums and galleries.

# **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

Champlain College, *Gallery Director and Curator* 2022-Present

The Condo Guy, Administrative Assistant and Social Media Director 2019-2021

Shelburne Craft School, *Education/Program Director* 2015 - 2019

Vermont College of Fine Arts, Teaching Artist Advisor/Mentor 2013-2020

Shelburne Craft School, Instructor for Adults and Kids

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# **EDUCATION**

MFA, 2008 Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA

BA, 2002 The University of Chicago, Chicago, IL *Graduated with Honors* 

HS Diploma, 1998 Kinkaid School, Houston, TX Weiner Fellowship Scholar with HMFA Curator Anne Tucker, 1997

# **SKILLS/Platforms**

Microsoft Office Suite Slack Discord Emma/Marigold Little Green Light Blackbaud File Maker Pro Constant Contact Mail Chimp MLS Wix Website Substack Wordpress Canva 7illow **Top Producer** 

# AWARDS/GRANTS

Davis Grant Creative Competency Fellow, 2024

Pollock-Krasner Foundation Grant, 2019 2014 - 2015

Curtains Without Borders, Art *Conservation Technician* 2004 - 2014

Davis Studios, *Lead Instructor Adult Classes and Kids Afterschool* 2008-2010

Frog Hollow, *Operations Director* 2003-2004

#### SOLO EXHIBITIONS, PAINTING

*Transmitting Light, 2024* Foam Brewery and Deep City, Burlington, VT

*Tending Constellations*, 2022 Soapbox Arts, Burlington, VT

Things Feel So Different Now, 2022

Soapbox Arts, Burlington, VT

Radical Softness, 2019 University of Maine, Augusta, ME

*With My Voice I am Calling You Home,* 2017 Burlington City Arts Center, Burlington, VT

*New Works: Wylie Sofia Garcia*, 2015 South Gallery, Burlington, VT

*Mississippi River School,* 2015 Baton Rouge Gallery, Baton Rouge, LA

#### SOLO EXHIBITIONS, INSTALLATION

*Radical Softness*, 2019 University of Maine, Augusta, ME

Say Yes! To the Dress, 2015 Lincoln Center for Visual and Performing Arts, Fort Collins, CO

*Dazzle Camouflage*, 2012 G Gallery, Houston, TX University of Vermont, Burlington, VT

*The Tulle Did Her In*, 2011 The Current (formerly Helen Day Art Center, Stowe, VT

*Hysterical Society,* 2010 Beulah Gallery, Olema, CA

*Comfort Her,* 2010 Garbageman Astronaut, Portland, OR

*A Review: Wylie Sofia Garcia*, 2010 S.P.A.C.E. Gallery, Burlington, VT Vermont Art Council Creation Grant 2019, 2016, 2012

Burlington City Arts Barbara Smail Fellowship, 2016

St. Botolph Club Foundation Artist Fellowship, 2013

Sustainable Arts Foundation Vermont Studio Center Residency, 2012

# PERMANENT COLLECTIONS

Fleming Museum of Art, VT Georgetown College, KY University of Vermont Medical Center, VT

#### **CORPORATE LEASING**

Northfield Savings Bank Commercial SEABA/ARTHOP

Balance Chiropractic, Shelburne, VT

Stowehof Inn, Stowe VT

Cape Cod Hospital Hyannis, MA

### **RESIDENCIES**

Fine Arts Work Center Returning Alumni 2018, 2017

Memorial Club Redstone Sponsored Winooski, VT, 2016

#### **GROUP EXHIBITIONS, PAINTING**

Soft Openings, 2024 K.Grant Fine Art, Vergennes, VT

*Contemporary Voices,* 2020 Fleming Museum of Art, Burlington, VT (curator Andrea Rosen)

*Running Through The World Like An Open Razor*, 2019 Sour Towers, Burlington VT (curator Este Puerta)

Velvet Ropes, 2019 Zero Zero Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

*Other Places Art Fair,* 2019 Barker Hanger, San Remo, CA (curator Haley Barker)

*The Continuant,* 2019 Full Blede Magazine, Los Angeles, CA (curator Sacha Baumann)

*Surreal Salon,* 2019 Baton Rouge Gallery, Baton Rouge, LA (curator Camille Rose Garcia)

*Contemporary Regionalism,* 2019 Eleanor C. Wilson Museum and Galleries, Southern Vermont Art Center, Manchester, VT (curator Ric Kadour)

*New Work,* 2015 Schoolhouse Gallery, Provincetown, MA

*Preoccupied,* 2015 Vermont Metro Gallery, Burlington, VT

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*An Archive of Feeling,* 2019 Chandler Center for the Arts, Randolph,VT (curator Jordan Turk)

*Roots*, 2019 Tele Art Mag/ Waking Windows, Winooski,VT (curator Alexandrea Hall)

*Feverish World,* 2018 University of Vermont, Burlington,VT (curator Cameron Davis)

*View Find,* 2018 Page Bond Gallery, Richmond, VA

*Interpose*, 2017 New City Art Gallery, Burlington, VT (curator Este Puerta)

*Intimacy and Materiality,* 2016 The Current, (Helen Day Art Center) Stowe, VT (curator Rachel Moore)

*Nkisi Project*, 2016 965 Gallery, Center for Visual Arts, Denver, CO (curator Sarah Rockett) Vermont Studio Center Sustainable Arts Fellow,2012

Seven Below Fund Burlington City Arts, 2008

Central Academy of Fine Arts Beijing, China, 2007

#### LECTURES/VISITING ARTIST

University of Maine Vermont Studio Center Vermont College of Fine Art University of Vermont Middlebury College Rokeby Museum Champlain College New City Gallery Burlington City Arts The Current Baton Rouge Gallery SEABA Colorado State University Lincoln Center for Visual and Performing Arts (Ft. Collins)

#### JUROR/SELECTION

Vermont Arts Council Creation Grant Committee

Congressman Peter Welch 38th Annual Congressional High School Art Competition

Vermont Studio Center Vermont Week Residency Selection Committee

Burlington City Arts 4x8 Project Selection Committee *An Order,* 2015 Overnight Projects, St. Joseph's Orphanage, Burlington, VT (curator Abbey Meaker)

*Unraveled: Contemporary New England Fiber Art,* 2014 Museums of Old York, York, ME

*Materiality,* 2014 Ann Street Gallery, Newburgh,NY

*Foundation on Parade*, 2013 St. Botolph Foundation, Boston MA

*Self/Fabricated*, 2012 Art Complex Museum, Duxbury, MA (curators Leslie Schomp and Candice Corby)

*Sacred Spaces*, 2010 The Nave Gallery, Boston, MA

*Visions Twelve,* 2009 Doran Gallery, Boston, MA

*Surrealist Salon*, 2009 Baton Rouge Gallery, Baton Rouge, LA (curator David Ball)

*Environs/Examined,* 2008 Prospect One, Louisiana Art Works, New Orleans, LA Culture Candy Uncommon Threads Juror

SEABA MADE Guest Curator

Arts Alive Arts Alive Festival Juror

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