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Art Walk Experience: I have shown in the past at the WS Art Walk

#### **Artist Statement**

I love working in series where I have the ability to try different techniques and color palette going from a textured one full of bright colors to a smooth one in neutral colors. But one thing remains constant in all of my work and that is the subject matter which is nature in an abstract form. In some of my pieces my mountains and sea are more realistic than others, but they can be seen in even the most abstract pieces of my work.







# **Suzanne Uschold**

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Art Walk Experience: I have shown in the past at the WS Art Walk

#### **Artist Statement**

A long time West Seattle resident. Suzanne Uschold discovered a passion for art quilts several years ago. Inspiration comes from the abundant natural beauty of the Pacific Northwest. Using only fabric and thread, she creates landscape scenes with a variety of techniques including collage, applique, thread painting and free motion quilting. Suzanne has shown her work in a variety of places including the International Quilt and Fiber Arts Festival, Schack Art Center, Pacific NW Quilt and Fiber Arts Museum and Vashon Center for the Arts. She was also published in the Spring 2023 issue of Art Quilting Studio.



# Elena Naskova

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Art Walk Experience: I have shown in the past at the WS Art Walk

#### **Artist Statement**

Elena uses watercolor, acrylic, and oil to emulate the inside and the outside world, so she can understand, admire and connect. She likes to explore different styles, ideas and techniques. Her inspiration can be anything and everything real. or imagined. Her artwork has been exhibited in Macedonia, USA, Qatar, UAE, Canada, Turkey, England and Germany.







# **Brooke Borcherding**

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Art Walk Experience: I have shown in the past at the WS Art Walk

#### **Artist Statement**

Brooke paints our local landscape in a colorful, distinctive and deconstructive style. She responds to what she sees with energetic mark making either outdoors or in the studio from photos in acrylic paint. After receiving a BFA from the University of Oregon in 2010, she has been painting and working as a full time artist in Seattle for the past decade. She is now nationally collected, has received numerous awards and continues to show in PNW galleries and participates in neighborhood art walks.







# Melissa Misoda

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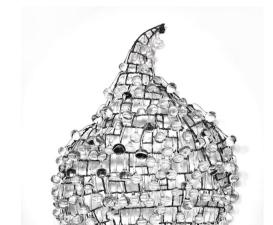
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Art Walk Experience: Showing at Capers Nov. and Dec.

#### **Artist Statement**

Melissa Misoda has been working in glass for almost 30 years. She owns Misoda Glass in West Seattle, and teaches glassblowing at Sammamish High School in Bellevue, WA. Melissa is most inspired by the molten nature of glass and loves to allow that fluidity to show in her finished work. Her 'wall chandelier' series truly captures the essence of the molten materials she uses. Each one of a kind, and customizable with hand formed, removable drops.







# **Aerin Sizelove**

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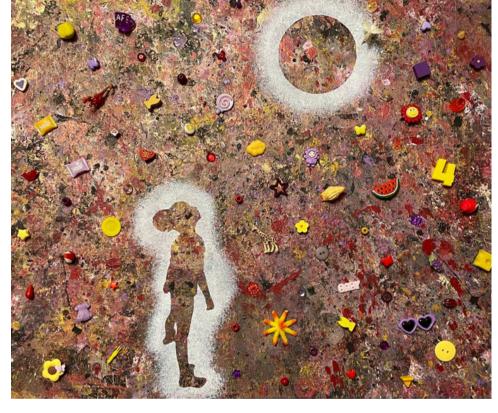
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Art Walk Experience: I am new to the WS Art Walk

### **Artist Statement**

Aerin Sizelove is an artist who currently resides in Seattle. She lived in San Francisco for the last 18 years where she learned sculpture. She always had a strong interest in art starting at a very young age, when she was a child, she enjoyed painting among other mediums. She attended the Illinois Institute of Art in Chicago where she received a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Interior Design in 2003. Since then, she has experimented in many mediums of sculpture, printmaking, ceramics and mixed media while continuing to paint.









# Jennifer Harrison

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Art Walk Experience: I am new to the WS Art Walk

### **Artist Statement**

Jennifer Leigh Harrison is a painter, poet, social worker and psychotherapist living and working in Seattle. She primarily utilizes acrylic paint and associated mediums, at times incorporating charcoal, ink, and cold wax. Her style is concerned with texture and the converging and revealing of layers, and her process involves scraping, dragging, disrupting layers that have been set. She has had a number of her paintings in group shows and venues locally.







# **Rodney King**

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Art Walk Experience: I am new to the WS Art Walk

### **Artist Statement**

My name is Rodney H King and my business is Kingspen LLC. I am an artist with ties to the Seattle area who create art celebrating the Black experience. I have been featured at Taswira Art Gallery, Arte Noir, Gallery Onyx, Base Camp Studios, Slip Gallery as well as other coffee shops and restaurants from Tacoma to Redmond. My work is meant to show all that is great with the African American race feeling one with nostalgic feelings of joy, pride and love.







# Michelle Sutterfield

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Art Walk Experience: I am new to the WS Art Walk

#### **Artist Statement**

Explore a world of captivating artistry by Michelle Sutterfield, a Pacific Northwest-based artist. Michelle, an unconventional and self-taught multi-disciplinary artist, defies artistic norms by utilizing watercolor and various mediums in unexpected ways. Her emerging art career draws inspiration from the human spirit, growth, and the intricate interplay of religion and society through an anthropological lens. Discover her work, which delves into profound details of existence, offering a unique perspective on the history of consciousness.







# **Kevin Ducoing**

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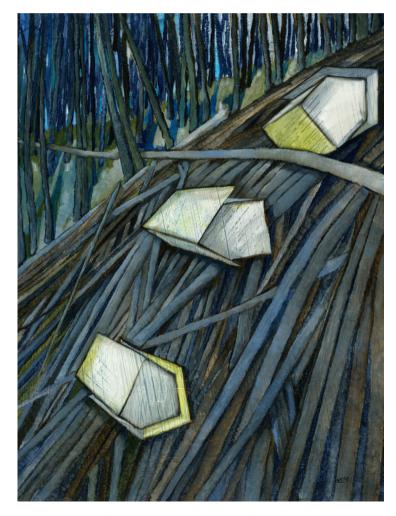
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Art Walk Experience: Has shown in the past at the WS Art Walk

#### **Artist Statement**

Kevin's work reflects what may be the classic Pacific Northwest mindset: infusion of gray skies, dark forests, sounds muted by ancient beds of pine needles, and local lore brimming with ghost stories.







# Pamela Benetti

### Female

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Art Walk Experience: I am new to the WS Art Walk

### **Artist Statement**

I am a self-taught artist who lives on beautiful West Seattle.

Commission work on request.







# **Yvonne Cooper**

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Art Walk Experience: I am new to the WS Art Walk

#### **Artist Statement**

My name is Yvonne and I love the color teal or turquoise (I never can decide which one is my favorite), as well as being out in nature which inspires my art. I am originally from Austin, Texas but have lived in the Seattle area for over 11 years. My art incorporates various colors, patterns, textures, geometry, nature and southwestern themes, as well as abstract designs all in a unique style. Being creative means being in a state of flow, and I will spend hours, sometimes months creating a piece.





# Cassidy Wheat She/Her

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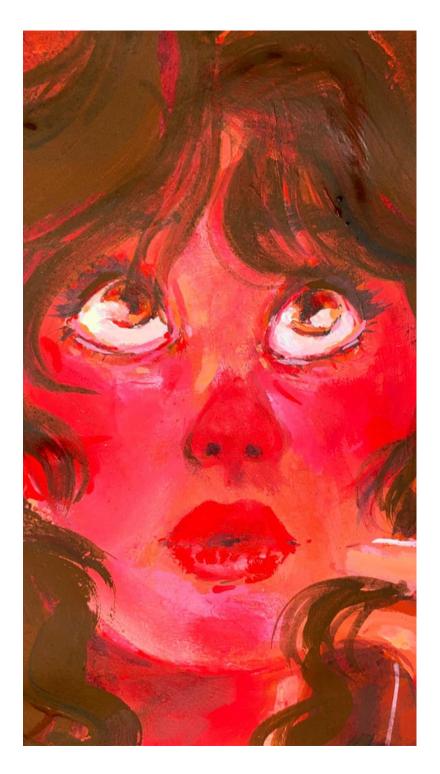
Art Walk Experience: Has shown in the past at the WS Art Walk

#### **Artist Statement**

Story is my passion and characters are my focus. As I wander through life I find myself collecting stories. These tales are reflected in my art through characters and scenarios with the life lessons earned within each adventure - and especially within each misadventure. In other words: I am an ambassador of chaos. This world has so much to explore and I have so many lives left to live! It is my hope that this little universe of characters and stories make you smile.







# **Julie Louise**

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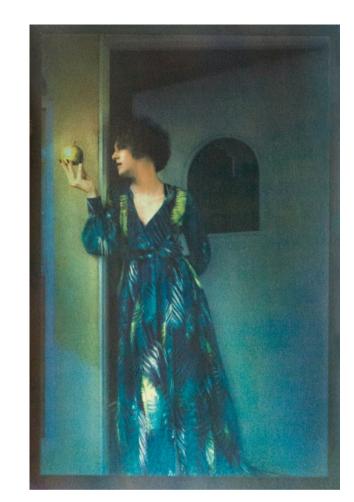
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#### **Artist Statement**

Julie believes in the healing power of stories and infuses each image with a different narrative, either referencing myths and folklore or crafting her own. She mainly works in the dark room and handcrafts mixed media pieces using gum bichromate, cyanotype, photo oils, graphite, and more.







# Digi Prim They

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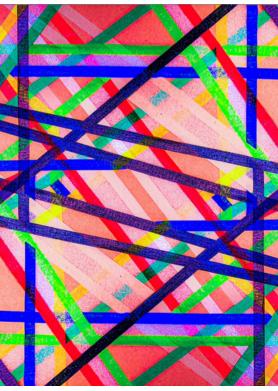
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Art Walk Experience: Has shown in the past at the WS Art Walk

#### **Artist Statement**

Hello from digi-prim! This collaborative effort reimagines simple creative efforts into modern digital art. - Betsy and David







# Diane Bellisario

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Art Walk Experience: Has shown in the past at the WS Art Walk

#### **Artist Statement**

Born and raised on the east coast Diane Bellisario moved to the PNW at 19 and fell in love with the people and beauty of the area. After spending a majority of her career working in the high-tech industry, she decided to leave in 2019 and explore what the next chapter would be. A chance introduction to marquetry via an online (thanks Covid!) class, she fell in love with the materials and process. She currently lives and works in West Seattle.





## John Woodruff

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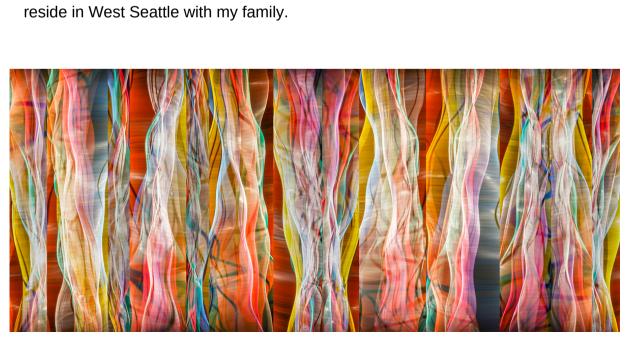
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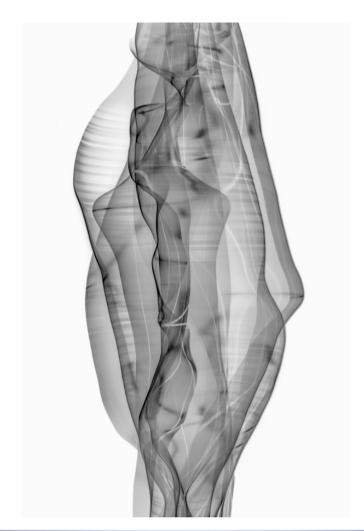
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Art Walk Experience: New to WS Art Walk

#### **Artist Statement**

In my artistic pursuit, I seek the harmony and elegance of line and form unfolding over time. Crafting pieces that are simple, clean, and formal, I subtly weave repetitions of form and time for viewers to discover. Results are in both traditional photography and pigment prints. For the future, I'm experimenting with other alternative processes and digital only works. Originally from Seattle, I studied Photographic Arts and Art History in Austria, earning a BFA from the Rochester Institute of Technology. With a career spanning New York, Chicago, and San Francisco, I now reside in West Seattle with my family.







# Ellis Helveg (Bray)

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#### **Artist Statement**

Ellis Bray is a multimedia artist and author who transplanted to the PNW from the deep Southwest desert 4 years ago. His visual and written work is optimistic and uncanny, and his media choices run the gamut from digital to woodburning, but he prefers mixing his media. When he's not working on art or writing, he works in the medical field and raises two wonderful, chaotic children. You can find his art and writing credits on instagram.





# **Robert Kinsey**

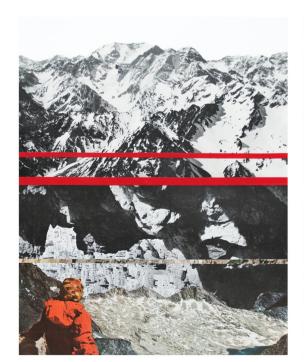
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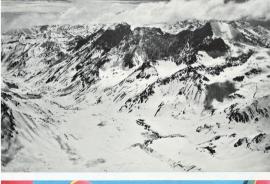
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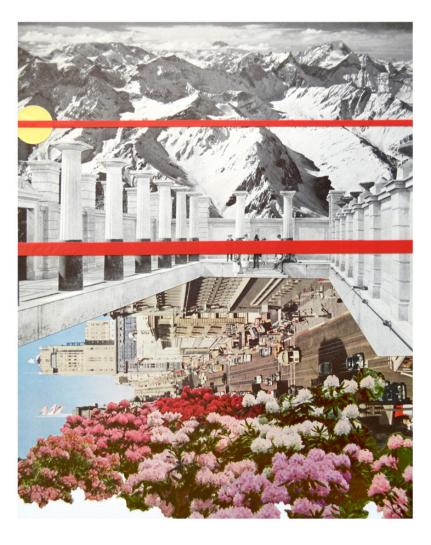
#### **Artist Statement**

I am originally from Detroit, Michigan and new to Seattle after spending the last few years creating in Austin, Texas. Using life experience to guide my process and develop emotionally tied work. I prefer using non-traditional materials to build the two and three-dimensional surfaces. The origin of the materials may not be immediately evident, for example: when I use precision cut vintage magazines and books for the imagery within my work. Leaning towards landscape, floral, and textile surfaces, I also enjoy layering other materials such as electrical tape, roofing tar, rhinestones and beeswax.









# **Sindi Somers**

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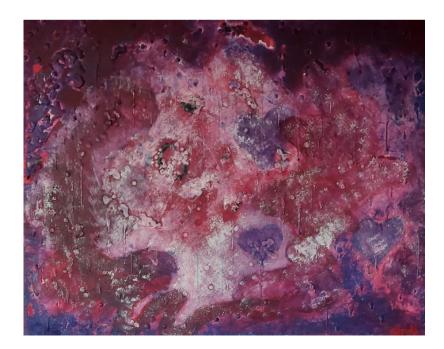
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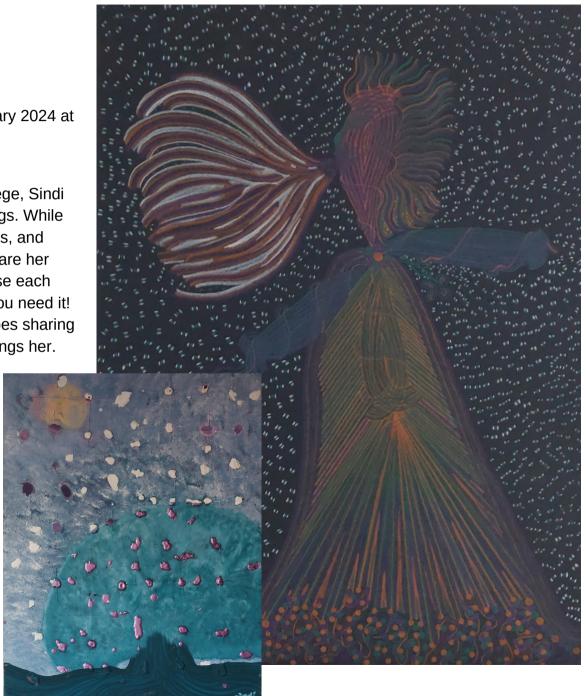
Art Walk Showings: January 2024 at Flying Apron, February 2024 at

Verity Credit Union, March 2024 at Jet City Labs

#### **Artist Statement**

Sindi loves color and texture. While studying theatre in college, Sindi discovered how fun it was to drip candle wax on her paintings. While she continues to enjoy adding texture to her acrylic paintings, and playing with a variety of art forms, Sindi's newest creations are her 4"x4" and larger, "Fiesta Squares™!" Why "Fiesta?" Because each one is a party, adding a unique burst of color to wherever you need it! Making art is a blissful form of meditation for Sindi. She hopes sharing her art will help bring others the same joy that creating it brings her.





# **Laurel Minzel**

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#### **Artist Statement**

Laurel creates art that depicts the Afro-American experience and history. The piece submitted is a pointillism piece of an African American male and the faces of his ancestors surrounding him and living in him. I think the nature of this piece would be a great addition for the West Seattle ArtWalk and would be great to feature during BHM, but is also just an all around amazing piece that showcases Laurel's wonderful talent. We hope you consider this for your 2024 artwalk feature. Thank you so much.

