

hosfelt gallery

ANOKA FARUQEE

Born 1972 Ann Arbor, Michigan

Education 1997 M.F.A., Painting, Tyler School of Art, Temple University, Elkins Park, PA
1994 B.A., Art (Painting), Yale University, New Haven, CT, Magna Cum Laude

Solo Exhibitions

- 2021 *Datum*, Hosfelt Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- 2019 *Relative Brightness*, Koenig and Clinton Gallery, Brooklyn NY
Anoka Faruqee and David Driscoll, The Suburban, Milwaukee, WI
- 2018 *structural color*, Hosfelt Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- 2017 *The Visible Spectrum*, Secession, Vienna, Austria
Rainbows and Bruises, Koenig and Clinton, New York, NY
- 2014 *Future Perfect*, Koenig and Clinton, New York, NY (two person)
Phase, Bjorkholmen Gallery, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2013 *Substance and Accident*, Hosfelt Gallery, San Francisco
- 2012 *The Sum is Greater Than its Parts*, Hosfelt Gallery, New York
- 2010 *The Longest Day of the Year*, Hosfelt Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- 2008 *CMY RGB XYZ*, Hosfelt Gallery, New York
- 2007 *as far as the eye can see*, Hosfelt Gallery, San Francisco
- 2005 *Inherent Order*, with David Driscoll, Zolla/Lieberman Gallery, Chicago, IL (two person)
- 2000 *Starry-Eyed*, Zolla/Lieberman Gallery, Chicago, IL
Disco Tree 2000!, Parlour Projects, Brooklyn, NY
Anoka Faruqee and Rebecca Shore, College of Dupage, Glen Ellyn, IL
- 1999 *Iterate Reiterate*, Barat College, Lake Forest, IL
Interiors, Gallery 21, Dhaka, Bangladesh

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2021 *WHERE WE ARE*, Hosfelt Gallery, San Francisco, CA
Painting by Proxy, Project: ARTspace, New York NY
Shady Beautiful, Malin Gallery, New York, NY

- 2019 *Material Properties*, Albertz Benda Gallery, New York NY
deCordova New England Biennial 2019, deCordova Sculpture Park and Museum,
Lincoln, MA
- 2018 *Bearing Points*, Dhaka Art Summit, Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka, Bangladesh
Chaos and Awe: Painting in the 21st Century, Frist Visual Arts Center, Nashville,
TN
- 2017 *Spectral Hues: artists + color*, Palo Alto Art Center, Palo Alto, CA
Ready. Fire! Aim., Hall Art Foundation, Reading, VT
Near & Dear, EFA Project Space, New York, NY
Für Barbara, Hall Art Foundation, Schloss Derneburg Museum, Derneburg,
Germany
Chaos and Awe: Painting for the 21st Century, Ingram Gallery, Frist Center for
the Visual Arts, Nashville, TN
- 2016 *Representing Rainbows*, PG Presents, New York, NY
Signs of Life, Page Bond Gallery, Richmond, VA
New Geometry, Fred Giampietro Gallery, New Haven, CT
- 2015 *Breaking Pattern*, Schneider Museum of Art, Ashland, OR
Beyond 1.1, Klemens Grasser and Tanja Grunert Gallery, New York, NY
Ulterior Motif, The Painting Center, New York, NY
Diphthong, Shirley Filterman Art Center, Borough of Manhattan Community
College, New York, NY
Breaking Pattern, MINUS SPACE, New York, NY
- 2014 *The Battery Art Show Vol 5*, The Battery, San Francisco, CA
Optical Sub-Conscious, RISD Memorial Hall Gallery, Providence, RI
- 2013 *Spectators, Rendered and Regulated*, Koenig & Clinton, New York, NY
On the Grid, Lu Magnus Gallery, New York, NY
Xtraction, The Hole, New York, NY
Abstract Possibilities, Björkholmen Galllery, Stockholm, Sweden
3 & 6, Loe Koenig, Inc., New York, NY
Streamlines: Ephemeral Presence in Contemporary Art, Mahaprajapati Vihar,
Vaishali, India
Color!, Tory Folliard Gallery, Milwaukee, WI
- 2012 *City Wide Exhibition*, Artspace, New Haven, CT
Look Both Ways, Hosfelt Gallery, San Francisco, CA
Narcissism, the Real, the Fake, and the Anti-Digital Impulse, Cirrus Gallery, Los
Angeles, CA
Selections: South Asia, Thomas Erbin Gallery, New York, NY
- 2011 *Giftng Abstraction*, Soho 20 Gallery, New York, NY
Time Flies, Hosfelt Gallery, San Francisco, CA
Repertoire, Zolla/Lieberman Gallery, Chicago, IL
Battle of the Brush, Bryant Park, New York, NY
Curatorial Research Lab, Winkleman Gallery, New York, NY
Dis[locating] Culture, Michael Berger Gallery, Pittsburgh, PA

- 2010 *On Painting*, Western Exhibitions, Chicago, IL
- 2009 Carl Berg Projects, Los Angeles, CA
- 2008 *Gravity and Transformation*, Kristi Engle Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 2007 *Pattern vs. Decoration*, Hosfelt Gallery, San Francisco and New York
The Fluid Field: Abstraction and Reference, Tyler Gallery, Tyler School of Art, Temple University, Elkins Park, PA
Another February Skies, Glendale College Art Gallery, Glendale, CA
Exquisite Acts and Everyday Rebellions, Cal Arts, Valencia, CA
- 2006 *Preview*, Hosfelt Gallery, New York
Hysteria Deluxe, Angles Gallery Project Space, Santa Monica, CA
Available, Monya Rowe Gallery, New York, NY
Hotel California, Glendale College Art Gallery, Glendale, CA
- 2005 *Triumvirate 3*, Raid Projects, Los Angeles, CA
Extreme Abstraction, Albright Knox Art Gallery, Buffalo, NY
Magic Show: Returning to the Organic, Polvo, Chicago, IL
- 2004 *Perfect*, Chicago Cultural Center, Chicago, IL
- 2003 *Toxic*, Max Protetch Gallery, New York, NY
Art After the Age of Mechanical Reproduction, Apexart, New York, NY
Structure, Patricia Faure Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 2002 *Listening to New Voices*, PS1 Contemporary Art Center, Long Island City, NY
- 2001 *Forever Infinite*, Black Dragon Society, Los Angeles, CA
Song Poems, Cohan, Leslie and Browne, New York and Rosamund Felson, Los Angeles
Painting/Not Painting, White Columns, New York, NY
- 2000 *To be Continued...*, Art in General, New York, NY and Parlour Projects, Brooklyn
Winter Paper, Catherine Moore Fine Art, New York, NY
Selections, LFL Gallery, New York, NY
Telesthesia and Amnescopia, Betty Rymer Gallery, Chicago, IL
Under the Influence, Zolla /Lieberman Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1999 *Trippy World*, Baron Boisanté Gallery, New York, NY
Spastic Ecstatic Abstract, The Common Wealth Gallery, Madison, WI
- 1998 Derek Eller Gallery, New York, NY

Residencies

- 2002 PS1 National Studio Program, New York, NY
- 1998 Whitney Museum Independent Study Program, New York, NY
- 1997 The Fabric Workshop and Museum, Apprentice
- 1995 Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, Skowhegan, ME
Visva Bharati University, Santiniketan, India (Foreign Casual Course)

Awards

- 2015 Award from the Edward J. and Dorothy Memorial Fund and the MacMillan Center for International and Area Studies at Yale for Albers symposium at Yale School of Art
- 2001 Pollock Krasner Foundation Grant
Artadia, Individual Artist Grant
- 1997 Temple University Fellowship
- 1995 Mortimer Hays-Brandeis Traveling Fellowship
Ellen Battell Stoeckel Fellowship

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