

Patti Gillespie

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Education

- 2020 MFA candidate, Painting, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA
- 2016 BFA Magna Cum Laude, Painting, University of West Florida, Pensacola, FL
- 2012 AA Magna Cum Laude, Studio Art, Northwest Florida State College, Niceville, FL
- Awards and Grants
- 2018 Honorable Mention, Okaloosa Public Arts, Artist Choice, Okaloosa County Administration Building, Shalimar, FL
- 2015 Office of Undergraduate Research (OUR) Grant, Everyday Heroes, University of West Florida, Pensacola, FL
- 2015 Donna Graff Scholarship, Great Gulfcoast Arts Festival, Pensacola, FL
- 2012 Honorable Mention, Arnie Hart Juried Student Exhibition, Mattie Kelly Arts Center Galleries, Northwest Florida State College, Niceville, FL
- 2011 Award of Merit, First City Art Show, Quayside Gallery, Pensacola, FL
- 2011 Fine and Performing Arts Scholarship, Northwest Florida State College, Niceville, FL
- 2010 Arts Quest Award, Northwest Florida State College, Niceville, FL
- 2010 Fine and Performing Arts Scholarship, Northwest Florida State College, Niceville, FL
- 2009 Best of Show, Arnie Hart Juried Student Exhibition, Mattie Kelly Arts Center Galleries, Northwest Florida State College, Niceville, FL
- 2009 Arnold Hart Scholarship, Northwest Florida State College, Niceville, FL
- 2008 Mattie Kelly Fine and Performing Arts Scholarship, Okaloosa-Walton College Foundation, Niceville, FL

Solo Exhibitions:

- 2016 Everyday Heroes-A Thousand Points of Light, Chautauqua Campus, Northwest Florida State College, Freeport, FL
- 2016 Everyday Heroes-A Thousand Points of Light, Goetsch Gallery, Northwest Florida State College, Niceville, FL

2015 Idyllic Impressions, Bob Yeager Library, University of West Florida, Pensacola, FL

Exhibitions:

- 2020 28th Annual Emerald Coast National Juried Fine Arts Exhibition, Mattie Kelly Arts Center, Northwest Florida State College, Niceville, FL
- 2020 Covid Pops Up, Sears Museum, Dixie State University, St. George, UT
- 2020 Capturing the Light, Southern Utah Artist Guild, St. George, UT (Juried)
- 2019 Cross-Sections, MFA Online Exhibition, University of Montana, Online, (Juried)
- 2018 Artist Choice, Okaloosa Public Arts, Okaloosa County Administration Building, Shalimar, FL
- 2017 25th Annual Southeast Regional Juried Fine Arts Exhibition, Mattie Kelly Arts Center, Northwest Florida State College, Niceville, FL
- 2016 Tribute to Sinfonia Gulf Coast Juried Exhibition, Okaloosa Public Arts, Fort Walton Beach, FL
- 2016 Synthesis, BFA Exit Show, The Art Gallery, University of West Florida, Pensacola, FL
- 2016 Women Painters of the Southeast 2016, Fifth Annual Juried Members' Exhibition and Sale, The Arts Depot, Abingdon, VA
- 2016 24th Annual Southeast Regional Juried Fine Arts Exhibition, Arts and Design Society, Fort Walton Beach, FL
- 2016 15th Annual Women's Studies Conference, Center for the Fine and Performing Arts, University of West Florida, Pensacola, FL (Invitational)
- 2015 Semi-Annual POP-UP Exhibition, Center for Fine and Performing Arts, University of West Florida, Pensacola, FL (Invitational) Fall
- 2015 Semi- Annual POP-UP Exhibition, Center for Fine and Performing Arts, University of West Florida, Pensacola, FL (Invitational) Spring
- 2015 Points of Departure, TAG Gallery, University of West Florida, Pensacola, FL (Invitational)
- 2013 Plein Air Paint Out Show and Wet Painting Sale, Chautauqua Assembly, Defuniak Springs, FL
- 2013 First City Art Show, Quayside Gallery, Pensacola, FL (Juried)
- 2012 First City Art Show, Quayside Gallery, Pensacola, FL (Juried)

- 2012 Arnie Hart Juried Student Exhibition, Mattie Kelly Arts Center Galleries, Northwest Florida State College, Niceville, FL
- 2011 First City Art Show, Quayside Gallery, Pensacola, FL (Juried)
- 2011 Arnie Hart Juried Student Exhibition, Mattie Kelly Arts Center Galleries, Northwest Florida State College, Niceville, FL
- 2010 Arnie Hart Juried Student Exhibition, Mattie Kelly Arts Center Galleries, Northwest Florida State College, Niceville, FL
- 2009 Cube It, Art and Design Society of Fort Walton Beach, The Art Center, Fort Walton Beach Florida (Juried)
- 2009 Arnie Hart Juried Student Exhibition, Mattie Kelly Arts Center Galleries, Northwest Florida State College, Niceville, FL

Print Media

Troubadour, A Literary Journal, University of West Florida, Spring 2016, Vol., No., pgs.

Blackwater Review, A Journal of Literature and Art, Northwest Florida State College, Spring 2011, Vol. 9, No. 1, pgs. 44 and 65.

Related Experience

- 2020-present Adjunct Professor, Dixie State University, St. George, UT
- 2020-present Part-time Help, Sears Art Museum, Dixie State University, St. George, UT
- 2016-present Professional Muralist-see website
- 2012-2019 Docent, Mattie Kelly Fine Arts McIlroy and Holzhouer Galleries, Northwest Florida State College, Niceville, FL

Professional Organizations:

- 2019-present Member of Southern Utah Art Guild
- 2015-2017 Member of Women Painters of the Southeast
- 2013-present- Member of the Emerald Coast Plein Group
- 2010-present- Member of the Arts and Design Society of Fort Walton Beach, Florida