TRACI WRIGHT MARTIN

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Education:

Southeastern Oklahoma State University, Durant, Oklahoma. B.A., Studio Art, 2005.

Oregon College of Art and Craft, Portland, Oregon. Portrait Drawing, 2000.

Selected Solo Exhibitions:

- 2024 (upcoming) Greenville Center for Creative Arts, Main Gallery, Greenville, SC
- 2023 Grand Bohemian Lodge Gallery, "Polaris," Greenville, SC
- 2022 Centre Stage Gallery, "Screen Doors," Greenville, SC
- 2021 33 Contemporary Gallery, "Reformation," online via Artsy
- 2020 Art & Light Gallery, Greenville, SC
- 2019 Marvin's Place Art Gallery, Ardmore, OK
- 2017 Charles B. Goddard Center, "In My Room," Ardmore, OK
- 2011 ArtPlace Gallery, "Community," Denison, TX
- 2009 Oklahoma State Capitol Gallery, "A Meditation On/Through Colour," Oklahoma City, OK

Selected Group Exhibitions:

- 2023 33 Contemporary, "Al and ME" on Artsy
- 2023 Brookgreen Gardens Museum, "Pushing Forward, Reaching Back" Juried Exhibition for American Women Artists Murrells Inlet, SC
- 2023 Wausau Museum of Contemporary Art, "International Biennial Portrait Competition," Wausau, WI
- 2023 Salmagundi Club, 42nd Annual Painting and Drawing, Juried Exhibiton, New York City, NY
- 2022 Wausau Museum of Contemporary Art, "Painting the Figure Now 2022," Wausau, WI
- 2022 Allied Artists of American, 109th Annual Exhibition, (online)
- 2021 Allied Artists of America, 108th Annual Exhibition, Salmagundi Club, NYC, NY
- 2021 Equity Gallery, "6x9" show, NYC, NY
- 2021 Abend Gallery, "5x5" show, Denver, CO
- 2021 Wausau Museum of Contemporary Art, "International Biennial Portrait Competition," Wausau, WI
- 2020 Wausau Museum of Contemporary Art, "4th Annual Juried Exhibition", Wausau, WI (online)
- 2020 Circle Arts, "Art in the Time of Coronavirus and Social Distancing", Lyon, France (online)
- 2020 33 Contemporary, "Ethereal Epiphany" on Artsy
- 2020 33 Contemporary, "Ambivalence" on Artsy
- 2020 Bedford Gallery, "Bird, Nest Nature", Walnut City, CA
- 2020 Metropolitan Arts Council, "Flat Out Under Pressure" (24hr artmaking show, 3rd place, Greenville, SC
- 2020 Equity Gallery, "Spring Flash" Juried Show, New York City, NY (online).
- 2021 & 2020 American Women Artists "Spring Online Juried Show", Lodi, CA (online).
- 2020 Portraits, Inc. Gallery, "It Could Be You: Portraiture in a Constructed World" (Part 2), Birmingham, AL.
- 2019 Equity Gallery, "It Could Be You: Portraiture in a Constructed World" (Juried by Hyeseung Marriage-Song, Beverly McNeil, and Patricia Watwood), New York City, NY.
- 2017 USAO, "7 State Biennalle," Chickasha, OK.
- 2017 ArtLoveMagic Gallery, "EmBODYng LOVE," Dallas, TX.
- 2016 Oklahoma Contemporary, "Art Now," Oklahoma City, OK.
- 2014 SE Centre Gallery, "Great Plains Juried," Durant, OK.
- 2013 IAO Gallery, "Oklahoma Friendly," Oklahoma City, OK.

2011 – Art Center, "Lines into Shapes," Estes Park, CO.

2009 – SE Centre Gallery, two-woman show with Shelley Tate Garner, Durant, OK.

Collections:

"Garnet," Menendez Family Art Collection (Illinois), Acquired 2022.

"Lotus," University of South Carolina School of Medicine, Greenville, SC, Acquired 2022.

"Gaze," Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Magazzu Collection (New Hampshire), Acquired 2021.

Founders Portraits, Oklahoma School for the Deaf, Sulphur, OK. Acquired (Commissioned) 2018.

"Mort," Murray State College (permanent collection), Tishomingo, OK. Acquired 2017.

"Western Meadowlark," Yamhill Valley Vineyards Tasting Room, McMinnville, OR. Acquired 2017.

"Steven," Charles B. Goddard Center (permanent collection), Ardmore, OK. Donated 2015.

*Artwork Featured in private collections in over 23 states and 5 countries.

"Polaris" Collection, Lunar Codex, permanent time capsule, (21 total works), Lunar South Pole, launching 2024

Publications and Features:

"Both/And" for Artists Painting Artists feature - Fine Art Connoisseur (magazine) Nov/Dec 2023.

Feature – TOWN (magazine) October 2023

"Huntress" for "Works on Paper" feature – American Art Collector (magazine) October 2023.

"On Location" Feature – International Artist (magazine) – Feb/March 2023.

"Both/And" Finalist, Strokes of Genius 14 Competition – Best of Drawing (magazine) 2023.

"Both/And" for "Making a Mark," article – Pastel Journal (magazine) Winter 2023.

"Huntress" for "Dressed to Impress" article - Fine Art Connoisseur (magazine) December 2022.

"Radical Joy" for "In Perpetuity" article – American Art Collector (magazine) July 2022.

Juried artist feature, New Visionary. (magazine) Issue #4, October 2022

"Dryocampo..." Finalist, Strokes of Genius 13 Competition – Best of Drawing (magazine) 2022.

"Conan" for "Beloved Creatures Great and Small" article – Fine Art Connoisseur (magazine) February 2021.

"Face Forward" artist feature article – TOWN, (magazine) October 2020.

"Artists Can" Q&A feature (blog), October 2020.

"Automeris Io, for Yayoi Kusama" – Circle Arts Quarterly Review, (juried publication) Fall 2019.

"Kate." Holy Troublemakers and Unconventional Saints Book, Published 2019.

"Angus in the Grass." Oklahoma Today. (magazine) Sept/Oct 2019.

Selected Awards & Grants:

2023 – Semi-finalist, Almenara Art Prize - Cordoba, Spain

2023 - Metropolitan Arts Council Grant - "Polaris Solo Exhibiton"

2022 – Semi-finalist, Art Renewal Center International Salon Competition

2022 - Second Place, "City of Women" Juried Exhibit, Greenville Center for Creative Arts, Greenville, SC

2021 - Honorable Mention, "International Biennial Portrait Competition" WMOCA, Wausau, WI

2020 - Third Place, "Flat Out Under Pressure" (24hr artmaking event) Mac Arts, Greenville, SC

2019 - Third Place, "It Could Be You..." Portrait Show, Equity Gallery, New York City, NY

2018, 2010 – Best in Show, Ada Art Show, Ada, OK.

2016, 2017 – Best in Show, Goddard Center Annual Juried Exhibit, Ardmore, OK.

2017 - Best in Show, Great Plains Juried Exhibit, Durant, OK.

2017 - Create Ardmore Project Grant, "In My Room" series.

2012, 2013 – Best in Show, Magnolia Art Show, Durant, OK.

2012 – Second Place, Oklahoma Friendly Juried Show, Oklahoma City, OK.

2011 – Best in Show, Artists of the Arbuckles, Sulphur, OK.

2010 - Community Project Arts Grant, Oklahoma Arts Council, "Her Story."

2010 - Individual Artist Grant, Oklahoma Visual Arts Coalition, "Her Story."

Current Memberships:

American Women Artists - https://americanwomenartists.org/
"All She Makes" (curated) - https://www.poetsandartists.com/
"PoetsArtists" - https://www.poetsandartists.com/

Represented by:

Grand Bohemian Gallery (Kessler Collection), Greenville, South Carolina – (864)603-1629 **Marvin's Place Art Gallery**, Ardmore, Oklahoma – (580)504-8070