

Jennifer Guidi

Biography

Jennifer Guidi was born in Redondo Beach, California, in 1972. She lives and works in Los Angeles.

Intricate in their execution and ambiguous in their reading, Jennifer Guidi's paintings oscillate across a broad spectrum of association. Beginning with a colourful under-painting or with raw linen, Guidi obscures this initial layer through the application of a cement-like mixture of sand, paint and acrylic polymers. While still wet, this sedimented exterior is then carefully manipulated by hand carved tools, teased and parted to reveal the base-layer beneath through hundreds of small indentations.

Her work furthers Modernist histories of minimalism and spiritual abstraction, recalling perhaps Agnes Martin's subtle geometric repetitions or Hilma af Klint's seraphic forms and auratic color gradients: occult renderings that connect earthly material to aether. Guidi's meditative process of developing compositional radial systems, in which "starting points" generate centrifugal mark-making force that often begin slightly left to represent the heart as an energy source, manifest loose, spherical circulatory systems of elliptic ovals, like blood coursing through veins and arteries, pinning meridian points.

Guidi's work is included in prominent collections such as the Hammer Museum and the Rubell Family Collection among others.

Solo exhibitions

2024

2024 - Rituals, Gagosian, New York, USA

2023

2023 - Mountain Range, Château La Coste, Le Puy-Sainte-Réparate, F

2023 - And so it is, Orange County Museum of Art, Costa Mesa, USA

2022

2022 - Jennifer Guidi | In the Heart of the Sun, David Kordansky Gallery, Los Angeles, USA

2022 - Full Moon, Long Museum, Shanghai, PRC

2021

2021 - Points of Harmony, MASSIMODECARLO Pièce Unique, Paris, F

2020

2020 - Gemini, Gagosian, New York, USA. Catalogue

2019

2019 - Eclipse, Massimo De Carlo, Milano, I. Catalogue

2018

2018 - Heliocentric, Gagosian, Hong Kong, HK. Catalogue

2017

2017 - Jennifer Guidi, David Kordansky Gallery, Los Angeles, USA. Catalogue
2017 - San Fernando, Almine Rech Gallery, New York, USA
2017 - Visible Light / Luce Visibile, Museo d'arte Villa Crocecontemporanea, Genova, I. Catalogue
2017 - More Life, David Kordansky Gallery, Los Angeles, USA

2016

2016 - Pink Sand, Harper's Apartment, New York, USA
2016 - Radiant, Massimo De Carlo, London, UK
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2015

2015 - New Paintings, Nathalie Karg Gallery, New York, USA

2014

2014 - Field Paintings, LAXART, Los Angeles, USA; Nathalie Karg Gallery, New York, USA

2006

2006 - The Sunshine Threw His Hat Away, ACME, Los Angeles, USA

2005

2005 - Paintings, ACME, Los Angeles, USA

Group exhibitions**2022**

2022 - Artists Inspired by Music: Interscope Reimagined, Los Angeles County Museum of Art, Los Angeles, USA
2022 - Art Basel Hong Kong, Hong Kong Convention Center, Hong Kong, PRC

2021

2021 - An Ideal Landscape, Gagolian, New York, USA
2021 - The Beatitudes of Malibu, David Kordansky Gallery, Los Angeles, USA

2020

2020 - A Possible Horizon, De la Cruz Collection, Miami, USA
2020 - Inner Realm, curated by Jennifer Guidi, Massimo De Carlo, VSpace,

2019

2019 - From Day to Day, De La Cruz Collection, Miami, USA

2018

2018 - Generations Female Artist in Dialogue, Part 1, Sammlung Goetz, Munich, D
2018 - One Day at a Time: Manny Farber and Termite Art, Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles, USA. Catalogue

2017

2017 - Unpacking: The Marciano Collection, Marciano Art Foundation, Los Angeles, USA

2016

2016 - No Man's Land: Women Artists from the Rubell Family Collection, National Museum of Women in the Arts, Washington D.C., USA
2016 - Marinade, BBQLA, Los Angeles, USA

2015

2015 - No Man's Land: Women Artists from the Rubell Family Collection, Rubell Family Collection, Miami, USA. Catalogue
2015 - #crowdedhouse, Harper's Books, East Hampton, USA
2015 - The Afghan Carpet Project, Hammer Museum, Los Angeles, USA

2011

2011 - From Where You Just Arrived, Pepin Moore, Los Angeles, USA

2009

2009 - The Chef's Theory, Five Thirty Three, Los Angeles, USA

2008

2008 - Friends and Family, Anton Kern Gallery, New York, USA

2006

2006 - Landscape, Shane Campbell Gallery, Chicago, USA

2004

2004 - Singing My Song, ACME, Los Angeles, USA

2003

2003 - Hidden Agenda or Hide & Seek, ACME, Los Angeles, USA

2002

2002 - What a Painting Can Do, Hayworth Gallery, Los Angeles, USA

2001

2001 - Jennifer Guidi, Dave Muller's Three Day Weekend, Los Angeles, USA

Public Collections

China

Long Museum, Shanghai

France

Louis Vuitton Foundation, Paris

Germany

Sammlung Goetz, München

Hong Kong

K11 Foundation

United States of America

Dallas Museum of Art, Dallas

De la Cruz Collection, Miami

Hammer Museum, Los Angeles

Los Angeles County Museum of Art, Los Angeles

Marciano Art Foundation, Los Angeles

Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles

Museum of Fine Arts, Boston

Rubell Family Collection, Miami

San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco

Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York