

# Lily Stockman

## Biografia

Lily Stockman è nata a Providence, RI, nel 1982. Vive e lavora a Los Angeles e nella Yucca Valley, in California.

Ispirata dalla natura e dalla struttura simmetrica di mimetismo e ripetizione di questa, Stockman esplora paesaggi a lei familiari (Los Angeles, il deserto del Mojave, un'isola remota del Maine) per ottenere una palette distintiva di colori terziari e incandescenti: l'arancione crepitante, il rosso porporoso dei suoli polverosi, il marrone di Holbein e il blu del Beato Angelico. La critica d'arte del New Yorker Johanna Fateman in un recente articolo su Stockman descrive le sue composizioni biomorfiche come "diagrammatiche e vaporose al tempo stesso, una combinazione che richiama le astrazioni spiritualiste della modernista americana Agnes Pelton. Sebbene siano più liriche, le forme anellate di Stockman possiedono anche la magia meticolosa dei riquadri di Josef Albers." I dipinti di Stockman emergono da un'ampia gamma di riferimenti, dal prosaico - cataloghi di sementi, mappe topografiche, canti di uccelli, pattinare su un laghetto ghiacciato - all'arcaico - disegni di doni Shaker, zoccoli medievali, pale d'altare rinascimentali portatili, metrica poetica.

Dopo essersi specializzata in pittura ad Harvard, dove ha studiato anche storia dell'arte sotto la guida di Yve-Alain Bois, Stockman ha proseguito i suoi studi con due importanti tirocini che hanno plasmato la sua ricerca dell'astrazione per tutta la vita: La pittura thangka buddista presso l'Unione degli artisti mongoli a Ulaanbaatar e, successivamente, la pittura tradizionale in miniatura Mughal a Jaipur. Da lì ha proseguito con un master alla New York University.

Le opere della Stockman sono presenti nelle collezioni permanenti dell'Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden di Washington, dell'Institute of Contemporary Art di Miami, LA MOCA, del Phoenix Art Museum e dell'Orange County Museum of Art, dove è attualmente inclusa nella California Biennial 2022: Pacific Gold.

### Esposizioni personali

#### 2024

2024 - Philip Glass: Etudes project, Los Angeles Philharmonic, Los Angeles, USA  
2024 - Minotaur - Lily Stockman à la Maison La Roche, Maison La Roche, Paris, F. Catalogo

#### 2023

2023 - The Waves, MASSIMODECARLO, London, UK

#### 2022

2022 - A Green Place, Almine Rech, London, UK  
2022 - The Tilting Chair, Charles Moffett, New York, USA

#### 2020

2020 - Seed, Stone, Mirror, Match, Charles Moffett, New York, USA

**2018**

2018 - Loquats, Charles Moffett, New York, USA

**2016**

2016 - Pollinator, Gavlak, Los Angeles, USA

**2014**

2014 - Women, Luis De Jesus, Los Angeles, USA

**2013**

2013 - ULTRAVIOLET: 1913-2013, 80WSE Gallery, New York, USA

**Esposizioni collettive****2023**

2023 - Nostos, Gagosian, Athens, GR

2023 - The Glover Group: A Los Angeles Story, MASSIMODECARLO, Milano, I

**2022**

2022 - What You See Is What You Get, MASSIMODECARLO Pièce Unique, Paris, F

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2022 - 13 Women, Orange County Museum of Art, Costa Mesa, USA

2022 - California Biennial, Orange County Museum of Art, Costa Mesa, USA

2022 - Shrubs, Night Gallery, Los Angeles, USA

**2021**

2021 - Better Weather: Lois Dodd, Kieran Brennan Hinton, Lily Stockman, TOA Presents, Minneapolis, USA

2021 - Summer Show, Almine Rech, Aspen, USA

2021 - Inaugural Launch of Platform, Platform / David Zwirner, New York, USA

**2020**

2020 - Dwelling is the Light, a cura di Katy Hessel, Timothy Taylor, London, UK

2020 - Conversational Spirits, Jessica Silverman Gallery, San Francisco, USA

2020 - LA Views, Maki Gallery, Tokyo, J

**2019**

2019 - By Women, For Tomorrow's Women, a cura di Agnes Gund and Oprah Winfrey, Sotheby's, New York, USA

2019 - Selected Contemporary Painting, Berggruen Gallery, San Francisco, USA

**2018**

2018 - All Over the Moon: Laurel Sparks, Lily Stockman, Richard Tinkler, a cura di Jack Pierson, Cheim & Read, New York, USA

2018 - My Kid Can Do That, a cura di Kyle DeWoody, The Underground Museum, Los Angeles, USA

**2017**

2017 - Tomorrow's Man, a cura di Jack Pierson, Regen Projects, Los Angeles, USA

**2015**

2015 - E.1027, Joe Sheftel Gallery, New York, USA

2015 - Plainly to Propound, Gavlak, Los Angeles, USA

**2014**

2014 - Blessed Oblivion, Gavlak, Palm Beach, USA

2014 - The Morning After, Tyler Wood, San Francisco, USA

2014 - Departure, Harvard Monday Gallery, Harvard University, Cambridge, UK

**2013**

2013 - 1st Year MFA Show, The Commons Gallery, NYU, New York, USA

2013 - MFA Thesis Show, 80WSE Gallery, New York, USA

2013 - The Road, Luis De Jesus, Los Angeles, USA

**2011**

2011 - SUPER/POWER, Threshold Gallery, New Delhi, IND

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## 2022

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## 2021

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## 2020

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## 2018

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## 2017

- Nelson, Steffie. "Desert Storm: Desert X and the Pioneering Artists Who Paved the Way", *W Magazine*, February 2017.

## 2016

- Miranda, Carolina. "Datebook...Art and the Spiritual", *Los Angeles Times*, March 11 2016.
- Mizota, Sharon. "Flower Beds? Body Parts? The Compelling Abstract Paintings of Lily Stockman", *Los Angeles Times*, April 5 2016.

## 2015

- Felsenthal, Julia. "Searching for Architect Eileen Grey on the Lower East Side", *Vogue*, July 29 2015.

Harrelson, Sarah. "Artists Jenna Gribbon, Mickalene Thomas, and Lily Stockman on How Motherhood Has Impacted Their Work", *Cultured Magazine*, May 12, 2023 2023.

# Public Collections

## **United States of America**

Farnsworth Art Museum, Maine  
Hirshhorn Museum, Washington, D.C.  
ICA Miami, Florida  
Orange County Museum of Art  
Palm Springs Art Museum, California  
Phoenix Art Museum, Arizona  
MOCA, Los Angeles