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## Holly Ballard Martz

### Solo and Two Person Exhibitions

- 2020 Solo, ZINC contemporary, Seattle WA  
*Domestic Bliss*, San Juan Islands Museum of Art, Friday Harbor WA
- 2019 *The Greatest Show On Earth*, and installation at Method Gallery, Seattle WA
- 2018 *Pattern Recognition*, ZINC contemporary, Seattle WA
- 2018 *State of the Union*, The Art Project (formerly Bainbridge Arts & Crafts), Bainbridge WA
- 2017 *Mistakes Were Made*, ZINC | edmonds, Edmonds WA
- 2016 *Seeking Asylum*, Studio 103, Seattle WA  
*Conversation Starters*, Centennial Center Gallery, Kent WA
- 2014 *Temporary loss of light*, Studio 103, Seattle WA
- 2013 *Crooked Thoughts*, Studio 103, Seattle WA  
*The Human Condition*, Aljoia Thornton Place, Seattle WA
- 2009 *Higher Ground*, Gunnar Nordstrom Gallery, Bellevue WA
- 2008 *New Paintings*, Gunnar Nordstrom Gallery, Kirkland WA
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- 2006 *Birds of a Feather*, Gunnar Nordstrom Gallery, Kirkland WA
- 2005 *New Paintings*, Gunnar Nordstrom Gallery, Kirkland WA
- 2004 *Landscapes and Beyond*, Gunnar Nordstrom Gallery, Kirkland WA

### Juried and Invitational Exhibitions

- 2020 Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, Seattle WA
- 2019 Seattle Art Fair with ZINC contemporary, Seattle WA
- 2017 *ARTRUMPS*, BONFIRE Gallery, Seattle WA  
*Make America Create Again*, Center on Contemporary Art, Seattle WA  
*Like Mother*, ArtXchange Gallery, Seattle WA, Gallery One, Ellensburg WA  
*Slash and Burn*, Sammamish City Hall, Sammamish WA
- 2016 *KISS FEAR*, BONFIRE Gallery, Seattle WA  
*H2O: What's it Worth?*, Columbia City Gallery, Seattle WA  
*The Incredible Intensity of Just Being Human*, artEAST, Issaquah WA  
*Like Mother*, Magnuson Park Gallery, Seattle WA  
*35 Live:CoCA Member's Show*, CoCA PS35, Seattle WA  
*Artist Trust Auction*, Seattle WA
- 2015 *International Juried Exhibition*, PUNCH Gallery, Seattle WA  
*23 Enigma*, Center on Contemporary Art, Seattle WA  
*Shadow Box*, Ghost Gallery, Seattle WA  
*Like Mother*, Shoreline City Hall, Shoreline WA  
*The Incredible Intensity of Just Being Human*, Anne Focke Gallery, City Hall, Seattle WA  
*A Different Thinking*, Columbia City Gallery, Seattle WA  
*CVG Annual*, Collective Visions, Bremerton WA

- 2014 *Accreted Terrane*, The Museum of Northwest Art, La Conner WA  
*The Incredible Intensity of Just Being Human*, Highline Community College, Des Moines, WA  
*The Deep End*, Whitdel Arts, Detroit MI  
*Who Are You?*, Center on Contemporary Art, Seattle WA  
*Pulse*, Mary Lou Zeek Gallery, Salem OR  
*150 Feet of Art*, artEAST, Issaquah WA  
*CVG Annual*, Collective Visions, Bremerton WA  
*Navigate*, Corridor Gallery, Seattle WA
- 2013 *The Incredible Intensity of Just Being Human*, Arts and Social Change, WA State Arts Alliance Cultural Congress, Seattle WA  
*Collision*, Center on Contemporary Art, Seattle WA  
*Curve and Lineal Tales*, Corridor Gallery, Seattle WA  
*Beyond Quotidian*, Aljoia Mercer Island, Mercer Island WA  
*Interpretations of Time*, Ida Culver House, Seattle WA  
*Home*, Mary Lou Zeek Gallery, Salem OR  
*150 Feet of Art*, artEAST, Issaquah WA
- 2012 *Who Does She Think She Is?*, Corridor Gallery, Seattle WA  
*150 Feet of Art*, artEAST, Issaquah WA  
*The Art of Communication*, Mary Lou Zeek Gallery, Salem OR  
*The Rookery Project*, artEAST, Issaquah WA
- 2011 *The Sketchbook Project*, Brooklyn Art Library, Brooklyn NY  
*Unfinished Business*, University House, Issaquah WA  
*The Back Country*, Port Angeles Fine Arts Center, Port Angeles WA  
*CVG Annual*, Collective Visions, Bremerton WA  
*24 Hour Art Marathon*, artEAST, Issaquah WA  
*Art of the Written Word*, artEAST, Issaquah WA
- 2010 *CVG Annual*, Collective Visions, Bremerton WA  
*Safe Harbor*, Port Angeles Fine Arts Center, Port Angeles WA  
*Anniversary Show*, Gunnar Nordstrom Gallery, Bellevue WA  
*RISE*, Seattle Design Center, Seattle WA  
*Nourish and Sustain*, Mary Lou Zeek Gallery, Salem OR  
*24 Hour Art Marathon*, CoCA, Seattle WA
- 2009 *CVG Annual*, Collective Visions, Bremerton WA  
*Education Without Boundaries*, Mary Lou Zeek Gallery, Salem OR
- 2008 *Artist Trust Auction*, Seattle WA  
*What's Inside*, Mary Lou Zeek Gallery, Salem OR
- 2009 *The Good, The Bad, & The Ugly*, Gallery OK  
Mnemonic Gallery, Corridor Gallery, Seattle WA
- 2006 *21<sup>st</sup> Anniversary Show*, Gunnar Nordstrom Gallery, Kirkland WA  
*Shrine Show*, Mary Lou Zeek Gallery, Salem OR
- 2005 *20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Show*, Gunnar Nordstrom Gallery, Kirkland WA  
*Letters and Numbers*, Mary Lou Zeek Gallery, Salem OR

## **Collections**

Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, Seattle WA  
City of Seattle Portable Works, Seattle WA  
Bainbridge Island Museum of Art, Bainbridge Island WA  
University of Washington Rare Books Collection, Seattle WA  
Escuela Nacional de Artes Plasticas/UNAM, Mexico City, Mexico

## **Awards**

2015 Grant for Artists Project (GAP), Artist Trust  
First Place Juror Award, *Around the Square*, Studio 103, Seattle WA

## **Bibliography**

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Artnet, *12 Fierce Women*, November 16, 2018, by Sarah Cascone  
*The Seattle Times*, January 6, 2017, By Michael Upchurch  
*Art Zone*, The Seattle Channel, November 25, 2016, By Nancy Guppy  
*Art Baby: The Vocabulary of Fine Visual Art for Young Children*, By Jennifer Hatters  
*Studio Visit Magazine*, Volume 25  
*Navigate Catalog*, Essays by Deborah Kapoor, Stephany Rimland, Lisa Polman  
*Accreted Terrane Catalog*, Essay by David Francis  
*The Incredible Intensity of Just Being Human Catalog*, Essays by Kate Vrijmoet  
and David Francis  
*CoCA Playing Cards*, Center on Contemporary Art