# Nikki Russo

Self-Taught Visual Artist/Photographer 1995-Present Born in New Haven, Connecticut

Currently Working & Living in Boise, Idaho Proud Member of **BOSCO** (Boise Open Studios)

# **Exhibitions**

#### 2024

- June 2024-Surel's Place Shrinking Dink Show, Garden City, ID
- June 2024-Art & Roses, Participating Artist, Boise, ID
- February 2024-Lost Grove Brewery-Pop Up Group Show, Boise, ID
- January 2024-Garden Plaza at Valley View-Solo Exhibit, Boise, ID

#### 2023

- December 2023-JuMp-Art for Song-Best of BOSCO- 2nd Group Exhibit, Boise, ID

- November 2023-JuMp-Art for Song-Best of BOSCO- 2nd Group Exhibit, Bolse, ID November 2023-Riverside Hotel, Group Exhibit, Garden City, ID October 2023-1st Annual Karly Cantrell Fur Ball Benefit Gala, Caldwell, ID October 2023-Garden City Library Art Gallery, Solo Exhibit, Garden City, ID August 2023-32 Cells at the Old Idaho State Penitentiary, Group Exhibit, Boise ID August 2023-Riverside Hotel, Art for Song-Best of BOSCO- Group Exhibit, Garden City, ID July 2023 Twisted District Brewery, Solo Exhibit, Garden City ID June 2023-Quintessential Small Works Art Exhibit, Group Show, Surel's Place, Garden City, ID
- June-2023-Sunshine Spice Cafe, Sold Exhibit, Boise, ID March-April 2023-The Waters Edge Gallery, Riverside Hotel, Boise, ID January 2023-Sunshine Spice Cafe, Group Exhibit, Boise ID.

#### 2022

- December 2022--Alexa Rose Foundation Group Grantee Art Exhibit, Group Show, Alaska Center, Boise, ID
- December 2022-February 2023 Massage Central, Solo Exhibit, Boise ID

- December 2022-Initial Point Gallery, Group Exhibit-BOSCO, Meridian, ID October 2022-Roots Zero Waste Market, Solo Exhibit, Garden City, ID August 2022 Riverside Hotel, Featured Artist, Art Gallery Upper Lounge, Boise ID June-July 2022 Treasure Valley Acupuncture, Solo Exhibit, Boise ID

- May 2022 Sunshine Spice Cafe, Group Exhibit, Boise, ID Mar-Apr 2022 Coiled Wine Bar, Gallery Wall, Boise, ID Jan-Feb 2022 Woodland Empire Tasting Room, Solo Exhibit, Boise, ID

#### 2021

- Nov-Dec 2021 Massage Central Art Gallery Wall, Solo Exhibit, Boise, ID
- Oct 2021 The Local Restaurant, Solo Exhibit, Boise, ID
- Sep 2021 Roots Zero Waste Market, 1st Friday Artwalk with Surel's Place, Boise, ID July 2021 Art Source Gallery Juried Show, Group Exhibit, Boise, ID

- May-June 2021 Cinder Winery Art Gallery, Solo Exhibit, Boise, ID Feb 2021 Coiled Winery, Gallery Wall, Solo Exhibit, Boise, ID Jan-Mar 2021 Riverside Hotel Art Gallery, Group Exhibit, Boise, ID •

#### 2020

- Nov 2020 Sunshine Spice Cafe, Sole Exhibit, Boise, ID Oct 2020 Roots No Waste Market, Solo Exhibit, Boise, ID Sep 2020 The Local Restaurant, Solo Exhibit, Boise, ID June 2020 Art and Roses, Boise, ID (Cancelled due to Covid) Feb 2020 Aquability Fund Raising Event, Gem Center, Boise, ID 2020 Woodland Empire Tasting Room, Solo Exhibit, Boise, ID 2020 Massage Central Lobby Art Gallery, Solo Exhibit, Boise, ID 2020 Flying "M" Cafe, Valentine's for Aids Group Show, Boise, ID 2020 Colled Winery Tasting Room Gallery Wall, Solo Exhibit, Boise, ID
- 2020 Coiled Winery Tasting Room Gallery Wall, Solo Exhibit, Boise, ID

#### 2019

2019-2020 CW Building Photography Exhibit, Group Show, Boise, ID

#### 2018

- 2018 Boise Art Project, Solo Exhibit, Owyhee Tavern, Gallery Wall, Boise, ID
- 2018 John Labry Art Gallery, Group Exhibit, Boise, ID

#### 2017

- 2017 Flying "M" Valentines for Aids Group Exhibit, Boise, ID 2017 Zee's Rooftop Cafe, Group Exhibit & Permanent Collection, Boise, ID 2017 Boise Art Project, "Love & Heartbreak, Group Exhibit, Owyhee Tavern, Boise, ID 2017 Boise Art Project, "Imagination", Group Exhibit, Owyhee Tavern, Boise, ID 2017 Boise Art Project, "Nature", Group Group Exhibit, Owyhee Tavern, Boise, ID

#### 2008-2014

- 2014 Boise International Market, Solo Photography Exhibit, Boise, ID 2011 Work Homeless Day, Online Photography Exhibit, Los Angeles, CA 2008 Celebrating Urban Light-A Chris Burden Exhibit, LACMA, Los Angeles, CA 2008 Peter Alan Richard's Private Studio Gallery, Group Exhibit, Culver City, CA

# **Educational Training**

#### Community College of the Air Force/University of Maryland/European Division

Attended May 1993-95 GPA 3.5 Undergraduate Business Management/Musical Theater

#### Southern Connecticut State University

Attended Jan 1992-2002 Undergraduate Business Management/Musical Theater

#### United States Air Force-Served from Jan 1992-Mar 2002

Information Management Journeyman/Communications and Security Police Augmentee

## Residencies

Surel's Place, Garden City October 22nd-28th, 2020

## Organizations

Member of BOSCO- Boise Open Studios, Collective Organization

## Awards/Publications

April 7, 2022 2022 Boise Weekly Cover Art-Oil Painting/"Au-desses des Abysses IV", Boise, ID

July 2021 Recipient of Alexa Rose Foundation Grant, Boise, ID

January 11, 2021 Boise Weekly Cover Art-Oil Painting/"Dreams", Boise, ID

2020-2021 Farm Bureau's "Reasons Why I Love Idaho Photo Contest, (3 Quarters)-People's Choice, Boise ID

December 11, 2019 Boise Weekly Cover Art-Oil Painting, "La Froid Dedans", Boise, ID

2017 Banner Bank Photography Contest, Top 10 Winner, Boise, ID

2017 15th Annual Boise Weekly Black & White Photo Contest Winner

2016 14th Annual Boise Weekly Black & White Photo Contest Winner

2015 13th Annual Boise Weekly Black & White Photo Contest Winner

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