

Kristen Margiotta / Oil Painter / CV

Education

- 2014-19 Painting Seminar with Michael Hussar, NYC
2005 University of Delaware, B.F.A Visual Communications / Illustration

Solo Exhibitions

- 2018 Alla Prima, RH Gallery, Hockessin, DE
2012 Fear Becomes Her, AFA Gallery, NYC
2008 Cherry's Closet, Mezzanine Gallery, DE

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2021: LORE, Modern Eden Gallery, San Francisco, CA. October 9, 2021
2021: The Duality of Monsters, Bear and Ink Studios, San Antonio TX. August 6, 2021
- 2021 The Portrait Show IX, Modern Eden Gallery, San Francisco, CA.
2020 Philadelphia Tattoo Convention
2019 SELF-ish, Exhibition of Self Portraits, Modern Eden Gallery, San Francisco, CA
2019 The Convent, Summer Show, Philadelphia, PA
2019 Scary Stories, Tribute show, Sacred Art Tattoo, Seymour, CT
2019 Through Her Eyes, The Grand, Wilmington, DE
2009-19 Pop Gallery, Santa Fe, NM
2018 Delaware Fun a Day, Delaware Contemporary, DE
2017 Guest Artist, Exhibition of Grief, Delaware Contemporary, DE
2017 Group Exhibition (Ellen Durkan, Rick Hidalgo, Joe Hoddinott), RH Gallery, DE
2017 NY Empire State Tattoo Expo, Manhattan, NYC
2009-17 Pop Femme Sugar Coated Strange, Pop Gallery, Santa Fe, NM
2016 Guest Artist Chair, Hockessin Art and Book Fair, Hockessin, DE
2016 Painted Prosthetic Project, Arch Enemy Arts Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
2016 Two Person Exhibition with Ellen Durkan, Chris White Gallery, Wilmington, DE
2015 Dr. Seuss 111th Birthday Tribute Exhibit, Pop Gallery, Santa Fe, NM
2014-16 Little Big Art Show, Talleyville Frame Shoppe and Gallery, DE
2014 Guest Juror: Words to Images, Newark Arts Alliance, DE
2012 Collector's Exhibit / AFA Gallery, NYC. Solo exhibition coincided with this group exhibit featuring Dr. Seuss, Charles M. Schulz, Charles Addams, Travis Louie, Kirk Reinert, Kinuko Kraft, Kathie Olivas, Maurice Sendak, and many more.
2012 Gustav Gloom Book Signing, Talleyville Gallery, Wilmington, DE
2011-16 Coffin Ball, Exhibit of Coffin Shaped Art
2011 Autumn Spell, Gallery 309, Philadelphia, PA
2011 Dead and Lovely, Three person exhibit with Emi Boz and Gus Fink, Gallery 309, Philadelphia, PA
2010 2 Person Exhibit with Mark Weiss, legendary Rock N' Roll photographer, Red Mohawk

Gallery, Wilmington, DE
 2009 Possibilities of Pause, Juried, Delaware Art Museum, DE
 2009 Book Signing: *Better Haunted Homes and Gardens*, Talleyville Gallery, Wilmington, DE
 2008/09 Under the Influence, C. Emerson Fine Arts, St. Petersburg, FL
 2007 Art at Large, Juried, Cry Baby Gallery, Asbury Park, NJ
 2007 National Arts Program, Wilmington, DE
 2006 Delaware Women's Conference Fine Art Exhibit, Juried, Biggs Museum of American Art, DE

Select Publications / Features

2020 Interview Plebeian Magazine
 2018 Online Feature, Create Magazine
 2017 _____ Gustav Gloom books 1-2 published in the Czech Republic
 2017 Gustav Gloom book 1 published in Poland
 2016 Gustav Gloom books 1-2 published in Turkey
 2016 Cover illustration for Pulling Punches album, The Old Colors are Dead, featured through Alternatepress.com
 2011-16 *Gustav Gloom* Chapter Book Series published, Penguin Random House
 2015 Cover Art, Pasatiempo Magazine, Santa Fe
 2015 Santa Fe Reporter: Green Eggs and Art
 2014 The New York Optimist: Featured Artist
 2013 *Fear Becomes Her*, Self Published book
 2012: Pub Crawl: Gustav Gloom and the People Taker : Meet the Creative Minds Behind It
 2009 Horrornews.com
 2009 Spark Magazine, feature: Top 9 Most Intriguing People of 2009
 2009 The Community News, feature
 2009 Delaware Today Magazine, feature
 2009 Children's Book published / *Better Haunted Homes and Gardens*, Imaginary Books / Raw Dog Screaming Press.
 2009 *Max and the Siamese Twins*, story featuring illustrations by contemporary artists including Scott Brooks, Carrie Ann Baade, Kristen Farrell, Cate Rangel, and more
 2009 Tampa Bay Times, feature
 2008 The News Journal, full page feature
 2008 Out and About Magazine, feature
 2008 The Newark Post, feature
 2008 Juxtapoz.com, Online Feature
 2006 Living Well Magazine, Interview
 2006 Delaware Today Magazine Calendar

Awards / Acknowledgments

- 2017 Opportunity Grant awarded by Delaware Division of the Arts
- 2013/14 Gustav Gloom book #3 and #4: Best Children's Books of the Year, Bank Street Center for Children's Literature!
- 2009 Top 9 Most Intriguing People of 2009, Spark Magazine
- 2009 Delaware City Fest, 2nd Prize Juried Art Show, awarded by Ed Loper
- 2007 Awarded Solo Exhibition by the Delaware Division of the Arts
- 2007 1st Place in Professional Category of Nation Arts Program, Wilmington, DE
- 2005 Award in Excellence in Illustration, University of Delaware
- 2002 University of Delaware Gallery Award

Texts

- 2011 Summary, *Underwater Fistfights*, by Matt Betts, Raw Dog Screaming Press

Teaching Experience

- 2006-present Art Instructor, various locations.
Private Instruction at home studio.
Live Portrait Painting Demonstration, Philadelphia Oddities Expo.
Cecil College 2006-2009 (Foundation Drawing, Design, Color Theory, Illustration)