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Born Eugene Oregon 1962  
Currently Live and Work Petaluma, CA

#### EDUCATION

Western Washington University BFA, Bellingham, WA 1981-85  
Academy of Art University, BA, San Francisco, CA 1988-91

#### RESIDENCIES AND GRANTS

Artist in Residence, Glacier National Park, Montana, 2022  
Community Life Grant, California College of Art, San Francisco, Ca 2001

#### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

Usher Gallery, Petaluma, CA March 2025  
Horse and Plow Winery, Sebastopol, CA 2024  
Luminarium Curated, Sebastopol, CA 2023

#### MUSEUMS

Birds, Birds and More Birds, MONCA Museum of Northern California, Chico, CA 2025

#### Selected GROUP EXHIBITIONS:

Refusés of the Bay, Voss Gallery, San Francisco, CA 2023  
Refusés of the Bay is a collaborative art project of two curated exhibitions by Bay Area artists whose work was inexplicably overlooked by the jurors of The de Young Open 2023. “Refusés of the Bay” is a tribute to the 1863 Salon des Refusés, which showcased rejected artwork from the highly acclaimed Paris Salon, featuring a staggering two-thirds of the submitted work that was not initially chosen. This renegade art fair included emerging works from James McNeill Whistler, Édouard Manet, Camille Pissarro, and other world-renowned artists whose careers took off after the show.

Sausalito Open, Sausalito Center for the Arts, Sausalito, CA 2025

‘Flock’, Studio Gallery, San Francisco, CA 2025

Oli Gallery, Petaluma, CA 2024

Birds, Icehouse Gallery, Petaluma, CA 2023

Art Trails of Sonoma County Studio Tour, Petaluma, Ca, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025

Call of the Wild - 2 person show, online and Villa Marin, San Rafael, Ca, 2021

Delicious, Studio Gallery, San Francisco, Ca 2016 and 2017  
50/50 at the Sanchez Art Center, Pacifica, Ca 2014  
Art in the Olive Grove, Cornerstone, Sonoma, Ca 2011  
Renegade Art and Democracy, Cornerstone, Sonoma, Ca 2009  
The Hat Factory Collective First Salon, San Francisco, Ca 2001  
California College of Art, Faculty Show, San Francisco 1998 and 2000  
Sustainability, The Presidio Art Center, San Francisco, 2000  
Art in the Presidio Project, The Presidio, San Francisco, 1999  
The Fine Art of the Automobile, Artisans Gallery, Mill Valley California, 1999  
Emeryville Lofts Block Party, Emeryville, Ca 1999

#### RESIDENCIES AND GRANTS

Sperry Chalet, Artist in Residence, Glacier National Park, Montana, 2022  
Community Life Grant, California College of Art, San Francisco, Ca 2001

#### ORGANIZATIONS

Women Eco Artists Dialog, WEAD  
The Hat Factory Artists' Collective, Founding Co-Director, San Francisco, CA  
San Francisco Society of Illustrators, Events Chair, San Francisco, CA  
Selected artist of the Cavaliers of the West Specialty show 4 years running, Oakland, CA

#### PRIVATE COLLECTIONS

Jane Metcalfe, founder WIRED Magazine and TCHO Chocolates  
Through commissions, numerous collections across the US, the UK and New Zealand  
including Mary Cunningham world champion breeder of Cavalier King Charles Spaniels

#### FACULTY

Academy of Art University, San Francisco 1993-1999  
California College of Art, San Francisco 1999-2003

#### Selected ILLUSTRATION CLIENTS

The Wall Street Journal, The Gap, Weldon Owen Publishing, The Verdict Magazine,  
LinkedIn