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education

- 2000-2004 **Independent Study** with James Valone, MFA, Retired Professor of Art, Rocky Mt. College Art and Design, Chairman of Art Dept. Trinity University, San Antonio TX, Chairman of Art Dept, Southwest University, Georgetown TX
Independent Study with Bob Thomas, MFA, Professor of art Red Rocks Community College, Rocky Mountain College of Art & Design, Denver CO
- 2001-2001 **Independent Study** with Ernest J. Velardi, MFA, (Emeritus) Professor of Art, California State University, Springmaid Beach, SC
- 1999-2003 **Independent Study** with Janette Len-Chin Lenschow, BS, MS, MFA, Retired Professor of Art, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO
- 1993-1998 **BFA- Painting and Drawing**, Rocky Mountain College of Art & Design, Department Chairman Clark Richert, Denver, CO
- 1972-1973 **Major- Commercial Art**, Kendall College of Art & Design, Grand Rapids, MI
- 1970-1972 **Major- Art Education**, Schoolcraft College, Livonia, MI

solo exhibits

- 2007 **ACME Lofts**, *carlene frances*, Fuller Towne & Country Properties, Denver, CO
Square Deal Gallery, *Fusion*, Denver, CO
- 2006 **Remmi Fine Art**, *Elements of Simplicity*, Denver, CO
Framed Images, *Dancing Complexities*, Denver, CO
- 2001 **Dovecote Women's Center**, *Dualities*, Lakewood, CO
- 1998 **Le Stelle Gallery**, *Manscapes*, Denver, CO
- 1997 **Le Stelle Gallery**, *Journey in Color*, Denver, CO

group exhibits

- 2008 **Curtis Arts & Humanities Center**, *25th Annual All Colorado Art Show* Juried by Gwen Chanzit, Ph.D. curator of Modern & Contemporary Art at the Denver Art Museum, Greenwood Village, CO
- 2007 **Remmi Fine Art**, *2007 Grand Opening*, Denver, CO
Square Deal Gallery, *Four Painters*, Group Exhibit, Denver, CO
Remmi Fine Art Gallery, *Eternal Landscape*, Denver, CO
827 Gallery, *Invitaional Group Exhibit*, Denver, CO
enso gallery, *Group Exhibit*, Denver, CO
Square Deal Gallery, *Four Expressions*, Denver, CO

- Denver Public Library, Santa Fe Art Drive Art District Exhibit,**
Denver, CO
- 2006 **Remmi Fine Art, 2006 Group Exhibit,** Denver, CO
Remmi Fine Art, The Eternal Landscape, Group Exhibit, curator
Patrick Jolly of **Patrick Jolly Fine Art,** Denver, CO
Square Deal Gallery, Four Painters, Denver, CO
- 2005 **825 Art Gallery, Going Deeper,** Two Women Exhibit, Denver, CO.
Remmi Fine Art, Gallery Group Show, Denver, CO.
Neo Art Gallery, Group Exhibit, Denver, CO
- 2004 **12th Street Art Gallery, La Femme,** Juried Group Exhibit, Golden, CO
Neo Art Gallery, City Lives, Juried Group Exhibit, Denver, CO
The Lincoln Center, NCAA 13th National Art Exhibition, National Juried
Group Exhibit, Fort Collins, CO
Susan K. Arndt Gallery, Red Rocks Community College, *Mountain Valley
Women Artists,* Group Exhibit, Lakewood, CO
Evergreen Arts Center, Contemporary Art Exhibition, Juried Group
Exhibit, Evergreen, CO
Neo Art Gallery, Insight, Prisma4 Group Exhibit, Denver, CO
Square Deal Gallery, Colorado Artists, Group Exhibit, Denver, CO
RL Foster Gallery, Group Exhibit, Denver, CO
- 2003 **Curtis Art & Humanities Center, 20th Annual Juried All Colorado Art
Show,** Greenwood Village, CO
R.L. Foster Gallery, Valone Circle, Group Show, Denver, CO
Gallery 825, Images Along the Path, Three Women Show, Denver CO
12th Street Art Gallery, Reflections of Peace Exhibit, Juried Group Exhibit,
Golden, CO
- 2002 **Museum of Contemporary Art, Rocky Mountain Biennial 2002,** Regional
Juried Exhibit, Fort Collins, CO
Business of Art Center, Seeds of Change, Juried Exhibit,
Manitou Springs, CO
Fremont Center for the Arts, 3rd Annual Artful Women Exhibit,
Juried Exhibit, Canon City, CO
Hospice of Denver, The Mask Project, Invitational Exhibit, Denver, CO
- 2001 **Square Deal Gallery, Prisma 4,** Denver, CO
Fourth Story Gallery, Prisma 4, Denver, CO
Residence Off Broadway Gallery /Studios, Visual Over Load, Invitational
Exhibit, Lakewood, CO
Dovecote Women's Center, Prisma 4, Littleton, CO
- 2000 **Heritage Fine Art Guild, 9th Annual this is Colorado,** Juried Exhibit,
Denver, CO,
Tri-Lakes Center for the Arts, 3rd Annual Fall Festival of the Arts Juried
Exhibit, Palmer Lake, CO
Artist of Colorado, 5th Juried Exhibition, Denver, CO
**Canyon Road Contemporary Gallery of Art, National Juried Landscape
Invitational,** Santa Fe, NM
**Curtis Arts & Humanities Center, 17th Annual Juried All Colorado
Art Show,** Greenwood Village, CO
Stanton Gallery, Prisma 4, Littleton, CO
- 1999 **Curtis Arts & Humanities Center, 16th Annual Juried All Colorado
Art Show,** Greenwood Village, CO
Core Gallery, Supporting Members Juried Show, Denver, CO
Core Gallery, Annual Juried Group Show, Denver, CO
- 1998 **Curtis Art & Humanities Center, 15th Annual Juried All Colorado Art
Show,** Greenwood Village, CO
Phillip J. Steele Gallery, Juried Exhibit, *Timeless Time,* Denver, CO

- 1997 **The Institute for Experimental Studies, *Integration of Space*,**
Mural/Sculpture, Denver, CO
Le Stelle Gallery, *Anniversary Show*, Littleton, CO
- 1996 **Natural Impact Gallery, *Artist's of Colorado*,** Denver, CO
Natural Impact Gallery, *Symbolism*, Denver, CO

current representation

Art Exchange, Hot Springs, AR
Square Deal Gallery, Denver, CO
Arts Colorado, Denver, CO
Framed Image, Denver, CO
enso gallery , Denver, CO

awards and recognition

- 2008 **Featured Artist** in filming of a Denver home for HGTV.
- 2007 **Published** - *Colorado Community Treasures*, Book, Morgan and Chase Publishing Inc. Page 59
Published, *Art of the Four Corners Magazine*, Summer issue, Page 33
Published, *Art Colorado Magazine*, Winter/Spring issue, page 20
Published, *Art of the Four Corners Magazine*, Fall issue, Article on *Fusion Exhibit*, page 68
Published, *Fusion*, Hardback book of paintings and poetry based on Fusion Exhibit
- 2006 **Collector's plate 2006, Hospice Mask Project 2006,** designed and painted mask for *Dolly Parton* and *Wynonna Judd*, Personal painted mask was chosen as the *2006 collectors plate*, Denver, CO
Juried Membership, *The National Association of Women Artist* New York, NY.
Curators Choice Award, Art for Aids 2006, Denver, CO
- 2004 **First Place Award,** Evergreen Arts Center, *Contemporary Art Exhibition*, Juried Exhibit by *Patty Ortiz, Director of programming for MOCA Denver*, Evergreen, CO
Hospice Mask Project 2004, Chosen to designed mask for Country Western Singer *Kenny Chesney*, Denver, CO
- 2002 **Award of Merit,** Fremont Center for the Arts, *3rd Annual Artful Women Exhibit*, Juried Exhibit, Canon City, CO
- 2000 **Award of Excellence,** Canyon Road Contemporary Art Gallery, *National Juried Landscape Invitational*, Santa Fe, NM
- 1998 **Individual Certificate of Merit,** Collaboration Mural Project for the City and County of Denver awarded by Mayor Wellington Webb.
First Place Award, Phillip J. Steele Gallery, Juried Exhibit, CO
People's Choice Award, Phillip J. Steele Gallery, Juried Exhibit, CO
- 1995 **Colorado Undergraduate Art Essay Award,** Rocky Mountain College of Art & Design, Denver, Co
- 1997-2000 **Published Mural- *Integration of Space*** published in college catalog and website of The Rocky Mountain College of Art & Design.

