Rebecca Finley

Professor of Photography
Department of ART
College of Fine Art and Mass Communication
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Degrees Earned

M.F.A. in Photography, San Francisco Art Institute, 2000 B.A. in Studio Art, University of Tennessee, 1997

Peer-Reviewed Artistic Exhibitions

"Uncertain Times," The University of the Arts, Philadelphia, PA, January 25 - March 4, 2018

"Response," A Smith Gallery, Johnson City, TX, December 22, 2017 – February 11, 2018

"This is America," Gallery Underground, Arlington, VA, November 27 – December 29, 2017

"The Cat Art Show," Texas Art Asylum, Houston, TX, June 24 - 25, 2017

"The First 100 Days: Artists Respond," The Silos at Sawyer Yards Houston, TX, April 29, 2017

"The Nasty Woman Dallas Exhibition, Sunset Art Studios, Dallas, TX. March 4 -5, 2017

"16th Annual Joyce Elaine Grant Photography Exhibition," Texas Women's University, Denton, TX, January 21 - February 12, 2017

"Foto Texas: People, Places, & Culture," Brasos Gallery, Richland College, Dallas TX, October 21 – November 11, 2016

"Firmly Rooted," MS Renzy Studio / Gallery, Lexington, KY, July 12 - Aug 20, 2016

"Trees," New York Center for Photographic Art, New York, NY, catalog and online gallery, honorable mention. July 2016.

"Stereotypes," Georgetown Art Center, Georgetown, TX, April 15 - May 29, 2016

"You are Here: Texas Photographers Respond to the Texas Landscape,"
Duchesne Academy, Atrium Fine Art Gallery, March 29 – April 3, 2016 and
TXA&M University, April 21- June 3, 2016. Curated by Krista Steinke

"Dudes, Bros, and Gentlemen: The Man Show," 1650 Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, Jan 16, 2016

"Fasionistas Fight Back!" Orange County Center for Contemporary Art, Santa Ana, CA, Oct 3 – Nov 14, 2015

"Neighbors: 2015 Society for Photographic Education South Central Regional Juried Educators Exhibition," Mainsite Contemporary Art, Norman, OK, Sept 24 – 26, 2015

"Family Matters," Photo Place Gallery, Middlebury, VT, July 28 - Aug 21, 2015

"I'll Be Your Mirror" 1650 Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, March 28, 2015

"Treasure," A. Smith Gallery, Johnson City, TX, Jan 9 - Feb 15, 2015

- "Compound Lens," Ewing Gallery, The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN, Jan 11 Feb 8, 2015
- "Sheltered: An Art Benefit for Animals at Risk," Davis Arts Center, Davis, CA, Oct 10 Nov 14, 2014
- "Conversations," A. Smith Gallery, Johnson City, TX, Aug 1 Sept 14, 2014
- "XY: Masculinity in Photography," Darkroom Gallery, Essex Jct., VT, People's Choice Award, July 17 Aug 10, 2014
- "Like a Tom Waits Song," Arc Gallery, San Francisco, CA, May 3 June 21, 2014
- "One by One," The Colorado Photographic Arts Center, Denver, CO, Jan 9 Feb 15, 2014
- "Small Wonders," Circle Gallery of Maryland Federation of the Arts, Annapolis, MD, Nov 30 Dec 2, 2013
- "Rural Impressions," New York Center for Photographic Art, New York, NY, Sept 23 Oct 7, 2015
- "Color Photography Now," Black Box Gallery, Portland, OR, Aug 1 = 20, 2013
- "Place/Non-Place: Locality in the Digital Age," Venice Art Gallery, Venice, CA, June 29 Aug 16, 2013
- "Solemnity," Flow Art Space, St. Paul, MN, Feb 6 23, 2013
- "Small Wonders," Circle Gallery of Maryland Federation of the Arts, Annapolis, MD, December 1 2012-January 25, 2013
- "A Close Distance," Live Oak Art Center, Columbus, TX. Solo exhibition, September 5 ~ October 13, 2012
- "Splash: The Fluid World of Water," 1650 Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, Sept 8 30, 2012
- "Annual Member's Exhibition," Live Oak Art Center, Columbus, TX, Nov 12, 2011 Jan 5, 2012
- "International America Exhibition," Tejas Gallery Space, Dayton, OH
- "[Snap] A National Juried Exhibition," Bedford Gallery at Lesher Center for the Arts, Walnut Creek, CA
- "Small Wonders," Circle Gallery of Maryland Federation of the Arts, Annapolis, MD
- "Inanimate," Flash Gallery, Lakewood, CO
- "Couplings," Gallery 110, Seattle, WA, Feb 1 March 5, 2011
- "A Close Distance," Box 13 Art Space, Houston, TX, Sept 18 Oct 21, 2010
- "2nd Annual Unconditional Love," Irving Art Association, Irving TX. Sept 1 30, 2010
- "2010 Academy of Fine Arts National Juried Photography Exhibition," Academy of Fine Arts, Lynchburg, VA. August 30 September 26, 2010
- "7th Annual AAC National Show Exhibition," Atlanta Artist Center & Gallery, Atlanta, GA. Aug 28 Sept 29, 2010

- "Interactive Portraits," Vermont Photo Space Gallery, Essex Jct., VT. Aug 9 Sept 3, 2010
- "2010 Figures and Faces National Competition and Exhibition," The Pacific Art League, Palo Alto, CA. Aug 6-28,2010
- "International Video Dance Festival of Burgundy 2010," Centre François Mitterrand, Le Breuil, France.

 May 2010
- "Biennial LaGrange National XXVI," LaGrange Art Museum, LaGrange, GA. Feb 26 April 19, 2010
- "4 For Four: Composition Gallery's 4th Anniversary Exhibit," Atlanta, GA. Jan 23 March 7, 2010
- "2009 Hot New Pics Show," Center Gallery, Wichita, KS. Oct 30 Nov 20, 2009
- "National Juried Photography Exhibition 2009," 1212 Gallery, Richmond, VA. Oct 4 Nov 15, 2009
- "8th Biennial Exhibition, A.I.R Gallery," Brooklyn, New York. March 4 29, 2009.
- "The Revolution Will Not Be Televised," Altered Esthetics, Minneapolis, MN, July 08 Aug 30, 2008
- "40th Annual Visual Arts Exhibition," Visual Arts Society of Texas, Denton, TX. April 10 May 29, 2008.
- "My Generation," Washington Gallery of Photography, Bethesda, MD, March 14 to April 8. 2008
- "Political Show," Linn Benton Community College Gallery, Albany, OR, Feb 25 April 18, 2008
- "Altered Landscapes," Newspace Center for Photography, Portland, OR, Feb 8 26, 2008.
- "2008 National Juried Photographic Exhibition," Toledo Friends of Photography, Toledo, OH, Jan 13 Feb 3, 2008
- "STARK Gallery National Juried Exhibition," Phoenix, AZ, Dec 3, 2007 Jan 3, 2008
- "Snap to Grid," The L.A. Center for Digital Art, Los Angeles, CA, Sept 9 Oct 7, 2007
- "Self Portrait Show," Austin Figurative Gallery, Austin, TX, Sept 2007
- "The Intimate Portrait," Mills Pond House Gallery, St. James, NY, April 1 30, 2006
- "Diversity, Next Door and Abroad," Stepping Stone Gallery, Huntington, NY, Oct Nov 2005.
- "The Human Form A Story," Impromptu Gallery, Huntington, NY. September October 2005.
- "Elusive Photography," Stepping Stone Gallery. Huntington, NY, Aug 5 Sept 16, 2005
- "Moments: A Slice of Life," Stepping Stone Gallery, Huntington, NY, May 8 June 25, 2005
- "After A Silence," Tomato Head, Knoxville, TN. January 3 Feb 2, 2004
- "Southern Photographers 2003," Atlanta Photography Group, Atlanta, GA, Nov 2, 2003 Jan 24, 2004
- "Fay Gold Selects," Atlanta Photography Group, Atlanta, GA, Oct 3 · Nov 6, 2003

- "All So Precious," TVUUC Gallery, Knoxville, TN. Aug 30 Oct 31, 2003
- "Kitschy, Kitschy, Kool," How Original!, Laguna Beach, CA, June Aug 2003
- "The Artful Woman," Binney & Smith Gallery at the Banana Factory, Bethlehem, PA. May 2 June 29, 2003
- "National Photography Exhibition," Stepping Stone Gallery, Huntington, NY, Feb March 2003
- "Photographers Who Make Films," The Exploratorium, San Francisco, CA. Aug 10 30, 2001
- "2001 Auction," SF Camera Work, San Francisco, CA, April 2001
- "Visions of Excellence," Mumm Gallery, Napa Valley, CA, Sept Oct 2001
- "SFAI MFA Exhibition," Fort Mason, San Francisco, CA. May 2000
- "3 Person Show," Diego Revera Gallery, San Francisco, CA. Feb 2000
- "Tender," Southern Exposure, San Francisco, CA. Nov 1999
- "MFA Candidate Exhibition," Diego Revera Gallery, San Francisco, CA. Sept 1999.
- "Zyzzyva Spring Issue 1999 Exhibition," Diego Revera Gallery, San Francisco, CA., May 1999
- "BFA Honors Exhibition," Ewing Gallery, The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN. May 1997
- "Annual Spring Student Art Competition," Ewing Gallery, The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN. April 1997
- "New Work, Two Person Exhibition with Torre Redford," 1010 Gallery, The Candy Factory, Knoxville, TN. April 1997

Articles

- "The Photo Review" October 2005 Edition. "Krystal and Her Mom"
- "Metro Pulse, Review of All So Precious" October 16-22, 2005 Issue
- "Tabitha Henry" Scholastics Magazine, April 2, 2005 Issue, for Getty Images.
- "Young Photographers United" Photography Book, CAPCO, Belgium, 2001
- "Art Speak: Artist Profile" San Francisco Chronicle, June 22, 2001
- Zyzzyva Spring Issue, 2000

Work or Professional Experiences

- 2005 Present, Professor of Photography, Sam Houston State University
- 2001 05, Lecturer Photography, The University of Tennessee
- 2002 05, Adjunct Professor of Photography, Carson-Newman College
- 2002 05, Adjunct Professor of Photography, Pellissippi State Technical Community College