

AMY LEWIS FINE ART

ARTIST RESUME

SHOWS

2024

- Revel- Lydia Jewel Gerard and I organized a group show to feature our work in downtown Tacoma. Revel was a two day pop-up with a classic art opening on the first night and a string quartet concert on the second day.
- Manuscript Restaurant- You may view my work at Manuscript in Tacoma (and enjoy delicious food + cocktails. (current)
- The Artist's Gallery- The Women Painters of Washington are being hosted by The Artist's Gallery in Olympia.
- Matzke Gallery- The Women Painters of Washington are being hosted by Matzke Gallery in Camano Island. The show "Limitless Possibilities" opens March 9th. My watercolor painting "Don't Look Up" is a part of the show.

2023

- Tacoma in Seattle- I organized a group pop-up art exhibition in downtown Seattle that featured 10 Tacoma artists (including myself).
- Basecamp Studios - Nick invited me to show Abundance in his anniversary show themed "Celebration"
- Proctor Art Gallery, Artist Feature- May through June I had the honor of being featured at the Proctor Art Gallery.

2022

- The Hideout, Vol. 2- Curated by Jeremy Buben, Hideout bar and gallery is a hot spot for contemporary art. It was a thrill to be a part of the group show. My piece "Ivory Tower" was featured and was also on the cover of the print catalog of the show.

2022 & 2023

- Artco Framing and Gallery - Ashley Laufer is one of the founders of Anxious Tomato online gallery and she also works at Artco Framing and Gallery. My piece "Ivory Tower" was in a group show in 2022. Then in spring of 2023, Artco gave me a solo show. I decided to expand my solo show into a group show with Erika Norris, whose work compliments mine so well.

2022

- Anxious Tomato, online gallery show- Anxious Tomato is an online gallery based in Tacoma. They reached out to me and featured me during July 2022.
- Tacoma Consignment, Artist Feature- Tacoma Consignment sells high end, unique home décor. In 2022 they started a project to feature local artists. I was their first artist featured. My work was from February through March. I sold 5 paintings at the closing reception.

2021-2024

- Arts at the Armory,- The Arts at the Armory is an event that was developed in lieu of the Tacoma Studio Tour during the pandemic. However, it is ongoing and is a wonderful place to see many Tacoma artists in one place

2021

- Studio Show- My downtown Tacoma studio is located in a historic building with tall ceilings. It was the perfect place to host a show. So in September I welcomed guests into my studio to view and purchase work.

2020-2021

- Nova Expansion Gallery- The Nova Expansion Gallery is a micro gallery in Queen Anne Seattle.

2017-2023

- Tacoma Studio Tour- Every year in Tacoma's art month, October, the city hosts a studio tour. Each participating artist opens their studio for guests to see where they work, look at and buy art.

MEMBERSHIP

2022-2025

- Women Painters of Washington- The Women Painters of Washington was established in 1930. They currently have a gallery space in the Columbia Tour in Seattle. They host events and connect artists with galleries and opportunities.

PRESS

2024

Create! Magazine issue 46

- An award of winning 1st place in Create! Magazine's Glam Exhibition curated by Alicia Puig.
- Women United Art Movement Podcast- An award of winning 3rd place with the Women United Art Movement was a podcast interview. Listen now!

2023

- News Tribune, blog event feature- The News Tribune, the local Tacoma paper, featured our event (Tacoma in Seattle) on their blog.
- South Sound Magazine, blog event feature- We were honored to have "Tacoma in Seattle" featured on the South Sound Magazine's blog.
- Art Seen Magazine, Summer 2023 edition - Gita Joshi's magazine features emerging and mid-career artists in her beautiful print edition magazine. It was an honor to do an interview for Art Seen Magazine.

2021

- Creative Boom- I reached out to online magazine, Creative Boom, requesting an interview. They accepted, conducted an email interview and published this beautiful article.
- Envision Arts Magazine, After responding to their open call, Envision Arts Magazine chose to feature me in a 6 page spread in their #6 print issue magazine.

2020

- Grit City Magazine- Grit City Magazine reached out to me. They wanted to do a collaboration with me for the poster insert in their 10th print edition. I painted a watercolor inspired by Art Nouveau featuring 20+ Tacoma landmarks.

AWARDS

2024

- Create! Magazine Glam Exhibition- First place in Create! Magazine's Glam Exhibition curated by Alicia Puig.

2023

- Women United Art Movement- Placed 3rd in the 2023 Women United Art Prize for painting.

2023

- HMVC Gallery- 3rd place winner in HMVC's show "The Sweet Life". My prize was a solo show in their online gallery happening in November. The online gallery blasted "The Sweet Life" on a billboard in Times Square.
- Spaceworks Grant- As Spaceworks Alumni I was able to apply for a marketing grant awarded by raffle.

2022

- Aljoya Retirement Home, People's Choice- In a group show made up of only Women Painters of Washington members, my painting Great Expectations won first prize.

2017

- Proctor Art Fest, People's Choice Award- In a group show at the Proctor Art Fest, my painting Great Expectations won 3rd prize.

EDUCATION

2015, *5 week youth program*

- Gage Academy of Art, Seattle

I am a self taught artist, meaning I did not attend a high school, college or graduate school for the arts. However, I did attend a youth program at Gage Academy. It was a 5 week program (titled "Portfolio Intensive") that introduced me to classical methods of drawing and oil painting. Most of my knowledge is from experience but Gage was a life changing experience for me.