

MONICA CANILAO
CV

EDUCATION

2005 BFA Illustration, California College of Arts & Crafts, San Francisco, CA

SOLO & TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS

(solo *)

2014

November 20: 'Mimicry', two person show with Outi Pieski, Kristin Hjellegjerde, London

*June 7: 'Born From Ruins', solo show, Subliminal Projects, Los Angeles, CA

2011

November 12: 'Little old one', collaborative show with Bonnie Reiss, Lopo Gallery, San Francisco, CA

'The More We Wander', collaborative show with Kyle Ranson, Kretz, Malmo Sweden

*January 10-April 10: solo exhibition at Lyon-Martin Clinic, San Francisco, CA

*May 6: 'What's lost is safe', Sky High Gallery, Milwaukee, WI

2010

*February 6 through April: Window front of Femina Potens. San Francisco, CA

*April 30: 'We Are Dust', Cinders Gallery, Brooklyn, NYC

2008

March 25: 'Feral' with Swoon, The Luggage Store Gallery, San Francisco, CA

August 1: 'One long funeral song' with Kyle Ranson, Space 1026, Philadelphia, PA

2007

July 27: 'Tones of earth and bone', with The Polaroid Kid, Paper Boat Gallery, Milwaukee, WI

2006

*September 25: Solo Show, Homemade Cafe, Oakland, CA

*December 2: 'The Dispossessed', Needles and Pens, San Francisco, CA

2005

*February 23: 'This Is Home', Isabel Percy West Gallery, Oakland, CA

2004

November 10: 'Congratulations' with Jamie Nelson, Burning Tree Cafe, Oakland, CA

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2014

January: 5-Year Anniversary Show, Ever Gold Gallery, San Francisco, CA

March 29: 'Waves For Water' Benefit/Auction, Juxtapoz/UNIV, T.F.R. Gallery, Leucadia, CA

April 17: 'The Resonance Show', Headscapes Warehouse, Long Island City, NY

May 15: Art Market with Juxtapoz, Fort Mason, San Francisco, CA

June 6: 'Chaos/ Pattern', Cinders Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

July 10: 'Cinders 10 Year: Decade of Decadunce', Dossier Outpost, NYC
July 30: 'Art Alliance: The Provocateurs', Chicago, IL
July 14: 'Time Will Tell', Imago Mundo, New Orleans, LO
June/July: Sea Foam Palace Museum Project Unveiling & Sign Build
July 11-19: Painted Desert Project, Navajo Nations, Arizona
Aug 3-10: Djerba Hood Mural Project, Tunisia, Africa
September 25-28: Printed Matter Art Book Fair/Book Release, MoMA PS1, Queens, NY
Decemeber 5: Miami Art Basel , Miami, FL

2013

February 2-June 7: 'Paper Work: When Paper Becomes Art', Oakland Airport without the Oakland Museum, Oak
July: 'Dirty Fingers' Print Exhibition, The Wall at In: Surgo, Berlin
October 18: Slick Art Fair with Wunderkammern, Paris, France
November 1: 'Troublesome Houses', Louisville Visual Art Association, Louisville, NC
December 5: Installation, works & performance , Chandaran//Juxtapoz Beach House, Miami Art Basel, Miami
December 20: 'A Massive Swelling', Muddguts Gallery, Brooklyn, New York

2012

February 24-June: 'Home Mender', DC 5x5 with The DC Art Commission, Anacostia, DC
April 3: 'Happy Medium', Nancy Victor Gallery, London , England
April 11: 'The Folding of a Known World', collaborative show with Swoon & Dennis McNett, Patricia Armocida Gallery, Milano, Italy
April 28: 'Small', 19 Karen Contemporary Artspace, Gold Coast, Australia
May 18: 'Streetoopia', The Luggage Store Gallery & Annex, San Francisco, CA
June 7: 'Art Now: A Survey of Urban Contemporary Art', Art Now NY, Chelsea, New York
August: 'The Suspension of Disbelief', Wunderkammern Gallery. Rome, Italy

2011

October 15: 'Paper Quilt', collaborative work with Alexis Mackenzie, The Berkeley Art Center. Berkeley, CA
October 23: 'Passport', SF Arts Commission Gallery, San Francisco, CA
October 28: 'Build your own white picket fence', installation, Michelle O'Connor Gallery @ The Blue Studio, San Francisco, CA
Oct 15-Nov 5: Four-part workshop with Girls Inc. in conjunction with the Schwitters Exhibition, Berkeley Art Museum, Berkeley, CA
November 24: Hotel Reconstruction Art/Reconstruction/Video Project, Columbia, MO

2010

March 6: 'Bestiary: Back to the Wild', Femina Potens. San Francisco, CA
April 10: 'SUBject/ subJECT', Subliminal Projects, collaborative work with Swoon, Los Angeles, CA
May 22: 'The Get Together', Installation at the Marin Headlands, Marin, CA
June 14-18: 'Art Forts', San Francisco Day School. San Francisco, CA
July 1: 'We haven't felt this way in years II', Heist Gallery, San Francisco, CA

August 6: 'Decade with no name', Best of the East Bay, Jack London Square, Oakland, CA

August 14: 'Hello Sweden', Kretz, Malmo, Sweden

October 12-Nov 2: Juxtapoz/Powerhouse Building Project, Detroit, MI

November 16: 'Wallpaper', Art & Design Barcelona Gallery, Barcelona, Spain

November 27: 'The bridge is over', Lopo, San Francisco, CA

December 11: 'Wreck the walls', Subliminal Projects, Los Angeles, CA

December 11: 'Golden State', RVCA, San Francisco, CA

2009

February 28: 'Our starry universe', collaborative show with Hardland + Hartland, Art of this, Minneapolis, MN

March 5-8: Benefit Exhibition for Swimming Cities of Serenissima, Fountain Art Fair, NYC

March 14: Benefit Auction #2 for Swimming Cities, Secret Project Robot, Brooklyn, NY

March 28: 'Deeper Visions II', Shelter Surf Shop, Long Beach, CA

September 11: 'Hot & Cold' Zine Release and Exhibition, Baer Ridgeway, SF

October 8: 'CCA 2009 Illustration Department Faculty & Alumni Show', CCAC, San Francisco, CA

October 15: 'Distance Don't Matter', Show with Swoon + others, Space, Portland, Maine

November 6: 'Gen N', MACLA, San Jose, CA

November 14: 'Juxtapoz 15th Anniversary Show', Factory Palace Arts, LA, CA

November 20: 'PANKABESTIA: Punk Beasts of the Swimming Cities of Serenissima', Anonymous Gallery, NYC

December 2: Showing with Anonymous Gallery, Scope Art Fair, Miami, FL

2008

February 2: Group Exchange show, 96 Gillespi, London, England

March 7: 'Balls Out', Grass Hut, Portland, OR

April 5: 'Hope Springs Eternal', Needles & Pens, San Francisco, CA

May 9: 'Combine', BLVD Gallery, Seattle, WA

August 9, 'There: New art from Oakland', Di Rosa Preserve, Napa, CA

September 4: 'All cut up', Roebling Hall, NYC

September 7: Mural with David Ellis, Unveiling, Deitch Projects, Long Island City, NYC

October 2, 'Locals only', RVCA, San Francisco, California

October 11: 'Art Makes Eye Contact,' Secret Project Robot. Brooklyn, New York

October 23: 'Contain', Anonymous Gallery, NYC

November 29: 'Bobby Hutton Memorial Benefit', The Luggage Store Gallery, San Francisco, CA

December 5: 'Spirit animals/Animal spirit', Sweet Hickory, Bloomington, Indiana

2007

February 1: 'Illustrious', Compound Gallery, Portland, OR

March 9: 'Femmes Forces', Ai Gallery, Chicago, IL

April 15: 'Less is More', 111 Minna Gallery, San Francisco, CA

May 11: Group show, Galleria De La Raza, San Francisco, CA

May 21: Ethsix Magazine Launch, Intersection for the Arts, San Francisco, CA

June 8: 'Porch Show', Cinders Gallery, Brooklyn, NY

July 19: Mauled by Tigers Benefit Art Show, Chicago, IL
July 5: Benefit show for The Autopsy, Melbourne, Australia
August 2: 'Fecal Face Art Party', 111 Minna Gallery, San Francisco, CA
September 28: Downy Bird Art Kingdom Book Release and Exhibition, OnSix Gallery, SF, CA
October 4: Ethsix Magazine Release and Exhibition, 111 Minna Gallery, San Francisco, CA
October 25: 'Heap' with Swoon + David Ellis, Black Rat Press, London, England
Oct 19-Jan 13: 'Convergence: CCAC Alumni', Oakland Airport, Oakland, CA
November 17: 'Pachanga', Galeria de la Raza, San Francisco, CA

2006

February 9: 'Sold Out', White Walls Gallery, San Francisco, CA
February 10: 'Interwoven', OnSix Gallery, San Francisco, CA
February 15: 'Osaka Print Exchange', Oliver Art Center, Oakland, CA
June 2: Ethsix Magazine Launch & Art Exhibition, AR Space, San Francisco, CA
July 6: 'Well Hung', White Walls Gallery, San Francisco, CA
July 20: 'The Sleeping Habits of Strangers', Cell Space, San Francisco, CA
August 2: 'Best of The Bay Show', OnSix Gallery, San Francisco, CA
September 15: 'Labyrinth', Red Ink Studios & OnSix, San Francisco, CA
October 13: 'We Will All Be Well' Benefit (self-curated), Space Gallery, San Francisco, CA
October 19: 'Oakland: West Side Story', Yerba Buena Center for the Arts, SF, CA
December 1: 'The Girls Room', Jen Beckman Gallery, New York, NY
December 14: 'Dirty Hands', Cinders Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
December 16: 'Gratitude Nights', Benefit, 111 Townsend, San Francisco, CA
December 29: 'Destroy Everything', Stuhltrager Gallery, Brooklyn, NY

2005

January 7: 'Sacred Geometry', OnSix Gallery, San Francisco, CA
January 28: 'Interwoven', OnSix Gallery, San Francisco, CA
February 9: Group Show, Chow, San Francisco, CA
February 16: 'Ocean Crossing: Osaka Print Exchange', Oliver Art Center, Oakland, CA
February 16: 'Ghosts and Monsters', Nexus Gallery, Berkeley, CA
March 18: 'Bucky Printers', Boontling Gallery, Oakland, CA
April 23: Group Show, Kyle's, Berkeley, CA
May 14: 'Every Dog Has It's Day', Red Ink Studios, San Francisco, CA
July 15: 'Underground', Counter Pulse, San Francisco, CA
July 16: 'None The Less', Needles and Pens, San Francisco, CA
July 22: 'Comfort', Mission 17 Gallery, San Francisco, CA
September 9: 'Labyrinth', Red Ink Studios/ OnSix Gallery, San Francisco
September 17: Mission Art Walk: 14th Street Mural Project, Needles and Pens, SF

2004

October 30: 'Seven Deadly Sins', OnSix Gallery, San Francisco, CA

2003

October 17: 'The Bent Show', Lobot Gallery, Oakland, CA
November 20: Group Show, Needles and Pens, San Francisco, CA

A W A R D S

2013

The Fleishacker Foundation Eureka Fellowship

2011

July: Best Artist, The East Bay Express

A R T S E D U C A T O R

2008-present: Artist in Residence, San Francisco Day School

Founding artist of community recycling art camps, 'Art Forts' and 'Art Boats' & the after-school costume and sewing class

W O R K S H O P S & L E C T U R E S

2013

Collage Demo & Lecture, KALA, Berkeley, CA

2010

Headdress-, Costume- & Merkin-Making Workshop, Femina Potens, San Francisco, CA

2009

Sonoma State Visiting Artist Lecture, Sonoma, CA

Mural Painting Workshop, East Oakland High School of The Arts

2008

'Southern Exposure', Workshop and Lecture at the Luggage Store Gallery for 'Feral'