

David Molesky is an internationally recognized oil painter known for his landscapes and figurative works.

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 *Unfinished*, Artsuite, Wilson, NC
- 2021 *dögun*, Deigland Gallery, Akureyri, Iceland
- 2020 *Her*, Andra Norris Gallery, Burlingame, CA
- 2018 *Return to Sender*, the fridge, Washington, D.C.
- 2016 *Riot*, Stephen Romano Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
- 2015 *Riot*, University of Georgia, Athens, GA
- 2014 *Riot*, the fridge, Washington, D.C.
Calm and Unrest, Copro Gallery, Santa Monica, CA

SELECT GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 *New York Figurative*, Salmagundi club, New York, NY
Moleskine, Mesa Arts Center, Mesa, Arizona
- 2021 *Painting the Figure Now IV*, Wausau Museum of Contemporary Art, Wausau, Illinois
- 2020 *Art in the Time of Corona*, NUMU (New Museum), Los Gatos, CA
- 2019 *Secondary Meanings*, Zhou B Art Center, Chicago, IL (catalog)
Painting the Figure Now, Zhou B Art Center, Chicago, IL (catalog)
- 2018 *Grand Opening*, Iloilo Museum of Contemporary Art, Iloilo, Philippines
Visions of Venus, Zhou B Art Center, curated by Dr. Elaine Schmidt, Chicago, IL (catalog)

Skies of Gold, Andra Norris Gallery, Burlingame, CA

- 2017 *Et in Arcadia ego*. W Rolland Gallery, Cal Lutheran University, Thousand Oaks, CA (catalog)
August six-person Exhibition, Dedee Shattuck Gallery, Westport, MA
Nocturnes: From Dusk till Dawn. Winfield Gallery, Carmel, CA (catalog)
- 2016 *Fourth Wall*, Booth Gallery, New York, NY
Art New York Fair, Booth Gallery, New York, NY
- 2015 *20 years under the influence of Juxtapoz*, Los Angeles Municipal Gallery, CA
Opus Hypnagogia, Morbid Anatomy Museum, Brooklyn, NY (catalog)
Portal to the Future, Gregorio Escalante Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 2014 *Enriching and Engaging: New Acquisitions*, Long Beach Museum of Art, CA

EDUCATION

- 1995-1999 B.A. University of California at Berkeley

RESIDENCIES

- 2021 *Akureyri Art Museum Residency*, Akureyri, Iceland
 2021 *Hafnarborg Art Center Residency*, Hafnarfjordur, Iceland
 2021 *Herhusid Artist Residency*, Siglufjordur, Iceland
 2012 *Morris Graves Foundation Residency*, Arcadia, California

TELEVISION AND FILM

- 2021 *Inventing Anna*, Netflix miniseries
 2011 *Chronicle*, Feature film
 Lincoln SUV. Commercial

GRANTS

2012 Creative Quick Grant, California

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

2021 Lecture. Akureyri Art Museum, Akureyri, Iceland
 2018 Lecture. The Representational Art Conference. Leeuwarden, Netherlands
 2017 Lecture. Figurative Art Conference and Expo. Miami, FL
 Lecture. Cal Lutheran University, Thousand Oaks, CA
 Lecture.. Dedee Shattuck Gallery, Westport, MA
 Lecture. Cuttyhunk Island Artist Residency. Cuttyhunk, MA
 Lecture. Illustrator Master Class, Amherst, MA
 2016 Lecture. New Museum Los Gatos, CA
 Panel Moderator. Booth Gallery, New York, NY
 2015 Lectures. The Representational Art Conference. Ventura, CA
 Lecture. University of Georgia. Athens, GA
 Lecture. Concordia University. Montreal, Canada

MUSEUM AND PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Long Beach Museum of Art, California
 Iloilo Museum of Contemporary Art, Philippines
 Cal Lutheran University, Thousand Oaks, California
 City of Rocky Mount, North Carolina
 Nerdrum Museum, Norway
 Collector's Museum, California

SELECTED PRESS

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- 2017 *Riot Material*. "The Sublime Enormity, And Indifference, Of Nature," September 3
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- Post-War and Contemporary Art New York*. Christies. March pg. 219.
http://www.christies.com/auctions/post-war-and-contemporary-art?pid=en_homepage_row1_slot1_4
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2013

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