

ELLEN ALTFEST

1970 Born in New York.
Lives and works in New York.

Education

2002 Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, Maine
1997 Yale University School of Art, New Haven, Connecticut
1993 Cornell University, Ithaca, New York

Solo exhibitions

2015 *Ellen Altfest*, MK Gallery, Milton Keynes, UK
2012 *Head and Plant*, New Museum, New York
2011 *The Bent Leg*, White Cube, London
2010 *The Leg*, Chinati Foundation, Marfa, Texas
2007 *Paintings*, White Cube, London
2005 *Still Lives*, December, Bellwether, New York
2002 *Rocks and Trees*, Bellwether, New York

Selected group exhibitions

2017 *From Life*, Royal Academy of Arts, London
2016 *Hey You! Who Me?*, 32 Edgewood Gallery, New Haven, Connecticut
The Female Gaze, Part Two: Women Look at Men, Cheim & Read, New York
Intimisms, James Cohan, New York
Biennale of Painting, Museum Dhondt-Dhaenens, Deurle, Belgium
2015 *Tightrope Walk*, White Cube, London
The Hundred Steps, University Gallery, Kyoto
2014 *Queensize, Female Artists from the Olbricht Collection*, Me Collectors Room, Berlin

- Paint New York, Kunstforeningen GL Strand, Copenhagen*
Daughter of Bad Girls, Klaus von Nichtssagend Gallery, New York
The Age of Small Things, Dodge Gallery, New York
- 2013 *The Encyclopedic Palace, 55th Venice Biennale*
- 2012 *Nightfall, MODEM, Hungary*
It is what it is, or is it?, Contemporary Art Museum, Houston
Annual exhibition, National Academy Museum, New York
Body of Evidence, Francois Ghebaly Gallery, Los Angeles
- 2011 *New Perspectives, Brand New Gallery, Milan*
- 2009 *ON FROM HERE, Guild & Greyshkul, New York*
- 2006 *USA TODAY, organized by the Saatchi Gallery, Royal Academy of Arts, London*
Dynasty, Gallery MC, New York
Men, curated by Ellen Altfest, I-20 Gallery, New York
- 2005 *2nd Annual Watercolor Exhibition (The General's Jamboree), Guild & Greyshkul, New York*
- 2004 *Where are we going, where do we come from?, Champion Fine Art, Los Angeles*
Grotto, Jessica Murray Projects, New York
Hello Chelsea, Bellwether, New York
- 2003 *You, Royal Modern, New York*
- 2002 *Painting as Paradox, Artists' Space, New York*
- 2001 *The Brewster Project, Brewster, Detroit*
In the Landscape, Silverstein Gallery, New York
- 2000 *@ The Artist's Studio, P.P.O.W., Sothebys.com, New York*
Three Artists, Bellwether, Brooklyn, New York
The Drawing Show, Boston Center for the Arts
Emerging Artists, Provincetown Museum, Massachusetts
- 1999 *Open Road, Joyce Goldstein Gallery, New York*
- 1998 *May 17, 1998, Cornish Estate, Cold Spring, New York*
- 1997 *Scapers, Red Mill Gallery, Johnson, Vermont*

Selected awards & residencies

- 2010 Chinati Foundation Residency, Marfa, Texas
- 2006 Yaddo, Saratoga Springs, New York
- 2006 Richard and Hinda Rosenthal Award, Academy of Arts and Letters, New York
- 2004-5 Marie Walsh Sharpe Art Foundation Space Program, New York
- 2004 Dorland Mountain Art Center, Temecula, California
- 1999-2000 The Fine Arts Work Center, Fellowship, Provincetown, Massachusetts
- 1997 Angel Grant, Full Scholarship, Vermont Studio Center, Johnson

Curatorial projects

- 2006 Men, I-20 Gallery, New York
- 2004 Something and Nothing, Champion Fine Art, Los Angeles
- 2003 Human Nature, Red Dot, New York
- 2001 All American, Bellwether, New York

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