

FIERMAN

JIMMY WRIGHT

Born 1944 in Kentucky

Lives and works in New York

Education

1971 MFA, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale
1967 BFA with Honors, The School of The Art Institute of Chicago, IL
1963 Aspen School of Contemporary Art, Aspen, CO
1962-63 Murray State College, Murray, KY

Selected Solo Exhibitions

2021 *Flowers for Ken*, Fierman Gallery, New York, NY
2019 *The Queens Court*, Fierman Gallery, New York, NY
2016 *New York Underground*, Fierman Gallery, New York, NY
New York Underground, Corbett vs. Dempsey, Chicago, IL
2009 *Jimmy Wright: Twenty Years of Painting and Pastels*, Springfield Art Museum, Springfield, MO
2007 *Lost Women*, Corbett vs. Dempsey, Chicago, IL
2006 *Jimmy Wright*, Argazzi Art, Lakeville, CT
2005 *Jimmy Wright: A fifty-four-work overview 1963-2004*, Eagle Art Gallery, Murray State University, Murray, KY
Jimmy Wright: The Content of Likeness, works on paper, Hall Fine Arts Gallery, West Liberty State College, West Liberty, WV
2004 *Jimmy Wright: Radiant, an overview 1963-2004*, Corbett vs. Dempsey, Chicago, IL
2001 *Jimmy Wright: Recent Work*, DC Moore Gallery, New York, NY
Jimmy Wright, Fenway Gallery, Chicago, IL
1999 *Jimmy Wright*, Lizan-Tops Gallery, East Hampton, NY
1997 *Jimmy Wright: Paintings and Pastels*, Roger Ramsay Gallery, Chicago, IL
Jimmy Wright: Paintings and Pastels, DC Moore Gallery, New York, NY
1994 *Sunflowers*, Midtown Payson Galleries, New York, NY
1993 *Jimmy Wright: Paintings*, Tavelli Gallery, Aspen, CO
1979 Tochigi Prefectural Museum of Fine Arts, Tochigi, Japan
1974 Eagle Art Gallery, Murray State University, Murray, KY
1971 Mitchell Art Gallery, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL
1966 Minneapolis School of Art, Minneapolis, MN

Selected Group Exhibitions

2016 *Olympia*, Karma at Galerie Patrick Seguin, Paris
2014 *Enticing Luminosity*, Lesley Helly Workspace, New York
The Lake Effect: Contemporary Art at Ox-Bow, Saugatuck Center for the Arts, Saugatuck, MI
Scapula, selected by Charline von Heyl, Corbett vs. Dempsey, Cologne Germany
2013 *Face to Face: Artists' Self-Portraits from the Collection of Jackye and Curtis Finch, Jr.*, Arkansas Art Center, Little Rock, AR
Perception of Self, Forum Gallery, New York
2012 *Beasts of Revelation*, DC Moore Gallery, New York
2010 *Chicago Stories: Prints and H. C. Westerman-See America First*, Art Institute of

- GRAM and Ox-Bow: Joint Centennial Celebration Exhibition*, Grand Rapids Art Museum, Grand Rapids, MI
- Ox-Bow Centennial: Historic*, Corbett vs Dempsey, Chicago, IL
- Pastels by Invitation 2010*, Creative Arts Center, Chatham, MA
- Fall Exhibition*, Argazzi Art, Lakeville, CT
- 7th Anniversary Show*, Argazzi Art, Lakeville, CT
- 2010 International Pastel Artists Invitational Exhibition*, National Taiwan Arts Education Center, Taipei, Taiwan
- 2009 *Pastel Society of America Annual Exhibition*, National Arts Club, New York, NY
- The Lens and the Mirror: Self Portraits from the Collection, 1957-2007*, The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, NY
- 2007 *Summer Exhibition*, DC Moore Gallery, New York, NY
- Rebirth*, MDH Fine Arts, New York, NY
- Arrivals and Departures, a two man show*, Corbett vs. Dempsey, Chicago, IL
- 2006 *Pastel Society of American Annual Exhibition*, National Arts Club, New York, NY
- The 181st Annual: An International Exhibition of Contemporary Art*, National Academy, New York, NY
- New Acquisitions and Gallery Artists*, Corbett vs. Dempsey, Chicago, IL
- Creating in Color*, Argazzi Art, Lakeville, CT
- 2005 *The Body and Its Dangers*, The Painting Center, New York, NY
- Brainstorm*, Lolapoloza Gallery, Oxford, Great Britain
- Pastel Society of America Annual Exhibition*, National Arts Club, New York
- Pastel Society of America Board of Directors Exhibition*, Butler Institute of American Art, Youngstown, OH
- Taiwan Pastel Society First International Exhibition*, Taiwan Center, Flushing, NY
- 2004 *Everyday Mysteries: Modern and Contemporary Still Life*, DC Moore Gallery, New York, NY
- Sixty-Eighth Midyear Exhibition*, Butler Institute of American Art, Youngstown, Ohio
- Selections, Giffuni Gallery of American Pastels*, Butler Institute of American Art, Youngstown, Ohio
- 2003 *Pastel Society of American Annual Exhibition*, National Arts Club, New York, NY
- The Way They See It*, DC Moore Gallery, New York, NY
- 29th Annual Bradley National Print and Drawing Exhibition*, Heuser Art Center Gallery, Bradley University, Peoria, IL
- Salon International du Pastel*, L'Espace Phillippe-Auguste, Vernon, France
- Pastel Society of America Annual Exhibition*, National Arts Club, New York, NY
- Private Views*, Marquis Gallery, National Arts Club, New York, NY
- 2002 *Pastel Society of America Invitational*, Butler Institute of American Art, Youngstown, Ohio
- Pastello Contemporaneo in Europa*, Centro Incontri Provincia di Cuneo, Italy (traveled to the Palais Roumiantsev du Musee, St. Petersburg, Russia)
- Life Of The City*, Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY
- Au du Pastel en Normandie, 2002*, L'Espace des Vikings, Yvetot, France (traveling to L'Espace Phillippe Auguste, Vernon, France)
- Subtext: RealismPlus*, Marquis Gallery, National Arts Club, New York, NY
- Pastel Society of America Annual Exhibition*, National Arts Club, New York
- 2001 *Snapshot*, Contemporary Museum, Baltimore, MD [traveling to Fine Arts Gallery, Beaver College, Glenside, PA; The Aldrich Museum of Contemporary Art, Ridgefield, CT] Collectors Exhibition, The Arkansas Arts Center, Little Rock
- About Face: Collection of Jackye and Curtis Finch, Jr.*, Arkansas Arts Center, Little Rock

- Sunflowers*, Chicago Botanic Garden, Glencoe, IL
Pastel Society of America Annual Exhibition, National Arts Club, New York,
Self Made Men, curated by Alexi Worth, DC Moore Gallery, New York, NY
In Bloom, Lizan-Tops Gallery, East Hampton, NY
2000 *Collectors Exhibition*, The Arkansas Arts Center, Little Rock
Inaugural Exhibition, Fenway Gallery, Chicago, IL
Summer Selections, Fenway Gallery, Lakeside, MI
1999 *Pastel Society of America Annual Exhibition*, National Arts Club, New York,
Summer Group Show, DC Moore Gallery, New York, NY
Summer Selections, Fenway Gallery, Lakeside, MI
New Editions, Cindy Bordeaux Fine Art, Chicago, IL
WILDFlowers, Katonah Museum of Art, Katonah, NY
1998 *Pastel Society of America Annual Exhibition*, National Arts Club, New York,
Summer Selections, Fenway Gallery, Lakeside, MI
30 Years at the Lower East Side Printshop, West Chelsea Arts Building, New York, NY
Flowers, Beth Urdang Gallery, Boston, MA
Think Pink, La MaMa La Galleria, New York, NY
Pets, Bronwyn Keenan Gallery, New York, NY
1997 *Pastel Society of America Annual Exhibition*, National Arts Club, New York,
Fresh Cut: John Alexander, Robert Kushner, Dan Rizzle, Donald Sultan, Vincent
Vallarino, Jimmy Wright, Chihung Yang, Lizan Tops Gallery, East
Hampton, NY
Pastel Society of America Annual Exhibition, National Arts Club, New York,
Summer Group Exhibition, Fenway Gallery, Lakeside, MI
1996 *1996 Collectors Exhibition*, Arkansas Arts Center, Little Rock, AR
Pastels by Ten Contemporary Artists: Fish, Frank, Jacqueline, Kahn, Knott, Lawrence,
Samaras, Segal, Thiebaud, Wright, DC Moore Gallery, New York, NY
Starting with Flowers, Fish, Kushner, Lovell, Pozzi, Wright, DC Moore Gallery, New York,
In Bloom, Andoe, Bates, Chamberlain, Chihuly, Fish, Kushner, Raffael, Wright, New
Jersey Center for Visual Arts, Summit, NJ
In Full Bloom: Flower & Garden Painting, Lizan-Tops Gallery, East Hampton,
NY
1995 *In Celebration of Spring: Watercolors and Pastels*, Lizan-Tops Gallery, East Hampton, NY
Summer Group Exhibition, Midtown Payson Galleries, New York, NY
Flowers, Lizan-Tops Gallery, East Hampton, NY
1994 *Inaugural Exhibition*, DC Moore Gallery, New York, NY
Flowers!!! Babcock Galleries, New York, NY
1994 Collectors Exhibition, The Arkansas Arts Center, Little Rock, AR
Painting After Nature, COCA/Center of Contemporary Art, North Miami, FL
Pride in Our Diversity, 24 Hours for Life Gallery, New York, NY
Spectrum Auction, Hunter Museum of Art, Chattanooga, TN
Fall Group Exhibition, Midtown Payson Galleries, New York, NY
1993 *Members Gallery*, Delaware Art Museum, Wilmington, DE
Night of 1000 Drawings, Artists Space, New York, NY
Self-Portrait: The Changing Self, New Jersey Center for the Visual Arts,
Summit, NJ. Included Africano, Beal, Clemente, Frank, Gillespie, Michals, Parness,
Sommel, Wright.
1992 *The Midtown Flower Show*, Midtown Payson Galleries, New York, NY; traveled to:
The Portland Museum of Art, Portland, ME
An Artists Ode to Flowers and Gardens, Nassau County Museum of Art, Roslyn,
NY

- I, Myself & Me: 20th Century and Contemporary Self Portraits*, Midtown Payson Galleries, New York, NY
- 1990 *Rugg Road Gallery*, Boston International Art Fair, Boston, MA
- 1989 *Printed at the Lower East Side Print Shop*, City Gallery, New York, NY
Food for Thought, Lintas Worldwide, New York, NY
- 1987 *L'Atelier de l'Artiste*, Lieu Hanté, Maison Natale Gustave Courbet, Ornans, France
- 1985 *The Rivington School*, No Se No, New York, NY
- 1979 *Artists by the Sea*, Snug Harbor Cultural Center, Staten Island, NY
The Naked Book, BACA Downtown Cultural Center, Brooklyn, NY
Children's Television Workshop: Ten Years of Film, The Museum of Modern Art, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY
- 1978 *Zero*, University of Wisconsin, Governor's Mansion, Madison, WI
CCF Artists' Project: Paintings, Pleiades Gallery, New York, NY
Drawing Invitational, NAB Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1977 *Prints*, NAB Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1976 *Paper and Metal*, NAB Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1975 *The Bosch Show*, University of St. Thomas, Houston, TX
- 1974 *Five Printmakers*, Linda Graves Gallery, Chicago, IL
Faculty Exhibition, Center for the Arts, Hartwick College, Oneonta, NY
- 1973 *Etchings*, Ravenna Arts Festival Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1972 *Mid-State Exhibition*, Evansville Museum of Art, Evansville, IN
Faculty Exhibition, Mitchell Art Gallery, SIU, Carbondale, IL
- 1971 *National Graphics Exhibition*, Mercyhurst Art Center, Mercyhurst, PA
- 1970 *National Drawing Exhibition*, San Francisco Art Museum, CA
- 1969 *Prints of the '60s*, Kovler Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1968 *Paintings*, Webster Studios, Chicago, IL
Two Painters, Warner Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1967 *Contemporary Wood Engravings*, Renaissance Society Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1965 *Drawings USA*, St. Paul Art Center, St. Paul, MN; traveled to 15 US museums and galleries

Awards

- 2002 Artist in Residence, Columbia College Center for the Book and Paper Arts, Columbia College, Chicago, IL
- 1990 Special Editions Program, The Lower East Side Printshop, New York, NY
- 1987 Juror's Award, Eleventh Annual Small Works Exhibition, New York University, New York, NY
- 1968 George D. Brown Travel Fellowship, The School of The Art Institute of Chicago,
- 1966 Ultimate Concerns National Drawing Juried Show, Purchase Prize, University of Ohio Gallery, OH
- 1965 Oklahoma Printmakers Society National Graphics Juried Exhibition, Purchase Prize, Oklahoma City Art Center, OK
- 1979 *Costumes, Thorns*, Star Dancers Ballet, Tokyo, Japan

Curatorial Projects

- 2004 Co-curated with David Sharpe, "The Anxious Image", The Painting Center, New York, NY
2003 Co-curated with Diane Rosen, "Private Views", Marquis Gallery, National Arts Club, New York, NY
2002 Co-curated with Diane Rosen, "Subtext: RealismPlus", Marquis Gallery, National Arts Club, New York, NY

Public Collections

The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, NY
The Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago
The Center for Book and Paper Arts, Chicago Columbia College, Chicago, IL
The Lower East Side Printshop, New York, NY
Roger Brown Study Collection, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL
Springfield Art Museum, Springfield, MO
St. Paul Art Center, St. Paul, MN
West Liberty State College, West Liberty, WV
Yeiser Art Center, Paducah, KY