Sheryl Westergreen

My work explores geometric form as it applies to architecture, landscape and the human figure. I translate a memory of a place or an experience through the process of abstraction. By observation, contemplation, and repeated layering of paint, the canvas begins to reveal its particular shapes, lines and textures. The paintings are an exploration of color and geometric form as well as an attempt to suggest a feeling or nuance that is not cut off from the psyche and alludes to hidden affinities and elusive qualities.

Westergreen's work is in private and corporate collections throughout the U.S. She is represented by Seattle Art Museum Sales and Rental Gallery, Zatista, and Art Productions New York City. Her work has been in exhibitions nationally and internationally. A native of the Pacific Northwest, she draws inspiration from her immediate surroundings as well as her experiences as a traveler.

Selected Exhibitions

2018

"Collectors Choice", Seattle Art Museum Sales Rental Gallery, Seattle, Washington Featured Artist, Anderson Tax, Seattle, Washington

2017

Spotlight on Women Artists, Women's Funding Alliance, Seattle, Washington "Color Excursion", Seattle Art Museum Sales Rental Gallery, Seattle, Washington Ballard Works "Dreams", Seattle, Washington "Urban Oasis", Fremont Saturn Building, Seattle, WA

2016

Elysian Bar, Seattle, Washington Seattle Art Museum Sales Rental Gallery, Seattle, Washington

2015

"Spiritual Nature" Seattle Art Museum Sales Rental Gallery, Seattle, Washington "Travels" Devorah Creek Vineyards, Enumclaw, Washington "Women in Art" Ballard Studios, Seattle, Washington

2014

Art House "Cloud Dreams", Seattle, Washington Seattle Art Museum Sales Rental Gallery, Seattle, Washington Catherine Person Fine Art, Amazon Gallery, Seattle, Washington

2012

"Wanderlust", New Art Center, New York, New York
"Temporal Perceptions", Arts West, Seattle, Washington

Seattle Art Museum Sales Rental Gallery, Seattle, Washington

2011

Rosewind Cellars, Sequim, WA
Seattle Real Estate, Seattle, WA
Gallery Condos, Seattle, Washington
Antioch University, Seattle, Washington
"Kayak Dreams", Elements Too, Bellevue, Washington
Art Chix World Premier, Café Lulu, Seattle, Washington
Art Quiver, Charlottesville, Virginia
Seattle Art Museum Sales Rental Gallery, Seattle, Washington

2010

Art Quiver, Charlottesville, Virginia United States Artist's Biennale, Broadway Gallery, New York, New York Seattle Art Museum Sales Rental Gallery, Seattle, Washington

2009

"Anticipating Barcelona" Alexis Hotel, Seattle, Washington

"Connect the Dots", 5th Avenue Theatre, Seattle, Washington

"Connect the Dots", Seattle Art Museum Sales Rental Gallery, Seattle, Washington

"Signs of Spring", Robert Daniel Gallery, Tacoma, Washington

2008

"Inner Landscapes", ArtsWest Gallery, Seattle, Washington Gourmet Wine Cellar Event, Field Museum, Chicago, Illinois "Celebrity Apprentice" NBC Television series (paintings used on set) Seattle Art Museum Art Sales and Rental Gallery Belushi Pisano Gallery, Martha's Vineyard, Massachusetts

2007

Invited Artist: Florence Biennale for Contemporary Art, Florence, Italy "Little Rays of Hope", Rhonda Schaller Chelsea, New York, New York Auburn City Hall Gallery, Auburn, Washington "Crossroads" Rhonda Schaller Chelsea, New York, New York Henry Art BASH, Henry Art Gallery, Seattle, Washington PONCHO Art Auction Preview, Escala Presentation Center and Macy's, Seattle, Washington

"Kayak Dreams," Woodinville City Hall Artist of the Month Program, Woodinville, Washington

"Urban Memories," KOAP HOME, Kirkland, Washington Finalist for The Fund www.the-medium.net Seattle Art Museum Art Sales and Rentals Gallery, Seattle, Washington Belushi Pisano Gallery, Martha's Vineyard, Massachusetts

2006

"Cityscapes," Tashiro Kaplan Studios, Seattle, Washington

"Across the Lake," Tashiro Kaplan Studios, Seattle, Washington "The Edge of Happiness," Tashiro Kaplan Studios, Seattle, Washington "Urban Oasis," Antioch University, Seattle, Washington Belushi Pisano Gallery, Martha's Vineyard, Massachusetts Seattle Art Museum Art Sales and Rental Gallery Seattle, Washington "Abstraction X3," Alexis Hotel, Seattle, Washington

2005

"Urban Oasis," Olympia Film Society, Olympia, Washington Arteque: Work on Display, London, UK. Juried annual Puget Sound Energy, Bellevue, Washington Seattle Art Museum Art Sales and Rental Gallery, Seattle, Washington portco34, Seattle, Washington

2004

Neenah Paper, Inc. Alpharetta, Georgia Santa Barbara Art Company Gallery, Santa Barbara, California portco34, Seattle, Washington Art in the Making - Partnership with Kids Project Artist's Gallery of Seattle, Washington

2003

Fandango Restaurant, Seattle, Washington

1998

Solo Figurative, Zeitgeist Gallery, Seattle, Washington

1997

Jacob Lawrence Gallery, Seattle, Washington
Jacob Lawrence Gallery, Seattle, Washington, annual juried

1996

Parnassus Gallery, Seattle, Washington

1995

Rome Center, University of Washington, Rome, Italy

1993

Center for Photography, Seattle, Washington

Commissions

2018 Deborah Logan, Seattle, Washington

2011 Elements Too Condominiums, Bellevue, Washington

2009 5th Avenue Theatre, Seattle, Washington

2007 Jayo, Seattle, Washington

2007	Healey, Kirkland, Washington
2006	Bernstein/Vaskas, Bellevue, Washington
2005	Puget Sound Energy, Bellevue, Washington
2004	Neenah Paper, Inc., Alpharetta, Georgia
2004	Kathryn Barrett, Seattle, Washington
2004	Sarah Schroeder, Raleigh, North Carolina
2003	Christine Keff, Flying Fish Restaurant, Seattle, Washington

Corporate Collections

Swedish Medical Center, Issaquah, Washington Seattle Cancer Care Alliance, Seattle, Washington Neenah Paper, Inc., Alpharetta, Georgia Puget Sound Energy, Bellevue, Washington Martin Smith, Seattle, Washington Pacific Regent Retirement Centers Peoples Bank

Publications

2010	New York Arts Magazine
2008	Florence Biennale Exhibition Catalogue
2007	Washington Athletic Club Magazine
2006	Featured Artist of the Month for February Art List Newsletter
2005	World of Art Magazine
2003	Seattle Men's Chorus: one of artists featured on auction catalogue cover

Education

BFA, Painting, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington MA, Psychology, Antioch University, Seattle, Washington

Community

Judge for Mukilteo Youth Art Contest

Henry Art Gallery: Volunteer Exhibition Guide since 2001 - 2007, Seattle, Washington

Donations of paintings for non-profit fundraising auctions:

PONCHO Invitational Art Auction

Men's Chorus Auction Men's Chorus Art Auction Women's Funding Alliance Ronald McDonald House Charities Water Partners International Water 1st Evergreen AIDS Foundation