

Carol Shinn



Carol Shinn lives in Fort Collins, Colorado, known internationally for photo-based machine-stitched images. Shinn transfers her own original photography onto a thick fabric base, and fully embroiders over the image using a standard sewing machine.

“The stitches are like pencil hatching. Different colors of thread are layered throughout each piece to enrich the colors. These layers become so dense that none of the original image or fabric shows. I find the fine scale of thread to be an extraordinary tool for describing details, and this discovery has allowed my work to continually evolve.” -Artist Statement



Education

1988 MFA , Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ

Selected Exhibitions

- 2022 Art Market San Francisco, Duane Reed Gallery
- 2020 Duane Reed Gallery, St. Louis, MO
Tempe Center for the Arts, Tempe, AZ
- 2019 Tansey Contemporary, Denver, CO
Mesa Contemporary Art Museum, Mesa, AZ
- 2018 Saatchi Gallery, London, England
- 2017 Gravers Lane Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
- 2015 Craft Alliance Center of Arts + Design,
St. Louis, MO
- 2009 Jane Sauer Gallery, Santa Fe, NM
Hibberd McGrath Gallery, Breckenridge, CO
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Montreal Centre for Contemporary Textiles
- 2006 Harwood Museum, Taos, NM
- 2005 Jane Sauer Gallery, Santa Fe, NM
- 2004 Hibberd McGrath Gallery, Breckenridge, CO
- 2003 Jane Sauer Gallery, Santa Fe, NM
- 2002 Patina Gallery, Santa Fe, NM
- 2000 Gallery Materia, Scottsdale, AZ

Selected Collections

- Racine Art Museum, Racine, WI
- Lloyd Cotsen Textile Traces Collection,
George Washington University, Washington, DC.
- Mesa Arts Center, Mesa, AZ
- Museum of Arts and Design, New York City, NY
- Denver Art Museum, Denver, CO
- Sky Harbor International Airport, Phoenix, AZ
- University of NM, Albuquerque, NM
- Blg K Univ. of NM, Los Lunas, NM
- West Valley Art Museum, Surprise, AZ
- Landmark Bank, Madill, OK
- City Heritage Art Collection, Tempe, AZ
- North Carolina State University, Raleigh, N.C.)
- Snell and Wilmer Law Offices, Phoenix, AZ
- Cross Medical Center, Yonkers, NY
- American Express, Phoenix, AZ
- Mint Museum of Craft & Design, Charlotte, NC

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