

Cecilia Anastos

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Art Biography

Cecilia Anastos is an award-winning, Italian-American, multi-cultural and polyglot. Ms. Anastos received the 2020 Artist of the Future Award, the 2021 Certificate of Artistic Excellence, and is currently a finalist for Artist of the Year Award through the Circle Foundation of the Arts (CFA) 2022. Ms. Anastos is known for her colorful, profound, and uplifting paintings.

All her paintings have a story, a piece of her soul, a raison d'être.

Her voice in fine arts has been influenced by the Impressionism and Post-Impressionism painters for her figurative compositions, and some Modern artist for her abstract compositions, such as Mondrian and Mirò. She likes to say that sometimes, the ghost of Maestro Salvador Dali visits her while she sleeps and dreams, and some of her surreal compositions come to life.

Awards





Commissioned Paintings

Titled: Hanging in Kauai Year: 2022 Size: 24 x 18 inches Medium: Acrylic Surface: Canvas	Commissioned by: Dr. Miriam Flock Located at: Temecula, CA
Titled: Cathy and Baloo Year: 2022 Size: 24 x 18 inches Medium: Acrylic Surface: Canvas	Commissioned by: Catherine Day Located at: Ramona, CA
Titled: LaPigna – Monteroni d'arbia - Italy Year: 2022 Size: 36 x 30 inches Medium: Acrylic Surface: Canvas	Commissioned by: Michelle Ross Located at: McClean, VA
Titled: Seven Shades of Love Year: 2022 Size: 26 x 36 inches Medium: Acrylic Surface: Canvas	Commissioned by: Hon. Judge Lizbet Muñoz Located at: San Diego Supreme Court, San Diego, CA



Exhibitions

 January 2023 – Singulart Art Gallery (France) – Online Collection "Women Through the Eyes of Women" – Juried¹



• January 1-31 2023 – HMVC Gallery New York²- Hello Tomorrow – Juried



 November 2022 – California Art League – Mankind Nature – Juried The Shadow of the Flatiron and The Shadow of the Flatiron II were selected for this exhibition





¹ A juried exhibition **shows artwork selected through a competitive process**. Artist members submit images and information for the artworks they hope will be selected by the juror.

² Prestigious art gallery in New York City founded by Heini Mika and Vincent Chang.



 October 10th, 2022 – Art House New York – 8th Annual Autumnal 2022 – Juried where Calzadilla de los Hermanillos – Spain was exhibited.



 October 6th-November 10th, 2022 – Five Senses – Juried Exhibition at Art in the Loft – Michigan



 October 6th-November 13th, 2022 - Connecticut Women Artists Annual National Open Juried Exhibition



Gestalt Woman (2021) - Far right side of the wall

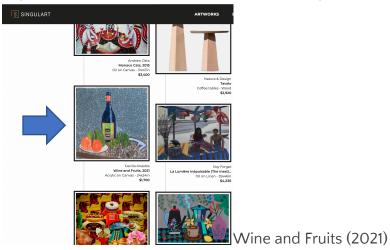


• September 13–26, 2022 – Gallery 21 – San Diego Museum of Art (SDMA) Artists Guild 2022 Fall Exhibition – Juried



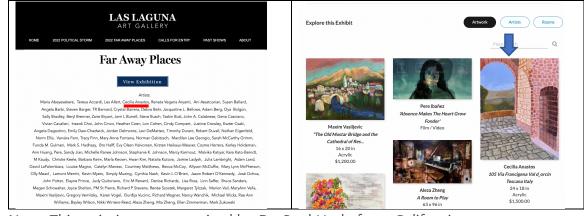
Calzadilla de los hermanillos - Spain (2022) Right side of wall

• September 2022 - À table! Singulart Art Gallery (France) – Juried



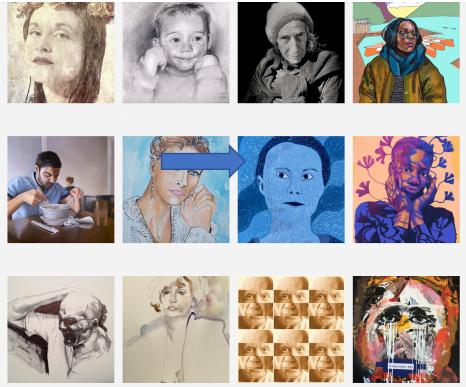


• August 2022 – Las Laguna Gallery – Far Away Places – Juried



Note: This painting was acquired by Dr. Paul Hyde from California.

• July 2022 – Artist Space Gallery – Juried



Greta's Water (2021)

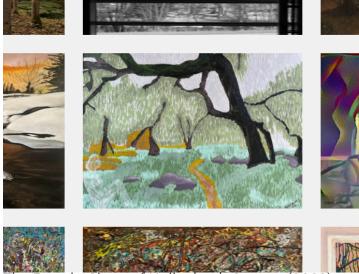


• May 2022 – Big Screen Plaza New York, New York – Juried



Gato con botas (2021)

• March 2022 – Art Room Gallery – Landscapes – Juried



The Female Ghost of Hollenbeck Canyon (2022)



• January 6-29, 2022 – Las Laguna Art Gallery – Human Faces & Figures

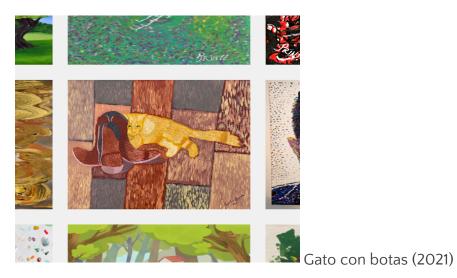


• October 7-31, 2021 - Las Laguna Art Gallery - Open Theme - Juried





• October 2021 – Art Room Gallery – Contemporary – Juried



• October 2021 – Art Room Gallery – Shades of Blue – Juried



Au Revoir (2021) and 24-David (2021)



• September 2021 – Art Room Gallery – Faces – Juried



24-David (2021) and La Macedonia (2021)

• August 7-8 2021 - Artwalk Liberty Station (San Diego) - Juried





 July 1-31, 2021 – Las Laguna Art Gallery (Laguna Beach, California) – The Second Half – Juried

Online-Only Exhibition

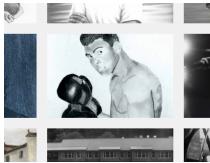


• July 25th 2021 - Artwalk Little Italy Summer Series - Juried





• July 2021 – Art Room Gallery – Shades of Grey – Juried



Casius Clay (Muhammad Ali) (2016)

• June 3-26, 2021 - Las Laguna Art Gallery - Juried - Painterly 2021





Au Revoir (2021) Acquired by Dr. Lisa Markman (San Diego, CA)

• June 2021 - Art Room Gallery - Juried - Finalist in the Textures and Patterns - Juried



Abstract 24 (2021)



- May 2021 Grey Cube Gallery Juried Finalist at the Botanicals Art Contest -
- May 2021 Grey Cube Gallery Juried Finalist in Season Art Show
- May 2021 Art Room Contemporary Art Gallery Juried Finalist in the City Contest



Au Revoir (2021)

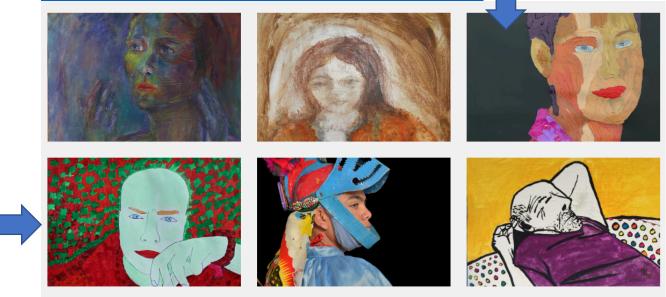
• May 6-29, 2021 – Las Laguna Art Gallery – Purely Abstract – Juried



• April 2021 - Grey Cube Gallery selected my painting Au Revoir as finalist for their Colors show



 April 2021 – Contemporary Art Room – Juried – On m'appelle Giselle and Narciso Romano 2 were selected among the finalist <u>https://www.artroomgalleryonline.com/current_exhibition.html</u>



Narciso Romano (2021) was acquired by a collector in New Jersey (USA) who wishes to remain anonymous

• April 1st 2021–June 1st 2021 – Contemporary Art Station Virtual Art Fair – Juried – <u>https://www.contemporaryartstation.com/catalogue?rg=cecilia%20anastos</u>

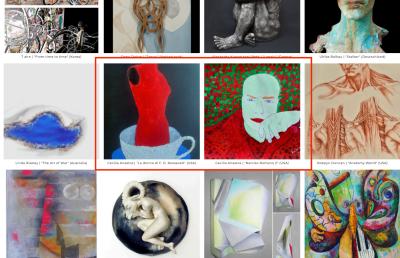
Alain Rousseau	
Anna Vanmatre	
Annemarie Ambrosoli	
Arati Reddy-Devlin	
Cecilia Anastos	
Cecilia Flaten	
Cor Fafiani	
Diana Lavrukhina	



• April 2021 - Contemporary Art Room International Art Competition Abstract -Presented Abstract 16



• March 2021 - Premi Internacional d'Art de Barcelona 2021 - Worldwide Artist Award Nominees

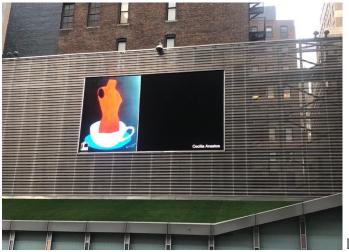


La donna di FDR (2021) and Narciso Romano (2021)

- February 2021 February 2022 Featured Artist on Circle Arts, Juried
- February June 2021 Infinite Dream, Contemporary Art Curator Magazine Juried



• December 2020 - Big Screen Plaza, New York City, NY - Juried



La donna di FDR (2021)

- December 2020 ArtHouse New York Juried
- November 2020 Portrayed at the Contemporary Art Curator Magazine https://www.contemporaryartcuratormagazine.com/artist-of-thefuture-award/cecilia-anastos
- September 2017 March 2018 Hera Hub Sorrento Valley, San Diego, CA Juried
- September 2017 Classic Masters 3 Book Juried
- June 3, 2017 Art on Adams, Exhibition Pappalecco Kensington, San Diego, CA http://www.artaroundadams.org/exhibits/
- April 2017 Mission Federal Exhibition Little Italy, San Diego, CA Juried





• 2016 – 2017: Curator at Pappalecco Kensington and Pappalecco Cardiff by the Sea



• 2016 - San Diego Fine Art Exhibition - Balboa Park, San Diego, Ca - Juried





Memberships

- Museum of Contemporary Art San Diego
- San Diego Museum of Art
- San Diego Museum of Art Artist Guild
- California Art Club
- Oil Painters of America