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| Profile  I am a contemporary realist painter who lives and works in Boston, MA. My work ranges from still life, landscape, and the figurative. The themes I explore relate to femininity, black culture, race, beauty and magic in the ordinary, family and human connection.  Education  BFA  Syracuse University  1998-2002  M.Ed.  Lesley University  2006-2008  Skills  Painting  Drawing  Teaching (MA license – K-8)  Grants and Awards  2019 MFA Boston Emerging Artist Fellow  2019 – Honorable Mention Gallery 160  2010 - Best in Show Quincy Art Fest  2007-2008 - John Hope Fellow | Exhibitions   * 2020 Arts Equity Summit, Boston MA * 2020 Solo Show, Mayor’s Neighborhood Gallery, Boston City Hall, Boston, MA * 2019 Juried Show, Hopkinton Center for the Arts, Hopkinton, MA * 2019 Juried Show, Quincy Arts Fest, Quincy, MA * 2019 Juried Show, Gallery 160, Framingham, MA * 2019 Group Show, Arts Affair at Marina Bay, Quincy, MA * 2019 Group Show, Gallery X, New Bedford, MA * 2017 Dorchester Open Studios, Boston, MA * 2014 Juried Show, Focus on the Figure, North River Arts Society, Marshfield, MA * 2014 African American DAC Artists Exhibition, The Scollay Square Gallery, Boston City Hall * 2013 Dorchester Open Studios, Boston, MA * 2013 Juried Show, Focus on the Figure, North River Arts Society, Marshfield, MA * 2012 Group Show, Boston, MA * 2012 Juried Show, Focus on the Figure, North River Arts Society, Marshfield, MA * 2012 Juried Show, Cohasset, MA * 2011 Dorchester Open Studios, Boston, MA * 2011 Group Show/Festival, Fall River, MA * 2011 Juried Show, Plymouth, MA * 2011 Festival/Demonstration, Plymouth, MA * 2011 Juried Show, Quincy, MA Best in Show * 2010 Juried Show, North River Arts Society, Marshfield, MA * 2010 Faculty Show, Worcester Academy, Worcester, MA * 2009 Member Gallery, Plymouth Guild for the Arts, Plymouth, MA * 2009 Faculty Show, Worcester Academy, Worcester, MA * 2009 Juried Show, North River Arts Society, Marshfield, MA * 2009 Solo Exhibition, One Love Café, Worcester, MA * 2007 M.Ed. Thesis Exhibition, Lesley University, Cambridge, MA |