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Uyen-Thi Nguyen, Artist

AWARDS

- 2024 *People's Choice Award*, 18th Annual National Juried Show,
Emerald Spring Exhibition, Springfield, OR
- 2024 *Individual Artist Fellowship Photo Documentation Support Funding*,
Oregon Arts Commission, The Ford Family Foundation, Salem, OR
- 2023 *People's Choice Award*, 17th Annual National Juried Show,
Emerald Spring Exhibition, Springfield, OR
- 2023 *Award of Excellence*, 17th Annual National Juried Show, Juried by Bets Cole,
Emerald Spring Exhibition 2023, Springfield, OR
- 2023 *Second Place Division 2: Oil*, Springfield Mayor's Art Show, Springfield OR
- 2022 *Artist Resiliency Grant*, Oregon Arts Commission, Salem OR
- Strides for Equity Award*, The Art Initiative - Homes for Good, Eugene OR
- 2021 *Second Place Division 2: Oil*, Springfield Mayor's Art Show, Springfield OR
- Strides for Equity Award*, The Art Initiative - Homes for Good, Eugene OR
- 2020 *Juror's Choice Award*, Around Oregon Annual, Juried by Jane Brumfield,
The Arts Center, Corvallis OR
- Individual Artist Grant*, Lane Arts Council for "A Portrait of Cottage Grove," Eugene OR
- 1994 *Printmaking Award*, Moorpark College, Moorpark CA
- Scholarship*, Academy of Art, San Francisco CA
- 1993 *Fine Arts Award*, Simi Valley Art Association, Simi Valley CA
- Scholarship*, Art Center of Pasadena, Pasadena CA

SOLO EXHIBITS

2024

- Oct *Love Cats*, New Zone Gallery, Eugene OR
- Oct 23-Jan 24
Reflections, PRN Gallery, PeaceHealth Sacred Heart Medical Center RiverBend, Eugene OR
- Feb 23- Feb 24
Garden of People, A Portrait of Cottage Grove, Portland International Airport, Portland OR

2023

- Jun-Sep *Momentary Emotions*, Eugene Downtown Public Library, Eugene OR
- Jan-Dec *Wanderings*, Café Grumpy, Financial District, Midtown, Chelsea, New York City, NY
- Jan *Day After Day*, New Zone Gallery, Eugene OR

2022

- Nov *The Story of a Woman (Through Many Faces)*, Springfield City Hall Gallery, Springfield OR
- Jul *Garden of People, A Portrait of Cottage Grove*, Emerald Art Center, Springfield OR

2021-2018

- 2021 Aug *Garden of People, A Portrait of Cottage Grove*, Visual Arts Week,
City of Eugene Cultural Services Windowfront Exhibitions, Eugene OR
- 2020 Sep *Inside Out*, The Axe & Fiddle, Cottage Grove OR
- 2018 Jul *Portraits*, Townshend's Tea Company, Eugene OR

PUBLIC ART

- 2024 Oct Alsea Public Library Permanent Collection, "Storytime" Alsea, OR
- 2022 Jul The Nel, "Garden of People" Eugene OR
- 2021 Oct The Commons on MLK, five landscapes, interior installation, Eugene OR
- 2021 Jul *Garden of People, A Portrait of Cottage Grove*, A Main St. Exhibit in concert with Lane Arts
Council, City of Eugene and Bohemia Mining Days, Cottage Grove OR
- 2020 Sep Upstream Art, *Little Swimmer*, Public sidewalk mural 5'x5,' Springfield OR

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GROUP EXHIBITS

2025

- Sep 24-Feb 25? *Our 21st Century Renaissance*, Curated by Glenn Smith, R21 Eugene, OR

2024

- May *18th Annual National Juried Show, Emerald Spring Exhibition*, Juried by Yong Hong Zhong,
Emerald Art Center, Springfield, OR
- May-Nov *41st Annual Art About Agriculture Competition and Touring Exhibition 2024: RESOURCEful*,
Giustina Gallery, Corvallis OR; Rotunda Gallery, Bend OR; High Street Gallery, Gardiner OR
- Jan *Distinct Visions*, Don Dexter Gallery, Eugene OR

2023

- Sep *Cottage Grove Fall Festival*, Cottage Grove Armory, Cottage Grove, OR
- May *17th Annual National Juried Show, Emerald Spring Exhibition*, Juried by Bets Cole, Springfield, OR
- May *The Beauty & Diversity of Willamalane Parks*, Island Park Gallery, Springfield OR
- May *AAPT's A Night in Paradise*, John Henry's, Eugene OR

2022

- Aug-Sep *Eugene Mayor's Art Show*, Juried by Chanin Santiago, Eugene Public Library, Eugene OR
- Jul *Oregon Asian Celebration Exhibit*, Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art, Eugene OR
- Jul-Aug *Around Oregon Annual*, Juried by Mario Mesquita, The Arts Center, Corvallis OR
- Jan-Mar *When In The Woods*, Juried by Sandee McGee, Hallie Brown Ford Gallery,
Umpqua Valley Arts Association, Roseburg OR

2021

- Oct *29th Annual Springfield Mayor's Art Show*, Emerald Art Center, Springfield OR
- Mar *The Magic of Water*, Cultural Center of Cape Cod, Yarmouth MA
- Feb *Love, Love, Love*, Juried by Angela Herbert-Hodges, Art League of Ocean City
Center for the Arts, Ocean City MD



Jan 2020 *Dream Beyond COVID*, Juried Show, Wilsonville Arts & Culture Council, Wilsonville OR

Jul *Around Oregon Annual*, Juried by Jane Brumfield, The Arts Center, Corvallis OR

Feb *Selfie Show*, Curated by Korin Noelle, Radius Annex Gallery, Portland OR

Feb *The Pink Show*, Curated by Angela Myers, Splendorporium Gallery, Portland OR

2019-1994

2019 Jun *Around Oregon Annual*, Juried by Sandee McGee, The Arts Center, Corvallis OR

2018 & 2019 Artwalk, Cottage Grove OR

1994 May Moorpark College Art Gallery, Moorpark CA

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