

## SUSAN APARICIO

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### Education

- 2022 MFA Art in New Genres // University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA)  
Los Angeles, CA
- 2018 BA Studio Art in New Media // University of Virginia  
BA Cognitive Science in Cognitive Psychology // University of Virginia (UVA)  
Charlottesville, VA

### Solo Exhibitions

- 2025 *Millions of Dreams Ago*, UCLA Planetarium, Westwood, CA
- 2023 *Stellar Remnants*, LaPau Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 2018 *Represented*, Northern Virginia Community College (Manassas Campus),  
Manassas, VA

### Duet Exhibitions

- 2025 *Dreamland*, Junior High LA, Glendale, CA (with Monica Juarez) (forthcoming)
- 2025 *Mythos*, Visible Records, Charlottesville, VA (with David Askew) (forthcoming)
- 2025 *Flutter*, Elysium Gallery, Swansea, United Kingdom (with David Askew)
- 2024 *Yours, Forever*, Leiminspace Gallery, Los Angeles, CA (with Monica Juarez)
- 2019 *Playing in the White*, Ruffin Gallery, Charlottesville, VA (with Liz Zhang)

### Museum Exhibitions

- 2023-2025 *Kindred Worlds*, Hudson River Museum, Yonkers, NY (Curated by Priscila  
and Alvin Hudgins)
- 2023 *Arte Activista: Dia de los Muertos*, California Museum, Sacramento, CA  
(Curated by 3B Collective)

### Group Exhibitions

- 2025 *La Vuelta SUR:biennial*, Cerritos College Fine Arts Gallery, Cerritos, CA (Curated by James  
MacDevitt)
- 2025 *Tierra Sagrada (sacred land)*, FOCA, Los Angeles, CA (Curated by Isabella Aguilar-Rosil and  
Emilia Shaffer-Del Valle)
- 2025 *Apotropaia*, Cynefin Gallery, Athens, Greece (Curated by Neal Rock)
- 2025 *Missed Connections*, Athenaeum Music & Arts Library, La Jolla, CA (Curated by Mika Castañeda  
and Cat Gunn)
- 2025 *Feminiña*, Altura LA, Los Angeles, CA (Curated by Alexa Ramirez)
- 2024 *Heavenly Bodies*, Art Division, Los Angeles, CA (Curated by Leah Fuentes and Jenny Payan)
- 2024 *9 Lives*, Bellyman, Los Angeles, CA (Curated by Salim Green)
- 2023 *Tender Reverie: mendings of the heart*, Soho Warehouse, Los Angeles, CA (Curated by Kevy  
Yang)
- 2023 *For the camera, for the screen, for the audience*, SOA Folio Gallery, Texas Tech University,  
Lubbock, TX (Curated by Carolina Alamilla)
- 2023 *Stone, Star, and Myth*, Canoga Park Youth Arts Center, Canoga Park, CA (Curated by Monica  
Juarez)
- 2023 *Our Lips Are Sealed*, LaCorte Hall Gallery, Cal State Dominguez Hills, Carson, CA (Curated by  
Aandrea Stang and Juliana Paciulli)
- 2022 *Avant Card*, Wild Card Creative Group, Culver City, CA (Curated by AK Jenkins)
- 2022 *Rostro*, Charlie James Gallery, Los Angeles, CA (Curated by Ever Velasquez)
- 2022 *SoCal MFA 2022*, Peggy Phelps Gallery, Claremont, CA (Curated by Alycia Anthony and Isabella  
Hackerman and Juried by Dion Johnson)
- 2022 *MFA #2 Exhibition*, New Wight Gallery, Westwood, CA

- 2022 *Aqux*, The Mistake Room, Los Angeles, CA (Curated by Cesar Garcia-Alvarez)
- 2020 *This is Love*, Collective Misnomer, Denver, CO (Curated by Lydia Moyer)
- 2019 *Graduate and Alumni Exhibition*, Ruffin Gallery, Charlottesville, VA (Curated by Ashley Boulden and Dylan Spivey)
- 2019 *WXTJ Art Show*, Trashhouse, Charlottesville, VA
- 2018 *4/5: Aunspaugh Fifth Year Women*, McGuffey Art Center, Charlottesville, VA
- 2018 *Ruff Summer*, Ruffin Hall, Charlottesville, VA
- 2018 *The Process*, SHHO, Grit Coffee, Charlottesville, VA
- 2018 *Art on the Corner*, Open Grounds, Charlottesville, VA
- 2018 *Fourth Year Thesis Show*, Ruffin Hall, Charlottesville, VA
- 2018 *WXTJ Art Show*, Trashhouse, Charlottesville, VA

### **Film Festivals / Screenings**

- 2022 *Raza Cósmica*, Latino Collection and Resource Center, San Antonio, TX (Curated by Manuel Solis)
- 2022 *Star Maps: A constellation of contemporary Latinx science fiction*, Arthouse at Blue Star, San Antonio, TX (Curated by Manuel Solis)
- 2021 *Raza Cósmica*, Official Latino Film and Arts Festival, Harlem, NY (Curated by Danny Hastings and Manuel Solis)
- 2021 *Weekend Loop*, Third Floor Window, Pittsburgh, PA (Curated by Carolina Alamilla)
- 2017 *New Media*, Ruffin Hall, Charlottesville, VA

### **Art Fairs**

- 2023 *Murmurs Gallery*, NADA Miami, Miami, FL (Curated by Allison Littrell)
- 2023 *Junior High LA*, TRYST Art Fair, Torrance, CA (Curated by Chelsie Rivera)

### **Curation**

- 2025 *Room Temperatures*, Junior High LA, Glendale, CA
- 2020 *New Wight Biennial 2020: "Once More, with Feeling..."* UCLA Department of Art [oncemorewithfeeling.art.ucla.edu](http://oncemorewithfeeling.art.ucla.edu) (online)

### **Residencies**

- 2025 Elysium Gallery Residency, Swansea, United Kingdom
- 2023 Caldera Arts Residency, Sisters, OR
- 2022 ACRE (Artists' Cooperative Residency & Exhibitions), Steuben, WI
- 2020 Welcome to My Homepage Digital Artist Residency, The Museum of Human Achievement, Austin, TX

### **Press / Publication**

- 2024 LVL3 - [Artist of the Week Interview](#)
- 2023 Daily Bruin - [Susan Aparicio's 'Stellar Remnants' showcases a cosmic display of love and loss](#)
- 2022 Daily Bruin - ['Aqux' explores representations of home, connects identities of Latinx community](#)
- 2018 V Magazine - [Autumn 2018: Featured Artist](#)

### **Teaching Experience**

- 2024 Teacher // Intro to Stained Glass, Pasadena Stained Glass, Pasadena, CA (Primary Instructor - Ongoing)
- 2022 Lecturer // Video Art and Experimental Animation, Summer Art Institute, UCLA (Primary Instructor - Summer 2022)
- 2022 Teaching Associate for Peter Sellars // Art as Social Action, UCLA Department of World Arts and Cultures/Dance (Primary Instructor for Discussion Section - Spring Quarter 2022)
- 2022 Teaching Associate for Vishal Jugdeo // Advanced New Genres, UCLA Department of Art (Co-Instructor - Winter Quarter 2022)

- 2021 Teaching Associate for Patty Wickman // TA Training Practicum, UCLA Department of Art (Primary Instructor - Fall Quarter 2021)
- 2021 Teaching Associate for Marco Rios // Beginning New Genres, UCLA Department of Art (Co-Instructor - Spring Quarter 2021 Online)
- 2021 Teaching Assistant for Peter Lunenfeld // Media Histories, UCLA Department of Design Media Arts (Primary Instructor for Discussion Section - Winter Quarter 2021 Online)
- 2020 Teaching Assistant for Anuradha Vikram // Rise of Modernism in Global Context, UCLA Department of Art (Primary Instructor for Discussion Section - Fall Quarter 2020 Online)
- 2020 Teaching Assistant for Vishal Jugdeo // Advanced New Genres, UCLA Department of Art (Co-Instructor - Winter Quarter 2020)
- 2019 Mentor for Lydia Moyer // Intermediate-Advanced New Media, University of Virginia Department of Art (Spring Semester 2019)
- 2018 Mentor for Dana Ollestad // Intermediate-Advanced New Media, University of Virginia Department of Art (Fall Semester 2018)

### **Designed Workshops**

- 2024 Three Dimensional Stained Glass, Pasadena Stained Glass, Pasadena, CA (October 12, 2024)
- 2024 Three Dimensional Stained Glass, Pasadena Stained Glass, Pasadena, CA (August 11, 2024)
- 2024 Painting with Glass, Leiminspace Gallery, Los Angeles, CA (July 26, 2024)
- 2024 Fusing with Glass Frit, Pasadena Stained Glass, Pasadena, CA (April 28, 2024)

### **Invited Lectures**

- 2025 Artist Lecture, Brown University // Art and Fluids Engineering, Providence, RI (April 16, 2025)
- 2025 Artist Lecture, Western Washington University // Interdisciplinary Studio Art Photography, Bellingham, WA (March 9, 2025 Online)
- 2025 Artist Lecture, Swansea College of Art, Swansea, United Kingdom (February 18, 2025)
- 2024 Artist Lecture, Western Washington University // Interdisciplinary Studio Art Photography, Bellingham, WA (October 22, 2024 Online)
- 2024 Discussion on Art and Science, Art Division LA, Los Angeles, CA (August 29, 2024)
- 2024 Artist Lecture, University of Virginia Department of Art // New Media, Charlottesville, VA (February 19, 2024 Online)
- 2022 Artist Lecture, Wild Card Creative Group, Culver City, CA (September 26, 2022)
- 2020 Artist Lecture, UCSB Department of Art // Video Class, Santa Barbara, CA (November 13, 2020 Online)

### **Fellowships / Grants**

- 2025 Mohn LAND Grant
- 2024 Center for Cultural Innovation Tools & Equipment Grant
- 2024-2025 Freeman Artist Fellowship, University of Virginia
- 2024 CERF+ Get Ready Grant
- 2020-2021 D'Arcy Hayman Award, UCLA Department of Art, Los Angeles, CA
- 2020-2021 Graduate Division Award, UCLA Graduate Division, Los Angeles, CA
- 2019-2020 Graduate Opportunity Fellow, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA
- 2018-2019 Aunspaugh Post-Baccalaureate Fellowship, University of Virginia Department of Art, Charlottesville, VA
- 2018 Student Arts Fund Grant, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA

### **Selected Professional Experience**

- 2025-Current Glass Leading Artisan, Henrii, Glendale, CA
- 2024-2025 Teacher, Pasadena Stained Glass, Pasadena, CA
- 2021 MFA Social Media Coordinator, UCLA Department of Art, Los Angeles, CA
- 2017 Studio Assistant to Lydia Moyer, Charlottesville, VA