AMY SILLMAN

Born 1955 in Detroit, MI

EDUCATION

1995	MFA, Bard College, Elaine de Kooning Memorial Fellowship, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY
1979	BFA, School of Visual Art, New York, NY
1975	New York University, New York, NY
1973	Beloit College, Beloit, WI

Lives and works in New York, NY

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2025	Museum Abteiberg, Mönchengladbach, Germany
2024	Kunstmuseum Bern, Switzerland
2022	Vielmetter Los Angeles, CA
	Thomas Dane Gallery, Naples, Italy
2021	Rock Paper Scissors, Capitain Petzel, Berlin, Germany
	Amy Sillman: After Metamorphoses, Mildred Lane Kemper Art Museum, St. Louis, MO
2020	Twice Removed, Gladstone Gallery, New York, NY
2019	Amy Sillman: The Nervous System, The Arts Club of Chicago, IL
2018	Landline, Camden Arts Centre, London, UK
	Mostly Drawing, Gladstone 64, New York, NY
2017	ein Paar, Capitain Petzel, Berlin, Germany
	After Metamorphoses, Albright-Knox Art Gallery, Buffalo, NY
	After Metamorphoses, The Drawing Center, New York, NY
2016	the ALL-OVER, Portikus, Frankfurt am Main, Germany
	stuff change, Sikkema Jenkins & Co., New York, NY
2015	Yes & No, KUB Arena, Kunsthaus Bregenz, Austria
2014	A Moveable Feast – Part XIV, Campoli Presti, Paris, France
	Amy Sillman: One Lump or Two, Hessel Museum of Art, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY
2013	Amy Sillman: One Lump or Two, ICA Boston, MA; Aspen Art Museum and Center for Curatorial
	Studies, Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY
	either or and, Thomas Dane Gallery, London, UK
2012	A shape that listens: new drawings, Campoli Presti, Paris, France
	Draft of a Voice-over for Split Screen Video Loop, castillo/corrales, Paris, France
	Pinky's Rule (with Charles Bernstein), Sikkema Jenkins and Co., New York, NY
2011	Thumb Cinema, Capitain Petzel, Berlin, Germany
	Montserrat College of Art, Beverly, MA
2010	Transformer (or, how many lightbulbs does it take to change a painting?), Sikkema Jenkins & Co.,
	New York, NY
2009	zum Gegenstand, Carlier / Gebauer, Berlin, Germany
	Sikkema Jenkins and Co., New York, NY
2008	Susanne Vielmetter Los Angeles Projects, Culver City, CA
	Directions: Amy Sillman, Third Person Singular, Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden,
	Washington DC; Tang Museum, at Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, New York, NY
2007	Person, place or thing, Carlier / Gebauer, Berlin, Germany
	Suitors and Strangers, Blaffer Gallery, University of Houston Art Museum, Houston, TX (curated by
	Claudia Schmuckli)
2006	Sikkema Jenkins & Co., New York, NY
2005	The Other One Susanne Vielmetter Los Angeles Projects Culver City CA

2004	ICA Ramp Project, Institute of Contemporary Art, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA
	Horizon Line, University of North Texas, Denton, TX
2003	I am curious (yellow), Brent Sikkema, New York, NY
2002	Letters from Texas, Jaffe-Friede Strauss Galleries, Hopkins Center, Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH
	Paintings, Susanne Vielmetter Los Angeles Projects, CA
	A Long Drawing, Brent Sikkema Gallery, New York, NY
2001	Galleria Marabini, Bologna, Italy
2000	Brent Sikkema Gallery, New York, NY
1998	Casey Kaplan, New York, NY
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1994	Lipton Owens Company, New York, NY
1991	Ledis Flam Gallery, New York, NY
1988	Kanoria Centre for Art, Ahmedabad, India
SELE	CTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS
OLLL	STED CROOL EXHIBITIONS
2023	I've Only Got Eyes for You, Sammlung Philara, Düsseldorf, Germany
2022	Put It This Way, Hirschhorn Museum, Washington, DC
	Shifting the Silence, San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, CA
	The Milk of Dreams: 59th International Art Exhibition, La Biennale di Venezia, Italy
	Toni Morrison's Black Book, David Zwirner, New York, NY
2021	Oehlen, Pendleton, Pope.L, Sillman, Max Hetzler Gallery, Berlin, Germany
	Painterly. From Warhol and Twombly to Today - Paintings from the Museum Brandhorst, Neues
	Museum, Nuremberg, Germany
	Affinities for Abstraction: Women Artists on Eastern Long Island, 1950-2020, Parrish Art Museum,
	Water Mill, NY
	Eternal Seasons: Part II, Lévy Gorvy, Hong Kong
2020	Drawing 2020, Gladstone Gallery, New York, NY
	100 Drawings from Now, The Drawing Center, New York, NY
2019	Artists Need to Create on the Same Scale that Society Has the Capacity to Destroy: Meditations on
	the Mediterranean Sea, Chiesa di Santa Maria delle Penitenti, Venice, Italy
	Alvaro Barrington: Artists I Steal From, Galerie Thaddaeus Ropac, London, UK
	Notebook, 56 Henry, New York, NY
2018	Hand Drawn, Action-packed, New Museum and Art Gallery, St Albans, United Kingdom [traveled to:
	Wolverhampton Art Gallery, Wolverhampton, UK (2018)]
	The Mechanics of Fluids, Marianne Boesky Gallery, New York, NY
	Inherent Structure, Wexner Center for the Arts, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH
	I'm a Believer: Pop Art and Contemporary Art from the Lenbachhaus and KiCo Foundation,
	Lenbachhaus, Munich, Germany
	Noon – One, CANADA, New York, NY
	A Page from My Intimate Journal (Part I), Gordon Robichaux, New York, NY
	N.O.W. (New on the Wall), Pizzuti Collection, Columbus, OH
2017	Citings/Sightings, Lennon, Weinberg Inc., New York, NY
	Inhabiting Words, Concord Center for the Visual Arts, Concord, MA
	Rest in the Furrows of My Skin, Kunsthaus Hamburg, Germany
	Gray Matters, Wexner Center for the Arts, Columbus, OH
	Surfacing, James Harris Gallery, Seattle, WA
	99 Cents or Less, Museum of Contemporary Art Detroit, MI
	The Modern Meal: Sustenance through Ritual, Mildred Lane Kemper Art Museum, Washington
	University, St. Louis, MI
0615	Plages, Campoli Presti, Paris, France
2016	Kaleidoscope: Mystics and Rationalists, Modern Art Oxford, UK
	Malerei als Film, Kunsthalle Darmstadt, Germany
	New Acquisitions, Whitney Museum of Art, New York, NY

Image Tech: Making Pictures in a Post Digital Age, TCNJ Art Gallery at The College of New Jersey, Ewing, NJ

Nice Weather, Skarstedt, New York, NY (curated by David Salle)

The Collapse of the Mindís Ordering System Leads to Some Rather Wanton Developments, Tanya Leighton Gallery, Berlin, Germany (curated by Alexi Kukuljevic)

Life of Forms, Mary Boone Gallery, New York, NY

A Shape That Stands Up, Hammer Museum at Art + Practice, Los Angeles, CA

Tales of Ratiocination, Campoli Presti, London, UK

Autobiography, The Swedish Contemporary Art Foundation, Stockholm, Sweden

2015 Painting 2.0: Expression in the Information Age, Museum Brandhorst, Munich, Germany Better than de Kooning, Villa Merkel, Galerien der Stadt Esslingen, Germany

Painting after Technology, Tate Modern, London, UK

America is Hard to See, Whitney Museum of Art, New York, NY

48 Drawings, Spike Berlin, Germany

BACK TO THE FUTURE PART II - Brooklyn As The Painting Capital of the World, Life on Mars Gallery, New York, NY

The Radiants, Bortolami X Green Tea Gallery, New York, NY

2014 Speaking Through Paint: Hans Hofmann's Legacy Today, Lori Bookstein Fine Art, New York, NY NOW-ism: Abstraction Today, Puzzuti Collection, Columbus, OH

Whitney Biennial, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY

Live and Let Die, Stuart Shave Modern Art, London, UK

Eloge de la rareté, Bibliothéque nationale de France, Paris, France

Variations: Conversations in and Around Abstract Painting, Los Angeles County Museum of Art (LACMA), CA

In Residence: Contemporary Artists at Dartmouth, Hood Museum of Art at Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH

Pierogi XX: Twentieth Anniversary Exhibition at Pierogi, Pierogi, New York, NY

The Forever Now: Contemporary Painting in an Atemporal World, Museum of Modern Art (MoMA), New York, NY

2013 Blues for Smoke, Wexner Center, Columbus, OH

Abstract Mash-Up II: A Group Exhibition, Crown Point Press, New York, NY

Yes, No, Maybe: Artists Working at Crown Point Press, National Gallery of Art, Washington D.C., WA Door Between Either And Or Part 1, Kunstverein München, Germany

2012 It's Always Sunny on the Inside, Anton Kern Gallery, New York, NY

Painting in Space, Luhring Augustine, New York, NY

Blues for Smoke, The Museum of Contemporary Art (MOCA), Los Angeles, CA; (traveled to: Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY; Wexner Center for the Arts, Minnapolis, MN)

Contemporary Painting, 1960 to the Present: Selections of the SFMOMA Collection, San Francisco Museum of Modern Art (SFMOMA), CA

2011 *The Record: Contemporary Art and Vinyl*, Nasher Museum of Art at Duke University; ICA Boston, Boston, MA; Miami Art Museum, FL; Henry Art Gallery, Seattle, WA

Creating a New Century: Contemporary Art from the Dicke Collection, Dayton Art Institute, Dayton, OH

A Painting Show, Harris Lieberman, New York, NY

Absence Presence: Contemporary Abstraction, Sonoma State University, Rohnert Park, CA

2010 Shifting the Gaze: Painting and Feminism, The Jewish Museum, New York, NY

The More Things Change, San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, CA

Inaugural Group Exhibition, Susanne Vielmetter Los Angeles Projects, Culver City, CA

New Art for a New Century: Recent Acquisitions 2000-2009, Orange County Museum of Art, Newport Beach, CA

2009 Team SHaG, Clough-Hanson Gallery, Rhodes College, Memphis, TN

Shifting the Gaze: painting and Feminism, The Jewish Museum, New York, NY

Abstract America: New Painting and Sculpture, Saatchi Gallery, London, UK

Paint Made Flesh, Frist Center for Visual Arts, Nashville, TN (curated by Mark Scala)

Blue, James Graham & Sons, New York, NY The Ballad that Becomes an Anthem, ACME, Los Angeles, CA Cave Painting, PSM, Berlin, Germany Compass in Hand: Selections from The Judith Rothschild Foundation Contemporary Drawings Collection, MoMA, New York, NY Landscape Revisited, Park Avenue Armory, New York, NY (curated by Dodie Kazanjian) Fluchtige Zeiten, Westfaelischer Kunstverein, Münster, Germany Primitif Compliqué, Galerie Les Filles Du Calvaire Bruxelles, Belgium Seriously Funny, Scottsdale Museum of Contemporary Art (SMOCA), Scottsdale, AZ 2008 Prospect.1 New Orleans, International Biennial, New Orleans, LA (curated by Dan Cameron) Oranges and Sardines: Conversations on Abstract Painting with Amy Sillman, Charline von Heyl et al. Hammer Museum, Los Angeles, CA Order. Desire. Light.: An Exhibition of Contemporary Drawings, Irish Museum of Modern Art, Dublin, Color Climax, James Graham & Sons, New York, NY Red Dot Contemporary, West Palm Beach, FL From One O to the Other, Orchard Gallery, New York, NY Poets on Painters, Ulrich Museum of Art, Wichita State University, Wichita; University Galleries, College of Fine Arts, Illinois State University, Normal, IL; Queens Library Gallery, Jamaica, NY; Sheldon Memorial Art Gallery, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE In Context; Collage + Abstraction, Pavel Zoubok Gallery, New York, NY The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly, New Langton Arts, San Francisco, CA 2006 The Triumph of Painting part 4, Saatchi Gallery, London, UK Gifts Go in One Direction, Apexart, New York, NY 2005 CUT, Susanne Vielmetter Los Angeles Projects, Culver City, CA Post Modern, Greene Naftali, New York, NY Landscape Confection, The Wexner Center for the Arts, Columbus, OH; Contemporary Arts Museum Houston, Houston, TX; Orange County Museum of Art, Newport Beach, CA Dana Schutz, Amy Sillman, Kara Walker, Brent Sikkema, New York, NY The Whitney Biennial, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY Open House: Working in Brooklyn, Brooklyn Museum, New York, NY Wonderland, Judy Ann Goldman Fine Art, Boston, MA Affect, Philip and Muriel Berman Museum of Art, Collegeville, PA True Stories, Johnson County Community College Gallery of Art, Overland Park, KS Beginning Here: 101 Ways, SVA Visual Arts Gallery, New York, NY 2003 Comic Release: Negotiating Identity for a New Generation, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA; New Orleans Contemporary Arts Center, New Orleans, LA; University of North Texas, Denton, TX; Western Washington University, Bellingham, WA Rendered, Sara Meltzer Gallery, New York, NY Officina America ReteEmiliaRomagna, Galleria d'Arte Moderna, Bologna, Italy Chiostri di San Domenico, Imola, Italy Galleria Comunale ex Pescheria, Cesena, Italy Palazzo dell' Arengo, Rimini, Italy A Long Drawing, Brent Sikkema, New York, NY 2001 Six Contemporary Artists, The Clifford Gallery, Colgate University, Hamilton, New York, NY 718 Brooklyn, Palm Beach Institute for Contemporary Art, Lake Worth, FL Works on Paper, Tibor de Nagy, New York, NY The Approximative, Galerie Ghislaine Hussenot, Paris, France Passing Through, Shaqab College of Design Arts, Doha, Qatar Expanding Tradition, Contemporary works influenced by Indian miniatures, Deutsche Bank Gallery, New York, NY American Academy Invitational Exhibition of Painting & Sculpture, New York, NY Pixerina Witcherina, University Gallery, Illinois State University, Normal, IL

Blurry Lines, John Michael Kohler Arts Center, Sheboygan, WI

2000

The Brooklyn Zoo, Staatsgalerie Stuttgart, Germany

Amy Sillman, Charline von Heyl, Joanne Greenbaum – Three New York based painters, James Van Damme Gallery, Brussels, Belgium Greater New York, PS1, Long Island City, New York, NY Group Show, Brent Sikkema, New York, NY 1999 Works on Paper: Mentor, Sillman, Chagoya, Zolla Lieberman Gallery, Chicago, IL Cosmogram, Galleria Marabini, Bologna, Italy I'm Not Here: Constructing Identity at the Turn of the Century, Susquehanna Art Museum, Harrisburg, PA The Stroke, Exit Art, New York, NY (selection by Kerry James Marshall) Parallel Lines: Mix and Match, Karen McCready Fine Arts, New York, NY Compliment (collaboration with Jef Scharf), The Educational Alliance, New York, NY New etchings and monotypes, Quartet Editions, New York, NY Turning the Century, Bridgewater/Lustberg & Blumenfeld Gallery, New York, NY Paper View, Fordham University, New York, NY Drawing Into Paint, Alfred University, Fosdick-Nelson Gallery, New York, NY Drawing in the Present Tense, Parsons School of Design, New York, NY Brooklyn, New Work, Cincinnati Center for Contemporary Art, OH 1998 The New Surrealism with Team SHaG, collaborative painting with David Humphrey and Elliott Green), Pamela Auchincloss Project Space, New York, NY Cluster Bomb, Morrison-Judd, London, UK Personal Touch, Art in General, New York, NY From Here to Eternity: Painting in the 1990's, Max Protech Gallery, New York, NY Pop Surrealism (with Team SHaG), The Aldrich Museum, Ridgefield, CT Codex USA, Entwistle Gallery, London, UK Drawings, Graham Modern Gallery, New York, NY The Secret Charts (collaboration with filmmaker Peggy Ahwesh), Jonctions Festival, Brussels, Belgium 1997 Drawings and Paintings, Brent Sikkema/Wooster Gardens, New York, NY Art and Provocation: Images from Rebels, Boulder Museum of Contemporary Art, CO Art on Paper, The Weatherspoon Gallery, University of North Carolina, Greensboro, NC Current Undercurrents: Working in Brooklyn, The Brooklyn Museum of Art, New York, NY New York Drawers (Pierogi 2000 flat files), Gasworks, London, UK Distraction, TBA Exhibition Space, Chicago, IL Irredeemable Skeletons, Sillman + Smith, London, UK Team SHaG (collaborative with Humphrey and Green), Postmasters Gallery, New York, NY Nu-Glu, Joseph Helman Gallery, New York, NY 1996 Imaginary Beings, Exit Art, New York, NY 1995 Summer Group Show, Stefano Basilico, New York, NY Wheel of Fortune, Lombard Fried Gallery, New York, NY Imaginary Beings, Exit Art, New York, NY International Graphics Biennial, Gyor, Hungary Invitational Exhibition, Annina Nosei, New York, NY Obsession, Chassie Post Gallery, New York, NY 1994 Arabesque, PPOW Gallery, New York, NY Out West and Back East, Work from LA and New York, Santa Monica Museum, Santa Monica, CA 1993 Figure as Fiction, Cincinnati Center for Contemporary Art, Cincinnati, OH 1993 Paintings, Trial Balloon Gallery, New York, NY Paintings, Salvatore Ala Gallery, New York, NY 1920, Exit Art, New York, NY Mating Instinct, Penine Hart Gallery, New York, NY Invitational Exhibition, Stux Gallery, New York, NY 1992 Seven Rooms / Seven Curators (with Four Walls), P.S.1, Long Island City, NY 1991 New Generations: New York, Carnegie Mellon Art Center, Pittsburgh, PA Lyric: Uses of beauty at the end of the century, White Columns Gallery, New York, NY Amy Sillman and Terry Adkins, Dart Gallery, Chicago, IL

	Ornament: Ho Hum All Ye Faithful, John Post Lee Gallery, New York, NY The Painting Project, Part 1, Four Walls, New York, NY
1989	Amy Sillman/Dina Ghen, Ledis Flam Gallery, New York, NY
	Climate '89, E.M. Donahue Gallery, New York, NY
1988	Real Democracy, Four Walls at White Columns, New York, NY
1987	Artists Books, Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, IL
1986	Selections 34, The Drawing Center, New York, NY
1984	On View: Michael Byron, Lisa Hoke, Amy Sillman, The New Museum, New York, NY
1982	Visionary Landscapes, PS 122 Gallery, New York, NY

GRANTS/AWARDS/RESIDENCIES

2014	The American Academy in Rome Residency, Italy
	The Charles Flint Kellogg Award in Arts and Letters, Bard College, New York, NY
2012	The Asher B. Durand Award, The Brooklyn Museum, New York, NY
2011	Honorary Doctorate in Fine Arts, Montserrat College of Art, Beverly, MA
2009	The American Academy in Berlin: Berlin Prize in Arts and Letters, Guna S. Mundheim Fellow in the
	Visual Arts, Germany
2002	Artist-in-Residence, Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH
2001	John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation Fellowship in Painting, New York, NY
1999	Louis Comfort Tiffany Foundation Award, Cold Spring Harbor, Long Island, NY
	Joan Mitchell Foundation Fellowship, New Orleans, LA
	Pollock-Krasner Foundation Fellowship, New York, NY
	Civitella Ranieri Foundation Fellowship/Residency, Umbria, Italy
1995	NEA Fellowship in Painting, Washington, DC
1994	NYSCA Project Residencies, Painting Grant, Hillwood Art Museum, Long Island University, New York,
	NY
1992	Macdowell Residence, Peterborough, NH
1989	Art Matters, Inc., Painting Grant, New York, NY
	Yaddo Residence, Saratoga Springs, NY
1988	Kanoria Centre for Art, Artist in Residence, Ahmedabad, India
1985	New York Foundation for the Arts, Painting Grant, New York, NY
1984	Yaddo Residence, Saratoga Springs, NY
1982	New Jersey State Council for the Arts, Painting Grant, NJ
1981	Ossabaw Island Colony, GE

TEACHING

2014 – 2018	Professor, Städelschule, Staatliche Hochschule für Bildende Künste, Frankfurt am
	Main, Germany
2006 – 2010	Adjunct Faculty in Graduate Program in Visual Art, Columbia University, NY
2005	Visiting Faculty, Parsons School of Design MFA Program, NY
2002 – 2013	Chair of Painting Department, Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY
2002	Visiting Artist, Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH
2000	Resident Artist, Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, Madison, ME
1997 – 2013	MFA Program, Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY
1996 – 2005	Assistant Professor in Painting, Bard College, NY
	Visiting Artist, The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art, Copenhagen, Denmark
1990 – 1995	Faculty in Painting, Bennington College, VT

CURATORIAL PROJECTS

2019 – 2020 Artist's Choice: Amy Sillman, *The Shape of Shape*, MoMA, New York, NY

1990 – 1995 Co-organizer/curator, Four Walls, New York, NY

MUSEUMS & PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

The Alfond Collection of Contemporary Art at Rollins College, Cornell Fine Arts Museum, Winter Park, FL

Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL

Baltimore Museum of Art. Baltimore. MD

The Brandhorst Collection, Munich, Germany

Brooklyn Museum, Brooklyn, New York, NY

Fogg Art Museum, Harvard University, Cambridge, UK

Hammer Museum, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA

Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, Smithsonian Institute, Washington, D.C.

Jack S. Blanton Museum, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX

KB Home Collection, Los Angeles, CA

KiCo Collection at Kunstmuseum Bonn and Lenbachhaus Munich, Germany

Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, NY

Milwaukee Art Museum, Milwaukee, WI

Moderna Museet, Stockholm, Sweden

Musée d'Art Moderne, Paris, France

Museo di Art Modern e Contemporanea di Trento e Roverto (MART), Trento, Italy

Museum of Fine Arts (MFA), Boston, MA

Museum of Modern Art (MoMA), New York, NY

National Gallery of Art, Washington D.C.

Nerman Museum of Contemporary Art at Johnson County Community College, Overland Park, KS

Norton Museum of Art, West Palm Beach, FL

NSU Art Museum, Fort Lauderdale, FL

Saatchi Gallery, London, UK

San Francisco Museum of Modern Art (SFMoMA), San Francisco, CA

Tate Gallery of Modern Art, London, UK

Weatherspoon Art Museum at the University of North Carolina, Greensboro, NC

Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY