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SUMMARY

Karin Edgett has a degree in fine arts, 10 years experience as a graphic designer, 20 years running an advertising agency, eight years as foster parent for DC teens, and as an inventor for wearable sun technology. Karin is now a certified nutritional cook, avid dancer, sailor and mixed media artist, primarily working in acrylic, printmaking and poetry. She continues to work with DC youth through The Inspire Project. She has studied abstract painting for 10+ years at the Torpedo Factory and works presently combining mono printmaking, abstract painting and haiku. She is a longtime resident of Capitol Hill in Washington, DC and is originally from Erie, Pennsylvania.

EXHIBITIONS/ACTIVITIES

2019

- June/July – Velocity Towers rotating artist exhibition “The Perfect Summer Day” – three abstract paintings
- **July – October – Sonoma Cellar, Alexandria Virginia, Solo Exhibit ‘i am in infinity’ and other works**
- June – Del Ray Artisans juried exhibit; Art in Meditation – the Chakras, June, two paintings from ‘i am infinity’ series
- April/May – Joie de vivre redux, Earnst Theatre Gallery, NVCC – ‘let go of everything and breathe’ from the ‘infinity’ series
- April – Capitol Hill Art League ‘Blossoms’ pop up exhibit – ‘forget~me~not~please’ abstract/mixed media
- Washington Printmakers Gallery, Georgetown, ‘haiku + art workshop’ March 2019
- March – Alexandria Art League Student and Faculty show, – ‘i am emersed in calm waters’ from the ‘i am infinity’ series
- March – Velocity Towers rotating artist exhibition “Oh the Places You Go” – Three selections from ‘infinity’ series
- February/March – Bluebird Sky Yoga and Art Studio – Eleven ‘blue angelic infinity’ series paintings and haiku
- February – AnneMarie Sculpture garden “Artist in Action” residency – to futher develop ‘infinity’ series with a focus on collective consciousness
- February – Dumbarten Concert Gallery 'Feast of Love' Art talk & Exhibition – three pieces from ‘flower of life’
- January – Hill Center “Regional Juried Art Show” – ‘infinity’ series – ‘i am emersed in calm waters at this moment’

- January – Gallery Clarendon “Signs of the Times” National Juried Exhibit – Abstract ‘she looks outward and sees chaos and then she looks inward and sees peace’
- **December 2018–February 2019 Solo Exhibit: West End – Healing Arts Talk and Artist Retrospective with 30 pieces from ‘truth’, ‘abstract’ and ‘infinity’ with haiku**

2018

- **November 2018–November 2019 – Remax Realty Solo Exhibit – 25 works from ‘encircled’ series**
- November – 9th Annual Patricia Sitar juried exhibition ‘light’ – ‘infinity’ series ‘ubiquitous thoughts appear and disappear, expansive, contractive’
- November – CHAL Joie de Vivre Annual Members’ Juried Exhibit – ‘infinity’ series ‘let go of everything or anything and breathe’
- November – CHAL Artists Choice – ‘encircled’ series ‘plasma ~ the 4th state of matter with another thought in transit’
- **October/November – Four Season’s Eno Wine Bar Solo Exhibit; 30+ works from ‘truth’ series monotypes and haiku**
- September – 48th Annual Juried Glen Echo Labor Day Art Show – abstract with haiku ‘squirrels, acorns and fall, storing, falling and dying, long nights ahead’
- July – The Hill Center Regional Juried 2018 – two herb monotypes
- Capitol Hill Art League Artist Pick 2018
- **June – Frame of Mine & Gallery Solo Exhibit, Washington DC – 30+ ‘truth’ series**
- May – The Bay School; Art Speaks on the Bay Juried Show
- May – Golden Juried Exhibition, Washington, DC 2018 – ‘truth’ monotype and haiku
- February – Alexandria Art League Student Show – **Equal Merit Award Recipient 2018**, for ‘three blind mice caught in a duplicitous story, and they keep their tails...’ monotype with haiku from the ‘truth’ series
- January – Capitol Hill Arts League Artist Pick – group show

2017

- **October – December – The Hill Center Solo Show; ‘truth’ monotypes and haiku**
- **Rooted Pilates; ‘Encircled’ Solo Exhibit – 30+ abstract paintings and haiku works**
- Anne Marie Sculpture Garden ‘Art on Vacation’ – group exhibit
- Mount Vernon Physical Therapy ‘Small Works’ – group exhibit
- Community Living Center – private group exhibit
- CHAL Artist Choice Exhibit group exhibit – monotype ‘another time, another space, another way to see my insides’
- January – The Hill Center Juried Exhibition; wo abstract paintings with monotyping

2016

- Velocity – Capitol Hill Art League group exhibit
- League Gallery Min/Max juried exhibit
- Target Gallery, Alexandria, Virginia 2nd and 3rd floor (3 different group shows)
- Artomatic – abstract painting and haiku display of 30 works and booth
- Sibly Hospital – Art League group exhibit

2010 – present Nutritional Cook

2010 – 2015 Co-inventor, developer and CEO of a technology/wellness company specializing in wearable UV (sun) sensors

1987 – 2007 Founder, President & Creative Director Edge Advertising, Washington DC

1985 – 1988 Advertising Director, major furniture retail chain

1983 – 1984 Freelance graphic designer for advertising agencies

ASSOCIATIONS & COMMUNITY

Member, Washington Printmakers Gallery, Georgetown

Member, Capitol Hill Arts League

Member, Alexandria Arts League

Board Member, Friday Night Dancers 2017 – present

Board Secretary, The INSPIRE Project 2016 – present

Board Member 1992 – 2007 Capitol Hill Association of Merchants & Professionals

Foster Parent, 1998 – 2006

Street Design Committee, Barracks Row 8th Street Main 1999 – 2006

EDUCATION

Continuing studies with master printer Harriet Lawler

Continuing studies with Marha Staiger, Torpedo Factory

On-going workshops around the country in art, poetry and shifting consciousness

Certification in Nutritional Cooking

Board of Trade, Small Business Academy Certification

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, BFA

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Creating, painting, poetry, teaching, dancing, sailing, yoga, fitness, hiking, travel, new art, metaphysics, meditation, quantum physics, consciousness, energy, nutritionally dense food preparation, working with youth, family, etc.