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MARTIN KLINE (b. 1961)

Martin Kline's work references Western and Eastern cultural practices, drawing from art history, philosophy and nature. He is mostly known for his work in encaustic, the mixing of pigment with bees and synthetic wax. A technique that is as challenging to perfect as it is compelling to behold, Martin creates incredibly textured surfaces where the works become a phenomenological experience for the viewer. Kline's work is the subject of many critical essays by noted authors, including Carter Ratcliff and Barbara Rose. His work is in many private public collections here and abroad.

EDUCATION

1983 B.F.A. Ohio University, Athens, OH

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

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2021	Allover Paintings, Heather Gaudio Fine Art, New Canaan, CT
2019	Hammock Paintings and Recent Work, Heather Gaudio Fine Art, New Canaan, CT
2018	White, Gallery NAGA, Boston, MA
	Jewel Paintings, Meredith Long Gallery, Houston, TX
2016	Martin Kline: Painting and Sculpture, Heather Gaudio Fine Art, New Canaan, CT
2015	Dreams of Venice, Gallery NAGA, Boston, MA
	Dreams of Venice, Thomas Agnew Gallery, London, MA
2013	Tabula Rasa, Gowen Contemporary, Geneva, Switzerland
	Martin Kline, Meredith Long & Company, Houston, TX
2012	Martin Kline: Excerpts in Encaustic, Nassau County Museum of Art, Roslyn Harbor, NY
	Martin Kline: Romantic Nature (A Retrospective), New Britain Museum of American Art, New Britain, CT
2011	Excursions with Martin Kline, Meredith Long & Company, Houston, TX
	Abstraction Rooted into the World, Gowen Contemporary, Geneva, Switzerland
2009	Nature into Structure, Meredith Long & Company, Houston, TX
2008	Monochrome, Jason McCoy, New York, NY
2007	Nature and Culture, Haggerty Museum of Art, Milwaukee, WI
2006	Made in Japan, Jason McCoy, New York, NY
2005	Truth Awakens as Fiction: The Art of Martin Kline, Jason McCoy, New York, NY
	Copenhagen Suite, New Oilstick Paintings, Jason McCoy, Inc., New York, NY
2004	Stainless Steel Painting, Jason McCoy, Inc., New York, NY
2002	Painting Sculpture, Marlborough Chelsea, New York, NY
2000	New Works, Marlborough Gallery, New York, NY
1996	Grids, Gagosian Gallery, New York, NY
1995	Large Watercolors, ACP Gallerie, Zurich, Switzerland
1994	Yuccas, Stephen Mazoh, New York, NY
1993	17 Drawings, ACP Gallerie, Zurich, Switzerland
1992	Recent Drawings, Stephen Mazoh, New York, NY
1985	Drawings, Oregon Information Technology Institute, Portland, OR
1984	Egyptian Themes, Sumus Gallery, Portland, OR
1983	Line Drawings, Small Space Gallery, Athens, OH

GROUP

2021 Night Vision: Nocturnal Musings by NAGA Artists, Gallery NAGA, Boston, MA

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	Three Centuries of American Art – Antiquities, European and American Masterpieces from the Fayez S. Sarofim Collection,
2010	Houston, TX
2018	18:3838, Heather Gaudio Fine Art, New Canaan, CT
	Blue Hour, Gowen Contemporary, Geneva, Switzerland De It Again, Proteining of Artistic Straton, 1045 to New Allen Memorial Aut Museum et Oberlin College, Oberlin
	Do It Again: Repetition as Artistic Strategy, 1945 to Now, Allen Memorial Art Museum at Oberlin College, Oberlin, OH
2017	40th Anniversary Exhibition, (Part One, A-M), Gallery NAGA, Boston, MA
2017	Opulent Landscapes, De Buck Gallery, New York, NY
	Painting After Post-Modernism, Belgium/USA, exhibition travelled to Vanderborght Galleries, Brussels;
	Palacio Episcopal, Málaga, Spain; Reggia di Caserta, Caserta, Italy
2016	Inside Out: Martin Kline and Melissa Kretchsmer, Paul Rodgers 9W, New York, NY
	New Arrivals: Gifts of Art for a New Century, Baltimore Museum of Art, MD
2015	On the Wall and Off, Vivian Horan Fine Art, New York, NY
2014	Selections from the Museum's Collection, Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX
2013	Wax Works, Fogg Museum, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA
2011	The Western Tradition: Art Since the Renaissance, Fogg Museum, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA
	Powders, a Phial and a Paper Book, Marlborough Chelsea, New York, NY
	Piel/Skin, Isabel la Católica 97, Mexico City, Mexico
2010	Painting and Sculpture at Lehmann Maupin, Lehman Maupin, New York, NY
	I am Nature, Jason McCoy, Inc., New York, NY
	Anti Icon, Eaton Fine Art, Inc., West Palm Beach, FL
2007	Grids: Carl Andre, Jennifer Bartlett, Hans Hacke, Martin Kline, Sherrie Levine, Sol LeWitt, Atusko Tanaka,
	John Trembly, Dan Walsh, Jackie Winsor, Paula Cooper Gallery, New York, NY
2006	Head Over Hand, Denise Bilbro Fine Art, New York, NY
2005	Samuel Dorsky Museum of Art, SUNY, New Paltz, NY
2004	Los Monocromos, Museo Nacional Centro de Arte Reina Sofia, Madrid, Spain
2003	Recent Acquisitions: Works on Paper, Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, NY
	Drawing Moder, Works from the Agnes Gund Collection, Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, OH
	Process and Possibility: Contemporary Drawing in the Museum of Fine Arts Collection, Museum of Fine Arts, Houston,
	TX
	Group Exhibition, Marlborough Chelsea, New York, NY
2002	Encaustic Now/Series 2, Marcia Wood Gallery, Atlanta, GA
2002	Encaustic Painting, Cummings Art Center at Connecticut College, New London, CT
	Sculpture, Gallery Artists, Marlborough Chelsea, New York, NY
	Mono-Chrome, Paul Rodgers 9W Gallery, New York, NY Rocks and Art, Nature Found and Made, Chambers Fine Art, New York, NY
2001	Summer Exhibition: Gallery Artists, Marlborough Gallery, New York, NY
2001	Watercolor: In The Abstract, The Hyde Collection Art Museum, Glens Falls NY; Michael C. Rockefeller Arts
	Center Gallery, Fredonia, NY; Butler Institute of Art, Youngstown, OH; Ben Shahn Gallery at William
	Patterson University, Wayne, NJ; Sarah Moody Gallery of Art at University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL
2000	Summer Exhibition: Gallery Artists, Marlborough Gallery, New York, NY
2000	Art 2000, Gagosian Gallery, New York, NY
	Drawings and Photographs, Matthew Marks Gallery, New York, NY
1999	Waxing Poetic: Encaustic Art in America, The Montclair Art Museum, Montclair, NJ and the Knoxville
	Museum of Art, Knoxville, TN
	Summer Exhibition: Gallery Artists, Marlborough Gallery, New York, NY
1998	Trace, Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY
-	Drawings, James Graham & Sons, New York, NY
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Summer Group Show, Jason McCoy, Inc., New York, NY
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- 1997 Intimate Universe (Revisited), Robert Steele Gallery, New York, NY and James Howe Fine Arts Gallery of Kean University, Union, NJ
 - Purely Painting, Elizabeth Harris Gallery, New York, NY
- 1996 Ornamente und Strukturen, Grand Hotels Resort, Bad Ragaz, Switzerland
- 1995 Ornamentale Tendenzen: Martin Kline, Claude Sandos, Susanna Taras, Galerie der Stadt Kornwestheim, Kornwestheim, Germany
- 1993 Drawings, 30th Anniversary Exhibition, Leo Castelli Gallery, New York, NY Drawing the Line Against AIDS, Peggy Guggenheim Collection, Venice, Italy and Guggenheim Museum, New York, NY
 - A Moment Becomes Eternity: Flowers as Image, Bergen Museum of Art and Science, Paramus, NJ
- 1992 Freedom of Expression '92, Metro Pictures Gallery, New York, NY
- 1991 Drawings, Lorence Monk Gallery, New York, NY Entr'Acte, Michael Walls Gallery, New York, NY
- 1990 The Summer Exhibition 1990: Thirty Artists, Michael Walls Gallery, New York, NY
- 1987-89 Group Exhibitions, Jack Voorhies Gallery, Sarasota, FL
- 1986 Big Sky Biennial IV, Idaho State University, Pocatello, ID
 Art in the Mayor's Office, Portland, Oregon
 Gary Forner, Martin Kline, Nan Yragui, Coos Art Museum, Coos Bay, OR
- 1985 Stockton National Print and Drawing Exhibition, Stockton, CA All Oregon Art Annual, Oregon State Fair, Salem, OR Oregon Biennial, Portland Art Museum, Portland, OR Summit Spring's Art Slate '85, Condon Oregon
- 1984 Gallery Artists, Portland Art Association, Portland, OR All Oregon Art Annual, Oregon State Fair, Salem, OR

SELECTED COLLECTIONS

Albertina, Vienna, Austria

Albright-Knox Art Gallery, Buffalo, NY

Allen Memorial Art Museum, Oberlin College and Conservatory, OH

The Atlantic Pacific Fellowship, Miyajonojo, Japan

Baltimore Museum of Art, Baltimore, MD

The Brooklyn Museum of Art, Brooklyn, NY

The Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, OH

Corning Museum of Glass, Corning, NY

Fogg Museum, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA

The High Museum of Art, Atlanta, GA

Kemper Museum of Contemporary Art, Kansas City, MO

Kennedy Museum, Ohio University, Athens, OH

The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York,

Morgan Library and Museum, New York, NY

The Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX

New Britain Museum of American Art, New Britain, CT

Portland Art Museum, Portland, OR

Princeton University Art Museum, Princeton, NY

Triton Foundation, Belgium

Wadsworth Atheneum Museum of Art, Hartford, CT

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The Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY Yale University Art Gallery, New Haven, CT