# KATHERINE BRADFORD

Katherine Bradford (b.1942 New York) lives and works in Brooklyn, New York.

#### Upcoming solo exhibitions

2025 Katherine Bradford, CANADA, New York

#### Upcoming group exhibitions

2025 Toward the Light: Artists for the Ali Forney Center, David Zwirner, New York

#### Selected solo exhibitions

- 2024 Flight Over Water Town, Tomio Koyama Gallery, Tokyo
  Humankind, kaufmann repetto, Milan
  Licked By the Waves, New Bathers in Art, MORE Museum, Grossel
  American Odyssey, HALLE FÜR KUNST Steiermark, Graz
  Sky Swimmers, Kunsthalle Emden, Emden
  Gertrude Stein and Superman, Haverkampf Leinstenschneider Gallery, Berlin
- 2023 Arms and Sea, CANADA, New York

  Fear of Shoes, Kunstmuseum Schloss Derneburg, Derneburg

  Flying Woman: The Paintings of Katherine Bradford, Frye Art Museum, Seattle

  Fear of shoes, Kunstmuseum Schloss Derneburg, Derneburg

  Les saltimbanques, Campoli Presti, Paris
- 2022 Two Person Show with Sedrick Chimsom, Matthew Brown, Los Angeles Flying Woman: The Paintings of Katherine Bradford, Portland Museum of Art, Portland Night Swimmers, Tomio Koyama, Tokyo Shell Seekers, CANADA East Hampton, East Hampton Katherine Bradford "Night Swimmers", Tomio Koyama Gallery, Tokyo
- 2021 Mother Paintings, CANADA, New York
  Lifeguards, kaufmann repetto, Milan
  Philosophers' Clambake, Hall Art Foundation, Reading
  Katherine Bradford, Campoli Presti, London
- 2020 Mother Joins the Circus, Adams and Ollman, Portland With love, from Maine, Canada, New York
- 2019 Stripes and Legs, Campoli Presti, London
  Artists, Cops and Circus People, Campoli Presti, Paris
- 2018 Superman Returns With Swimmers, Galerie Haverkampf, Berlin Friends and Strangers, Canada, New York
  Magenta Nights, Adams and Ollman, Portland
  Being like Water, with Jen DeNike, Anat Egbi, Los Angeles
- 2017 Superman Responds, Galerie Haverkampf, Berlin
  FOCUS: Katherine Bradford, The Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth, Fort Worth
  Katherine Bradford, Galleria Monica De Cardenas, Milan
  Katherine Bradford, Sperone Westwater, New York
- 2016 Fear of Waves, Canada, New York

  Divers and Dreamers, Adams and Ollman, Portland
- 2015 Fred Giampietro Gallery, New Haven Caldbeck Gallery, Rockland
- 2014 Adams and Ollman, Portland Arts & Leisure, New York Sarah Moody Gallery of Art, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa
- 2013 Bowdoin College Museum of Art, Brunswick

- Steven Harvey Fine Art, New York
- 2012 Edward Thorp Gallery, New Yor John Davis Gallery, Hudson
- 2011 Aucocisco Galleries, Portland
- 2010 John Davis Gallery, Hudson Samson Projects, Boston
- 2008 University of Maine Museum, Bangor Rebecca Ibel Gallery, Columbus
- 2007 Edward Thorp Gallery, New York
- 2005 Sarah Bowen Gallery, Brooklyn
- 2004 ICON Contemporary Art, Brunswick
- 2002 Canaday Gallery, Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr
- 1996 Katherine Bradford and Mark Wethli, Farnsworth Museum, Rockland
- 1994 David Beitzel Gallery, New York
- 1993 Bernard Toale Gallery, Boston
- 1992 Zolla/Lieberman Gallery, Chicago
- 1991 Victoria Munroe Gallery, New York Ohio State University, Columbus

#### Selected group exhibitions

- 2025 Blue Zone, Kunsthal Rotterdam, Rotterdam
  - A Certain Form of Hell, Karma, Thomaston
  - Sunday, Tripoli Gallery, Wainscott
  - Sunday, Vito Schnabel Gallery, St. Moritz
  - Paper Tigers, CANADA, New York
  - Second Annual Exhibition, The Campus, Claverack
  - Solar Music / Lunar Revel, Uffner & Liu, New York
  - Deep Color, Halsey McKay Gallery, East Hampton
  - A field of bloom and hum, Tang Teaching Museum, Saratoga Springs
  - Keepers, Moss Galleries, Portland
- 2024 Blue Dreams, Shrine, Los Angeles
  - Jon Serl: No straight lines, David Zwirner, New York
  - Inner Life, Tripoli Gallery, Wainscott
  - Christmas in July, Andrew Ragacz Gallery, New York
  - Promised Gifts from the John Davis Collection, UK Art Museum, Lexington
  - Human Nature, Journal Gallery, Los Angeles
  - Licked By the Waves, New Bathers in Art, MORE Museum, Gorssel
  - Strike Fast, Dance Lightly: Artists on Boxing, The Church, Sag Harbor
  - (traveling to The Flag Art Foundation, New York and Norton Museum of Art)
  - The Swimmer, The Flag Art Foundation, New York
  - Love is Everything, Galerie Judith Andreae, Bonn
  - Mercury Rising, Bookstein Projects, New York
  - Travelers in the Mist, Larsen Warner, Stockholm
  - Le Vernissage, Partie Un, Brigitte Mulholland, Paris
  - Color is the First Revelation of the World, Orange County Museum of Art, Costa Mesa
  - The Long View Selections from the Norma B. Marin Collection of Maine Art, Zillman Art Museum, University of Maine, Bangor
  - Ziliman Alt Museum, University of Maine, Bango
  - Conversation Galante, Pilar Corrias, London
- 2023 Art Unlimited, Art Basel, Basel
  - Homestories, Galerie Haas Zürich, Zurich
  - The Farnsworth at 75: New Voices, Farnsworth Museum, Rockland
  - Sea Change, Addison Gallery of American Art, Andover
  - Who's Afraid of Stardust? Positionen queerer Gegenwartskunst, Kunsthaus
  - Nürnberg, Nuremberg
  - The Day I Saw You: Portraits from Fundación AMMA, Queretaro Contemporary Art

Museum, Mexico City

A Magical Day at Ditch, curated by Katherine Bernhardt, Tripoli Gallery of Contemporary Art, Wainscott

Last Days of Summer, Dear Projects, Seoul

My World Play, Haverkampf Leistenschneider, Berlin

Beach, Nino Mier Gallery, New York

The artist is a beast, On The Inside, Amsterdam

Strike Fast, Dance Lightly, Flag Art Foundation, New York

Drunk vs Stoned 3, The Ranch, Montauk

The Church, Sag Harbor

CANADA on Paper, CANADA East Hampton, East Hampton

A Particular Kind of Heaven, Parrasch Heijnen, Los Angeles

Shifting Sands, Ogunquit Museum of American Art, Ogunquit

I have done it again./One year in every ten/ I manage it-, Adams and Ollman, New York Death of the Outsider, Shrine Gallery, Los Angeles

Friends & Family, Anton Kern Gallery, New York

Come A Little Closer, DC Moore Gallery, New York

2022 The Royal Love Child Marsden Hartley and 8 Contemporary Artists, Bates College Museum, Lewiston

The Drawing Centre Show, Le Consortium, Dijon

I'm stepping high, I'm drifting, and there I go leaping, Xiao Museum of Contemporary Art, Rizhao City

Come Out and Play, Beers London, London

For the People of Paris, Campoli Presti Gallery, Paris

Singing in Unison, Industry City, New York

The View From Here, Center For Maine Contemporary Art, Rockport

Angels to Some, Demons to Others, Matthew Brown Gallery, Los Angeles

At First Light: Two Centuries of Artists in Maine, Bowdoin College Museum of Art, Brunswick And So Did Pleasure Take the Hand of Sorrow and They Wandered Through the Land of Joy, Bates College Museum of Art, Lewiston

XIAO Museum of Contemporary Art, Rizhao City, Shandong Province

Sea Show, Winter Street Gallery, Edgartown

Singing in Unison, Scully Tomasko Foundation, New York

Singing in Unison, Below Grand, New York

Aplomb, Space R Art & Culture, Seoul

Person(a), Venus Over Manhattan, New York

When in Maine, Nina Johnson Gallery, Miami

Chapeau!, Anton Kern Gallery, New York

Painting Nerds, Able Baker Gallery, Portland

2021 Tangerine, Acquavella Galleries, West Palm Beach

Any Distance Between Us, curated by Stephen Truax

Museum, Brown University, Providence

Equal Affections, Grimm Gallery, Amsterdam

Diedrick Brackens and Katherine Bradford, Carpenter Art Center for Visual Art, Cambridge Different Strokes, Almine Rech Gallery, London

Float, Fly, Transcend, Alabama Contemporary Art Center, Mobile

Women of Vision, Farnsworth Art Museum, Rockland

Six Hot and Glassy, Tripoli Gallery, Wainscott

Friend Zone, Half Gallery, New York

Sleep, Haverkampf Gallery, Berlin

Dear John, Adams and Ollman, Portland

Reflections: Human Nature, Gana Art, Seoul

A wild note of longing: Albert Pinkham Ryder and a Century of American Art, New Bedford Whaling Museum, New Bedford

Potent, Harper's, East Hampton

2020 Never Done, 100 Years of Women in Politics and Beyond, Tang Museum at

Skidmore, Saratoga Springs

A Zigzag Over Essence, Winter Street Gallery, Edgartown It's All About Water, The Storefront, Bellport Six Hot and Glassy, Tripoli Gallery, Wainscott Surf Show, Tripoli Gallery, Wainscott A Show of Hands, SEPTEMBER Gallery, Hudson Painting the Essential, Timothy Taylor Gallery, London Gallery Swap, with Philipp Haverkampf, Alice Folkler Gallery, Amsterdam Dog Days: Ryan McGinley, Katherine Bradford, Jack Pierson, Launch F18, New York 2019 Katherine Bradford, Hulda Guzman, Rebecca Ness, Alexander Berggruen Gallery, New York WHAT HAVE WE DONE? 15th Annual Thanksgiving Collective, Tripoli Gallery, East Hampton GARDEN, Shrine Gallery, New York Men of Steel Women of Wonder, Addison Gallery of American Art, Andover Canada b/w Drag City, Soccer Club Club, Chicago Occupy Colby, Colby College Museum of Art, Waterville Maine Away in the Hill, GRIMM, New York Condo New York with Adams and Ollman, Katherine Bradford, Vaginal Davis and Geoffrey Mitchell, JTT Gallery NYC Art Purposes, Bowdoin College Museum of Art, Brunswick Downward Flower, Fourteen 30, Portland Dance With Me, Zurcher Gallery, New York Nurikabe, Tetsuo's Garage, Nikko Japan Heat Wave, Philipps Auction, London Downtown Painting, Presented by Alex Katz, Peter Freeman, New York Go Figure!, Eric Firestone Gallery, East Hampton Big Ringer, Andrew Edlin Gallery, New York Manifest Content, Campoli Presti, London Girl Meets Girl: Rose Wylie, Katherine Bernhardt, Katherine Bradford, Caroline Chandler, Choi Jager Gallery, Cologne Note Book, 56 Henry, New York The World According To, Pace Gallery, New York Men of Steel, Women of Wonder, Crystal Bridges Museum, Bentonville Pulse, Nerman Museum of Contemporary Art, Kansas City I Don't Believe in Art I Believe in Artists, LX Gallery, New York Brooklyn Rail, Collateral Event at Venice Biennale 2018 Tell Him What We Said..., One Mile Gallery, Kingston Reinventing the Figure, Monica De Cardenas, Zuoz Redefining the Sublime, The Hall Foundation at Gray Art Gallery, New York The Solace of Amnesia, The Hall Foundation, Reading A Time Before We Were Born: Visions of Arcadia, Po Kim Gallery, New York Works on Paper, George Gallery, Brooklyn, New York Paradise, Night Gallery, Los Angeles Dancing Godesses, Dio Horia, Mykonos Intimacy, Yossi Milo Gallery, New York Aporia, David & Schweitzer Gallery, Brooklyn Adolescent Rebellion, One Mile Gallery, Kingston Summer of Love, Freight and Volume, New York Works on Paper, George Gallery, Brooklyn Being like Water, Anat Ebgi, Los Angeles 2017 Queering Space, Yale Univerity Gallery, New Haven Witches and Dudes, Galleri Kant, Copenhagen From Out Under, Los Angeles Say Yes, Wayne State University, Detroit Get Out of That Space Ship and Act Like a Man, Franklin Parrasch, New York Heartbreak Hotel, Invisible Exports, New York Able Baker, Nostalgisms, Portland

My Kid Could Do That, ProjectArt, New York Drawing Island, The Journal Gallery, Brooklyn Pictograms, Sperone Westwater, New York Spring Break, New York Hors D'Oeuvres, Half Gallery Pop Up, New York Tripoli Gallery summer show, Long Island Hecate, Various Small Fires, Los Angeles The First Ever & Only East Hampton Biennial, The Barn, East Hampton We might not have a planet left soon, 68 Projects, Berlin Prospect 4, New Orleans U.S. Biennial, New Orleans The Science, Culture, & Art of Superheroes, Everhart Museum, Scranton Awkward, Anna Zorina Gallery, New York A New Subjectivity, Pratt Galeries, New York 2016 Fort Greene, Venus Over LA, Los Angeles AUGUST, Harper's Books, East Hampton The Great Figure Two, The Journal Gallery, Brooklyn Shout For Tomorrow, Hirschl & Adler Modern, New York The Female Gaze Part Two: Women Look at Men, Cheim & Read, New York Make Painting Great Again, CANADA, New York Imagine, Brand New Gallery, Milan Landscapes After Ruskin: Redefining the Sublime, Hall Art Foundation, Reading MOTHER POPCORN, Big Medium, Austin Victory Garden, Planthouse Gallery, New York Representing Rainbows, Gerald Peters Gallery, New York Onion By the Ocean, Underdonk Gallery, Brooklyn, New York New York, New Painters, Linda Warren Gallery, Chicago Flowers in Your Hair, fuse space, San Francisco 2015 Intimacy in Discourse, SVA Galleries, New York Contemporary Responses to Marsden Hartley, Driscoll Babcock Gallery, New York AWKWARD: 3 Person Show, Kers Gallery, Amsterdam The Guston Influence, Steven Zevitas Gallery, Boston Back to the Future, Artists Originating out of the Williamsburg scene in the 80's, Life on Mars Gallery, Brooklyn 20" x 16", Morgan Lehman Gallery, New York New Narratives, Storefront Ten Eyck Gallery, Brooklyn 2014 Brooklyn Bridge, George Lawson Gallery, San Francisco The Meaning of Life, Geoff Young Gallery, Great Barrington Paper Variables, Gallery at Dieu Donne, New York Leaves, Steven Harvey Fine Arts, New York Outside In, Life on Mars Gallery, Brooklyn Chuck Webster, Katherine Bradford, Martin Mazorra, Planthouse Gallery, New York The Age of Small Things, Dodge Gallery, New York Between Matter and Experience, University of the Arts, Philadelphia Pierogi 25th Anniversary Exhibition, Pierogi Gallery, Brooklyn My Big Fat Painting, Brian Morris Gallery, New York 2013 Come Together: Surviving Sandy, Industry City, Sunset Park, Brooklyn Hope Despite the Times, Zieher Smith Gallery, New York Painting Impossible, Life on Mars Gallery, Brooklyn Collection, Vox Populi, Philadelphia "Dirigo" Maine Women Pioneers, University of Maine Museum, Westbrook The Triumph of Human Painting, Bull & Ram, Brooklyn 2012 Sky, Sea, Land, Addison Gallery of American Art, Andover Special Blend, JOURNAL Gallery, Brooklyn CMCA Honors Award Exhibition, Rockport

4 Guggenheim Fellows, Janet Kurnatowski Gallery, Brooklyn

2011 21 American Painters, Nina Freudenheim Gallery, Buffalo

Samson Projects, Boston

American Academy of Arts and Letters Invitational, New York

Narcissus in the Studio, Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, Philadelphia

Idiots Delight, Janet Kurnatowski Gallery, Brooklyn

2010 Ab/Fig., William Shearburn Gallery, St. Louis

Story, Islip Museum of Art, Islip

Talk Show, Edward Thorp Gallery, New York

Sacred and Profane, Portsmouth Museum, New York

- 2009 Put in on Paper, Edward Thorp Gallery, New York Chunky Monkey, Red Flagg Gallery, New York Kleinert/James Arts Center, Woodstock, New York
- 2008 Ambivalent Figuration, Samson Projects, Boston
  Worth A Thousand Words, Brattleboro Museum, Brattleboro
  It's Gouache, Jeff Bailey Gallery, New York
  Shape Shifters: New York Painters, University of North Carolina, Pembroke
- 2007 Orpheus Selection, P.S. 1 Contemporary Art Center, Long Island City Sea Worthy, Edward Thorp Gallery, New York
- 2006 Everywhichway, Edward Thorp Gallery, New York
  Sized Up: LargeScale Paintings, Smith College Museum of Art, Northampton
  Searching for Love and Fire, David Castillo Gallery, Miami
- 2005 Invitational and Exhibition of Painting and Sculpture, American Academy of Art and Letters, New York

  New York's Finest, CANADA, New York

  The Collections Gallery, Bates College Museum, Lewiston
  - Norman B. Marin Collection, The University of Maine Museum of Art, Bangor Portland Museum Biennial, Portland Museum, Portland
- 2004 Home, D.U.M.B.O. Arts Center, Brooklyn

  Surrealist Drawings, Exquisite Corpses Today, Bowdoin College Art Museum, Brunswick
- 2003 The Lightness of Being, Black & White Gallery, New York Water, Water, Rotunda Gallery, Brooklyn
- 2002 Project Room, Bill Maynes Gallery, New York
  In the Spirit of Landscape, Neilson Gallery, Boston
  Past Present Future, CMCA, Rockport
- 2001 Hidden Identity, Elizabeth Harris Gallery, New York
  Wet!, Luise Ross Gallery, New York
  Domestic Culture, Institute of Contemporary Art at Maine College of Art, Portland
  Made in Brooklyn, Brooklyn Rail Gallery, Brooklyn
- 2000 The Figure: Another Side of Modernism, Newhouse Center for Contemporary Art, Snug Harbor, Staten Island
- 1999 *Group Show*, Rebecca lbel Gallery, Columbus *Invitational*, Tig Fill Gallery, Cork
- 1998 New York Drawers, Gasworks Gallery, London
  Painting, N3, New York
  Pierogi Press, Ronald Feldman Gallery, New York
  Ten from Brooklyn, Second Street Gallery, Charlottesville
- 1997 Current Undercurrent, Working in Brooklyn, Brooklyn Museum of Art, Brooklyn Art on Paper, Weatherspoon Art Gallery, University of North Carolina, Greensboro Modern Prints, Colby College Museum of Art, Colby College, Waterville
- 1996 Katherine Bradford and Mark Wethli, Farnsworth Museum, Rockland

## Public collections

Addison Gallery of American Art, Andover Aïshti Collection, Beirut Bates College Museum of Art, Lewiston Bowdoin College Museum of Art, Brunswick

Portland Art Museum, Portland, Oregon
The Menil Collection, Houston
Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York
Musée d'Art Moderne, Paris, France
Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts
The Portland Museum of Art, Portland
Rubell Collection, Miami
Smith College Museum of Art, Northampton
Tang Teaching Museum & Art Gallery, Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs
Worcester Art Museum, Worcester

#### Awards

2021 Rappaport Prize
2020 Farnsworth Art Museum
2012 Joan Mitchell Foundation Grant
2011 Guggenheim Fellowship
American Academy of Arts and Letters Award, New York
2005 American Academy of Arts and Letters, New York

2000 Pollock Krasner Foundation Grant, New York