

**b. 1984 WALTHAM, MA**

**EDUCATION**

Bachelor of Fine Arts, summa cum laude, New Hampshire Institute of Art, Manchester, NH  
Continuing Studies, New York Academy of Art, New York, NY

**AWARDS & HONORS**

- 2013 38th Annual Mount Dora Arts Festival, Award of Excellence in 2-D  
Best in Show, 100 Market Street, Portsmouth, NH
- 2011 Outstanding Representational Artist Award, 17th Annual Spotlight Awards, Portsmouth, NH  
Artist Grant Recipient, Vermont Studio Center Residency, Johnson, VT
- 2009 Still Point I: Inaugural Exhibition, Artist of Distinction
- 2007 5th Annual Minumental, New Hampshire Institute of Art
- 2006 First Place, Interpretation of a Portrait, New Hampshire Institute of Art
- 2005 Presidential Scholarship, New Hampshire Institute of Art
  
- 2003 Congressional District Art Award, State of Maine, Congressional Hall, Washington, DC

**SELECTED EXHIBITIONS**

- 2016 *What Goes Around...Nahcotta* Gallery, Portsmouth, NH  
**SOLO** *Remains: A preview of new work by Cindy Rizza*, Apotheca, Goffstown, NH
- 2015 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Women Painting Women Juried Exhibition, RJD Gallery, Sag Harbor, NY
- 2013 *Jenny Brillhart, Amanda Kavanagh, Cindy Rizza*, Nahcotta Gallery, Portsmouth, NH  
*Déjà Vu*, Bowersock Gallery, Provincetown, MA  
38th Annual Mount Dora Arts Festival, Mount Dora, FL
- 2012 Boston International Fine Art Show, Bowersock Gallery, Booth 3, Boston, MA  
*Cognitive Narrative*, Bowersock Gallery, Provincetown, MA  
**SOLO** *What the Shadows Say: New Works by Cindy Rizza*, Three Graces Gallery, Portsmouth, NH  
*Recounted Narratives*, Bowersock Gallery, Mount Dora, FL
- 2011 Boston International Fine Art Show, Bowersock Gallery, Booth 3, Boston, MA  
*Celebrating Our Artists*, Bowersock Gallery, Provincetown, MA  
**SOLO** *Quiet Memory*, Three Graces Gallery, Portsmouth, NH  
*Single Fare II: Please Swipe Again*, Sloan Fine Art, New York, NY  
**SOLO** *Suburban Memory*; University of New Hampshire, Manchester, NH
- 2010 *Taking Flight*, Soo Rye Gallery, Rye, NH  
*10 for 2010: Ten Emerging Painters to Watch*, Robert M. Larsen Gallery, Concord, NH
- 2009 *Suburban Views*, Cindy Rizza and Heather Hilton, LAUNCHART, Peterborough, NH  
New Hampshire Biennial, New Hampshire Institute of Art, Manchester NH  
artKudos International Juried Art Competition & Exhibition, Exhibition Finalist, artkudos.com  
*Still Point I*, Inaugural Exhibition, Still Point Gallery
- 2008 *Look6: An Exhibition of Contemporary New Hampshire Artists*, LAUNCHART, Peterborough, NH  
*Teeny Tiny Art Show II*, Three Graces Gallery, Portsmouth, NH  
6th Annual Minumental, New Hampshire Institute of Art, Amherst St. Gallery, Manchester, NH
- 2007 *Split*, Drawing Room, Portland, ME
- 2007 BFA Student Exhibition, New Hampshire Institute of Art, French Building Gallery Manchester, NH

**SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY**

- Frankie Magazine* upcoming May/June 2013 *Australia*
- Diskursdisko*, February 19, 2013, Germany
- "I'm Jealous of Cindy Rizza", *The Jealous Curator*, February 14, 2013, USA
- Orlando Sentinel, "Mount Dora's Bowersock Gallery kicks off season with sampling from seven artists," November 12, 2012
- Fine Art Connoisseur*, Issue September 2012
- Seacoast Online, "Cindy Rizza presents Quiet Memory' at Three Graces", May 28, 2011
- PAPERMAG NYC WORDUP!, "Wwww Could Be Next: Cindy Rizza", October 12, 2009
- Still Point Online Gallery Blog, in April 13th, 2009
- Townsend Outlook Publishing Inc., *Creative Outlook*, 2008 issue, page 54
- Hippo Press, "Local Color," *The Hippo*, February, 2007
- New Hampshire Institute of Art, *Self-Portrait with Cyclamen*, Viewbook Cover

**PERMANENT COLLECTIONS**

- MSAD 22 Percent for Art, Hampden, ME
- New Hampshire Institute of Art, Manchester, NH
- Scarborough Surgery Center, Scarborough, ME
- Windover Art Center, Newburgh, ME