## Draga Šušanj

#### Solo Exhibitions

- 2021 Earth Calls, Homeland Museum of Priboj, Srbija, Opening on Earth Day, April 22nd May 31st
- 2018 1991-2018, Serbia-War-NY, Omega Center for Sustainable Living, Rhinebeck, NY
- 2017 Exist-Exit, Touchstone Theatre, Bethlehem, PA
- 2017 26 Years Nomad, Greene County Council on the Arts, Catskill, NY
- 2016 Bee GuardInn, Site-specific native bee hotel, Mountain Top Arboretum, Tannersville, NY
- 2015 Elsewhere, Muroff-Kotler Visual Arts Gallery, SUNY Ulster, Stone Ridge, NY
- 2015 I love art, Permanent glass mosaic for the entrance to the Greene County Council on the Arts, Catskill, NY
- 2011 Swarming, Site-specific installation, Prudential Building, Chicago, IL, Jan-Dec
- 2010 Recent Work, Consulate General of the Republic of Serbia, New York, NY
- 2009 Wave, Ames Building, Permanent site-specific installation, Boston, MA
- 2007 Imprints, Student Cultural Center, Belgrade, Serbia
- 2004 Art and Nomadism, Solo Presentation, Studio 21, Pancevo, Serbia
- 2003 Site-Specific Installation, Ox-Bow, MI
- 2003 Sculpture Walk, Permanent site-specific installation, Djerassi Artist Program, Woodside, CA
- 2003 Crossing, Site-specific installation, Phillips Exeter Academy, NH

## **Group Exhibitions**

- 2019 Distance, Works on paper by Skowhegan alumni, Dorsky Gallery Curatorial Programs, NYC,
- 2018 PlaceMakers' Space, Led community art project & exhibition supported by NEA & NYSCA Grants, Prattsville Art Center, Prattsville, NY
- 2017 ReNew, Selected regional women artists, D Space Gallery director and curator, Catskill, NY
- 2017 Tear Down Relics, Cross Contemporary Art Gallery, Saugerties, NY
- 2017 Tear Down-Pop up, Group exhibition before the demolition of the interior, 11 Jane st Art Center, Saugerties, NY
- 2016 Here We Go, Selected regional women artists, D Space, D Space Gallery director and curator, Catskill, NY
- 2016 Cowgirls 3, "Celebration of 80 female artists of Hudson Valley", Brik Gallery, Catskill, NY
- 2015 Columbia County Council on the Arts' 18th Annual Juried Art Show, Hudson Opera House, NY
- 2015 American Masquerade, Regional Artists @ Prattsville Art Center, Prattsville, NY
- 2014 Reflecting on Olana as Framed in Catwalk's Views, Site-specific exhibition, Catwalk Institute, Catskill, NY
- 2014 Weather Project, Community Project, and Exhibition, NACL Theater, Highland Lake, NY
- 2014 Ad Infinitum, Greene County Council on the Arts, Catskill, NY
- 2013 60 Years of Serbian Association of Artists and Designers of Applied Arts, Belgrade, Serbia
- 2011 Hive Culture; Captivated by the Honeybee, Wave Hill Glyndor Gallery, New York, NY
- 2009 The Edwin Austin Abbey Mural Fellows 2009, National Academy Gallery, New York, NY
- 2009 A Book About Death, Emily Harvey Foundation Gallery, New York, NY
- 2009 Nature of Urban Nature, Chashama, New York, NY
- 2008 HereThereEverwhere, Chicago Cultural Center, Chicago, IL
- 2004 SuperSalon, Samson Projects, Boston, MA
- 2003 Pilchuck Hauberg & Emerging Artists in Residence, Center on Contemporary Art, Seattle, WA
- 2003 Aliens in America Others in the US, Phillips Exeter Academy, NH
- 2003 Alter, Filament Gallery, Portland, ME
- 2002 Transitions, Fosdick-Nelson Gallery, Alfred University, NY
- 2000 Topography, Sculpture Show, Art Site, Wellsville, NY, 2000
- 2000 New Talent 1, Contemporary Art Workshop Gallery, Chicago, IL, 2000
- 2000 Spectrum of Solutions, Invitational Show at A. T. Kearney Corporation, Chicago, IL, 2000
- 1999 Residuals, Three Arts Club, Chicago, IL
- 1995 At the Crossroads, Collaborations of Visual Artists and Poets, South Shore Cultural Club, Chicago, IL

### Grants, Awards, Residencies

- 2021 Foundation for Contemporary Art, NYC, Emergency Grant in support of the exhibition Earth Calls
- 2018 Fellowship Ecological Literacy Immersion Program & Permaculture Design Certificate Program, Omega Center for Sustainable Living, Rhinebeck, NY
- 2018 Residency, Prattsville Art Center and Artist Residency, Prattsville, NY
- 2018 & 2015 Grant Nomination, the Joan Mitchell Foundation Painters and Sculptors Grant, NYC, NY,
- 2015 Grant, NY State Council on the Arts, Decentralization Grant, Individual Artist Project -Catskill Textures, Administered by the Greene County Council on the Arts (GCCA)
- 2015 Grant, NY State Council on the Arts, Decentralization Grant, Community Art Project -Native Bee Hotel, Administered by the Greene County Council on the Arts (GCCA)
- 2015 Best in Show Award, The Columbia County Council on the Arts' 18th Annual Juried Art Show, Hudson Opera House, NY, Curator: Jack Shear, Ellsworth Kelly Foundation,
- 2015 & 2014 Platte Clove Artist Residency Program, the Catskill Center, Platte Clove, NY
- 2014 Residency, Catslair Artist in Residence, Catwalk Institute, Catskill, NY
- 2010 Fellowship, Creative Glass Center of America, Wheaton Arts Center, Millville, NJ
- 2009 Fellowship, The Edwin Austin Abbey Mural Workshop, National Academy, NY
- 2005 Grant, The Pollock-Krasner Foundation, New York, NY
- 2004 Fellowship, The Pritzker Foundation Endowed Honorary Fellowship for Distinguished Residency, Djerassi Artist Program, Woodside, CA
- 2004 & 2003 Residency, Ox-Bow School of Art and Artists' Residency, Saugerties, MI
- 2002 Fellowship, Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture Fellowship, Skowhegan, ME
- 2002 Residency, Pilchuck School of Glass A.I.R. Program, Stanwood, WA

#### Selected public collections

Museum of American Glass, Millville, NJ MOMA, New York, NY Los Angeles County Museum of Art, CA

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John G. Shedd Aquarium, Chicago, IL

### **Publications**

Once Uprooted, Always Uprooted, Omega Center for Sustainable Living, Earticle by Kelly Prentice, May 2022 Almanac Weekly, Hudson Valley Newspaper, Wow, by Paul Smart, Feb 2017 Check it out. by Paul Smart. Feb 2015

Arts Alive, Greene County Council on the Arts Newspaper, Catskill, NY,

Issues -Sept 2015, April 2015, July-Aug 2014

Glass Quarterly, Winter 201, Draga Šušanj at Hive Culture: Captivated by the Honeybee, by Ruth Reader Hospitality Design March 2010 Issue, American Revolution by Stacy Shoemaker Rauen Chicago Tribune, Jan 24. 2008, HereThereEverywhere map exhibit finds its place, by Alan G. Artner Politika, Belgrade March 6. 2007, Section -Last night in Belgrade- Art Can Help, by B.D.P.

Chicago Public Radio, July 2006

Hello Beautiful, Portrait in the Series about Chicago Immigrant Artists, by Jenny Lawton Art New England, Feb-March 2004 issue

Spotlight Reviews: Show-Aliens in America: Others in the USA, at Exeter Academy, by Rick McKown Portland Phoenix, Sep 2003, Playing with Matches, Show "Alter", Filament Gallery, by Chris Thompson Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture Annual Award Publication 2003, All together, Installation

# Education

- 2018 Ecological Literacy Immersion Program & Permaculture Design Certificate Program Omega Center for Sustainable Living, Omega Institute, Rhinebeck, NY
- 2002 Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, Skowhegan, ME
- 2002 MFA, New York State College of Ceramics, Alfred University, Alfred, NY
- 2000 BFA, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL