NOHRA HAIME GALLERY

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Born July 6, 1955, Springfield, Massachusetts Lives and works in Burlington, Vermont since 1979

EDUCATION

- 2005-07 Vermont College at Union Institute and University, VT (MFA)
- 1990 Restoration studies, Courtauld Institute, London, England
- 1977-78 Apprentice Restorer, Morton Bradley, Arlington, MA
- 1975-78 Rhode Island School of Design, BFA Painting, Providence, RI
- 1973-74 Beloit College, Beloit, WI

OTHER ACTIVITIES

- 2015-16 Adjunct Faculty, CORE Division, Champlain College, Burlington, Vermont
- 2013 Artist in Residence, The Studios of Key West, FL
- 2003-04 Adjunct Faculty, Community College of Vermont, VT
- 2000-18 Adjunct Faculty, St. Michael's College, Colchester, VT
- 1996-2002 Trustee Vermont Art Council
- 1988-89 Advisory Board Member, Vermont Council on the Arts, Montpelier, VT
- 1978 Teaching Assistant, printmaking, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI
- 1977-78 Conservator, Assistant to the Curator, Museum of Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI
- 1976-78 Framer, Assistant to the Curator, Museum of Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI

AWARDS

- 2021 Residency, Virginia Center for the Creative Arts
- 2013 Residency, The Studios of Key West
- 2009 Commission for The Art of Action: Shaping Vermont's Future through Art
- 2008 Grant award from the Community Foundation of Vermont, Vermont Endowment Fund
- 1992 Fellowship, Vermont Council on the Arts
- 1985 Jurors Award, Stratton Mountain Arts Festival Featured Artist, Stratton Mountain Arts Festival
- 1984 Fellowship, Vermont Council on the Arts
 - Jurors Award, Stratton Mountain Arts Festival

LECTURES

- 2017 "Tweets from Another World," Capitol Center for the Arts, Concord, NH and Saint Michael's College, Colchester, Vermont
- 2014 "Visual Language," American University of Dubai, UAE
 "Visual Language," Art Students League, New York
 "Nomadic Connections," Friends of the Key West Library Lecture Series, The Armory, Key West, FL
- 2013 The Center For Book Arts, New York
- 2010 "Maiden Voyages," American Corner, Jordan University, Amman, Jordan United States Embassy, Amman Jordan and Jerusalem, Israel Nabad Gallery, Amman, Jordan
- 2009 "Maiden Voyages," Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI "Maiden Voyages," University of Southern Florida, Panama, FL

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"Nomadic Travels and Traditions," Amy Tarrent Gallery, Flynn Center for the Performing Arts, Burlington "Nomadic Travels and Traditions," School of Visual Arts, New York University of Jordan Saint Michaels College, Colchester, VT

ONE-PERSON EXHIBITIONS

- 2021 "What Did Happen To Alice; My Avatar," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York
- 2018 The Windows at Nohra Haime Gallery, New York
- 2017 "Nomadic Connections," McGowan Fine Art, Concord, NH
- 2016 "The Genesis Tree," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York
- 2015 "Origin of Birds," MCLA Gallery, North Adams, MA "Origin of Birds," Gallery 51, North Adams, MA ArtPrize, Monroe Community Church, Grand Rapids, MI
- 2014-15 "Los Cuatro Elementos," NH Galería, Cartagena de Indias
- 2014 "Origination," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York
- 2013 "Maiden Voyages Project," The Center For Book Arts, New York "Origin of Birds," The Studios of Key West, Key West, FL
- 2012 "The Fifth Day," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York
- 2011 "Trinity," NH Galería, Cartagena de Indias
- 2010 "Valerie Hird: The Maiden Voyages Project: An Exhibition of Visual Blogs," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York
- 2009 "Maiden Voyages," Amy Tarrant Gallery, Flynn Center for the Arts, Burlington
- 2008 "Everybody Wants to be a Superhero," DIVA, Nohra Haime Gallery, Paris, France
- 2007 "Everyone Wants to be a Superhero," Art Chicago, Nohra Haime Gallery, Chicago, IL "Hero Worship," Red Dot, Nohra Haime Gallery, Miami, FL
- 2006 "Myths Then and Now," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York
- "On the Road," Lucky Street Gallery, Key West, FL
- 2004 "Cycles of Faith Cycles of Fiction," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York "Faith Based Facts," Lucky Street Gallery, Key West, FL
- 2003 "End of the Silkroad," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York
- 2001 "Trekking Through Asia Minor," Amy Tarrant Gallery, Flynn Center for the Performing Arts, Burlington "Nomadic Connections," Visual Arts Museum, New York "Portraits of Time: Mountain Profiles," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York
- 2000 "From Andalusia to Kurdistan," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York "Nomadic Connections," Peter Pap Oriental Rugs, San Francisco, CA
- 1999 "Nomadic Connections," Helen Day Art Center, Stowe, VT
- 1998 "Andalusian Landscapes Paisajes Andaluces," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York "Valerie Hird," MAC, New York
- 1997 "Nightscapes in the Palmirs," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York "The Nile and Beyond - Works on Paper," The Armory, Nohra Haime Gallery, New York
- 1994 "Anatolian Journeys," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York
- 1993 "Nomadic Reflections," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York
- 1992 Gallery North Star, Stratton, VT
- 1991 Gallery North Star, Stratton, VT Zimmermann Saturn Gallery, Nashville, TN Passepartout Gallery, Wisnooski, VT
- 1990 Gallery North Star, Stratton, VT Besides Myself Gallery, Arlington, VT
- 1989 Passepartout Gallery, Wisnooski, VT
- 1988 Gallery Two, Woodstock, VT Beside Myself Gallery, Arlington, VT
- 1987 Passepartout Gallery, Wisnooski, VT

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2020 Online exhibition, Hopkins Center, Dartmouth
- 2017 "New Place, New Space," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York

"Juried Watercolor Exhibition: Traditional to Modern," Monmouth Museum, Lindcroft, NH "Here and There," Atlantic Works Gallery, Boston, MA "Dreaming of Another World: Nomadic Reflections," McGowan Fine Art, Concord, NH "Feminist Feminine," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York "Visiones Algorítmicas," NH Galería, Cartagena 2016 "Introspection: Major Works by Gallery Artists," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York 2015 Art Madrid, NH Galería, Madrid, Spain "Crossing the Line 2, Drawing in the Middle East," JamjarvGallery, American University Dubai, 2014 UAE. Travels to Global Center for Drawing, Langford 120 Gallery, Melbourne, Australia 2013 Art Miami, Nohra Haime Gallery, Miami, FL "Islam Contemporary," Lichtenstein Center for Art, Pittsfield, MA 2012 "Bird," Furchott Sourdiff Gallery, Shelburne, VT "StoryTime," Studio Place Arts, Barre, VT "Priene Hali," School of Visual Arts, New York "An Exchange with Sol LeWitt," MassMoCA, North Adams, MA 2011 "Superheroes: Casita Maria," Casita Maria Center for Arts and Education, Bronx, NY "Digital Checkpoints: Maiden Voyages Project," Finger Lakes Environmental Film Festival (FLEFF) "On-line digital exhibition," Sharon Lin Tay (London), Dale Hudson (Abu Dhabi) co-curators 2010 "Objects of Desire," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York "Sacred and Profane," The Portsmouth Museum of Fine Art, NH "Art of Action," Vermont Arts Council, Senate Rotunda, Washington, D.C. "The Maiden Voyages Project: An Exhibition of Visual Blogs, Diaries and Drawings by Valerie Hird," in Tri-Fold: New Perspectives on Book Arts, Williamsburg Art and Historical Center, Brooklyn, NY "Fiction Project," Brooklyn Art Library, Brooklyn, NY "Metamorphosis," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York Art Chicago, Nohra Haime Gallery, Chicago, IL "Lucky Again," Lucky Street Gallery, Key West, FL 2009-10 "Art of Action," Vermont Arts Council, touring exhibition to 28 venues in Vermont Art Miami, Nohra Haime Gallery, Miami, FL 2009 "Art in Embassies," United States Embassy, Santiago, Chile "Gullubahce/Rose Garden Benefit," Priene, Turkey DIVA, Nohra Haime Gallery, Paris, France 2008 Art Chicago, Nohra Haime Gallery, Chicago, IL "The Art Show," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York "Peopled People," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York "Drawing Beyond the Plane," Tampa Museum of Art, Tampa, FL "Selections," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York "Landscape and Fabric," Bryan Memorial Gallery, Jeffersonville, VT "Contemporary Drawings, 69th Street Armory, NY 2007 "Presentis Alteratum," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York LA Art Show, Nohra Haime Gallery, Los Angeles, CA "Experimenting," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York "New Vistas," Bryan Memorial Gallery, Jeffersonville, VT "Sublimis Interruptus," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York Bridge London, Nohra Haime Gallery, London, England Art20, Nohra Haime Gallery, The Armory, New York "Celebration of the Book," Chaffee Art Center, Rutland, VT "Graduate Exhibition," Vermont College, Montpelier, VT "Collectors Show," Arkansas Art Center, Little Rock, AK "Artist Plates," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York "The Art of War, Fotofest Biennial," Gremillion Fine Art, Houston, TX 2006 TAF Exhibition, Nashville, TN Art20, Nohra Haime Gallery, The Armory, New York 2005 "Images of Time and Place: Contemporary Views of Landscape," Elaine E. Jacob Gallery, Wayne State University, Detroit, MI "Faceless Faces Body Files," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York "State of the Art 2005 Biennial Watercolor Invitational," Art Gallery, Parkland College, Champaign, IL

"Body Human," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York Art of the Twentieth Century, The Armory, New York "Salon 2005," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York 2004 "Food, Clothing and Shelter," Onisbaro Gallery, Interfaith Center of New York "Art at War," Aldo Castillo Gallery, Chicago, IL "Art at War," Illinois State University, Chicago, IL "Past Present Future: The State of the World," The Arts Center, Okaloosa-Walton Community College, Niceville, Fl Art of the Twentieth Century, The Armory, New York "In the Back Room," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York "Crossing Borders: Key West Literary Seminar," Lucky Street Gallery, Key West, FL "Beautiful Changes: Artists and Poets," Lucky Street Gallery, Key West, FL 2003 Art of the Twentieth Century, The Armory, New York Hunter Kirkland Contemporary, Santa Fe, NM 2002 "Destinations: Artists as Travelers," Southern Vermont Arts Center, Elizabeth de C. Wilson Museum, Manchester, VT "Contemporary American Art," United States Embassy, Seoul, Korea Hunter Kirkland Contemporary, Santa Fe, NM "Works on Paper," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York Lucky Street Gallery, Key West, FL Art of the Twentieth Century, The Armory, New York Art Deco Fair, 26th Street Armory, New York "The Artist as Traveler," Brattleboro Museum and Art Center, Brattleboro, VT 2001 "Selections," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York "20th Anniversary Exhibition," Gallery North Star, Manchester, VT "Member's Exhibition," Southern Vermont Art Center, Manchester, VT 2000 "Major Work by Gallery Artists," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York 1999 Antique Fair, Peter Pap Oriental Rugs, San Francisco, CA "The Use of The Hand," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York "Into the New Century," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York 1998 "Il Uovo nel arte," Turin, Italy "The Collector Show: The Collection of Bonnie Reid Martin," The Firehouse Gallery, Burlington FIAC, Nohra Haime Gallery, Paris, France Grayson Gallery, Woodstock, VT Graystone Gallery, San Francisco, CA "Important Works by Gallery Artists," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York "On Paper, With Paper and Drawings by Gallery Artists," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York 1997 "The Power of Color," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York 1996 "Libre Donne del Arte e di Carta," Biblioteca Civica, Turin, Italy "Masks," AKIM, Sotheby's, New York Art Miami, Nohra Haime Gallery, Miami, FL The Art Show, Nohra Haime Gallery, New York Art Chicago, Nohra Haime Gallery, Chicago, IL "Fifteenth Anniversary," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York 1995 The Art Show, Nohra Haime Gallery, New York Art Miami, Nohra Haime Gallery, Miami, FL "Works on Paper," Nohra Haime Gallery, New York FIAC, Nohra Haime Gallery, Paris, France 1994 "In Vermont," Brattleboro Museum and Art Center, Brattleboro, VT "Excellence in Watercolor," New Jersey Center for the Visual Arts, Summit, NJ Art Miami, Nohra Haime Gallery, Miami, FL The Art Show, Nohra Haime Gallery, New York FIAC, Nohra Haime Gallery, Paris, France 1993 "12 X 12," Museum of Art, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI FIAC, Nohra Haime Gallery, Paris, France 1990 "Art and the Law," West Collection, West Publishing Co. Minnesota, traveling exhibition 1989 "Seven Women Artists - New Talent," Katherina Rich Perlow, New York

"Art's Alive Invitational," Robert Hull Fleming Museum, Burlington 1984-92 Stratton Mountain Arts Festival, Stratton, VT

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Biblioteca Luis Angel Arango, Bogotá, Colombia Fleming Museum, Burlington Museum of Art, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI U.S. Department of State, Art in Embassies, United States Embassy, Turkey and South Korea

SELECTED CORPORATE COLLECTIONS

Advance Corporation, Miami, FL Cargill Investment Service, New York Exxon Corporation, Dallas, TX Fletcher Allen Health Center, Burlington Garwin, Bronzaft, Gerstein & Fisher, New York Greenwich Investment Management, Inc., Stamford, CT Lavandoo, Geneva, Switzerland Medical Center Hospital of Vermont, Burlington Pfizer Inc., New York Pizzagalli Construction, Burlington Standard Chartered Bank, New York Ventura, Miami, FL Westinghouse Electric Corporation, Pittsburgh, PA

TRAVELS

Morocco, Spain, Turkey, Scotland, Peru, Uzbekistan, Kirghistan, Egypt, Turkey, England, Belgium, Netherlands, Israel, Lebanon, Syria, UAE

VIDEOS BY THE ARTIST

2020	"Teaching Cross-Cultural Visual Language," September 1, 2020, video 00:01:54, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UPb1F016sKI&t=3s&ab_channel=valeriehird
	"BCA Val Tour," May 28, 2020, video 00:08:40, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o6PYH0eQ-YU
	"About Face by Valerie Hird," May 27, 2020, video 00:01:30,
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wCSOYzuzido
	"My Movie," March 30, 2020, video 00:00:15,
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=shYYrkL50Hg&ab_channel=valeriehird
	"My Movie," March 25, 2020, video 00:00:03, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HOcPUvb1-SY
	"Valerie Hird Talks Painting," March 23, 2020, video 00:01:28,
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6a09DHws60o
2019	"Wind Sequence," June 11, 2019, video 00:00:28, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G5qx9jaJ4HM
	"Drink Me," March 3, 2019, video 00:01:37, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ddrBqNKcy6l
2018	"SMC Galapagos Mural, Final," December 11, 2018, video 00:02:40,
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mVs8ILAYOXU
2016	"COR-330-11: Drawing Across Cultures 1st Convivium Presentation," December 12, 2016,
	video 00:03:32, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xDYNKuGzH8k
	"Genesis Tree NY16," April 3, 2016, video 00:02:11, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CQwCF2m0unc
2015	"The Genesis Tree," June 22, 2015, video 00:02:50, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=riEXxqMoHvM
	"Flipbooks.Fall.14," January 5, 2015, video 00:04:55, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DB7MKyDx06E
2012	"Sol le wit.mp4," January 13, 2012, video 00:01:22, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JSzq44iYvbs

- 2011 "Dance Sequence," December 6, 2011, video 00:01:11, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5B9UbJ1PUV4
- 2009 "Maiden Voyages Project," November 3, 2009, video 00:04:46,

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uPlooYMJknE

"Valerie Hird; Maiden Voyage," Blackwell Hird, October 25, 2009, video 00:04:46,

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QJrc0JMLkig&ab_channel=BlackwellHird

VIDEOS ON THE ARTIST

"Val Hird," Vermont Arts Council, November 13, 2009, video 00:00:41,

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