

Artist CV – Liza Visagie

Contemporary Oil Painter
Born 1973, South Africa
Lives and Work in Vancouver, BC, Canada

Biography

Liza Visagie, born in 1973 in Johannesburg, South Africa, is a contemporary oil painter noted for her exploration of nature and narrative through traditional and innovative techniques. Her practice documents the ever-changing environment, working directly from landscapes and cities around the world. Painting is for her a process of clarifying thought and awakening simplicity and unity within the viewer's perception.

Education

- 2001–2018 – Apprenticeship with oil painter Paul Chizik, Vancouver, Canada
- 2001 – Vancouver Academy of Art, Part-time studies in oil painting, Vancouver, Canada
- 1999 – Emily Carr Institute of Art and Design (ECIAD), Degree in Fine Arts, Vancouver, Canada
- 1989–1990 – The National School of the Arts (De Kruin Art), Johannesburg, South Africa

Selected Solo and Special Projects

- 2005 – *Lamp Community*, Los Angeles, U.S.A
- 2004 – *Mojo Mojo: Collaboration with Sherp Orphanage*, Maralal, Kenya (Auto One, Vancouver, Canada)
- 2004–2009 – Artwork featured on Matthew Good's '*White Light Rock and Roll Review*' album cover

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2025 – *Brushstrokes of Love: February Group Exhibition of Local and World Masters*, Vancouver Fine Art Gallery, Vancouver, BC, Canada
- 2025 – *Liza Visagie*, Vancouver Fine Art Gallery, Vancouver, BC, Canada
- 2024 – *Dennis Brown - Passing Through*, Vancouver Fine Art Gallery, Vancouver, BC, Canada
- 2023 – *Contemporary and Old Masters Holiday Collection*, Vancouver Fine Art Gallery, Vancouver, BC, Canada
- 2018 – *Plein-air Painting in Canada*, Italian Cultural Centre, Vancouver, BC, Canada
- 2014 – *World Artist Competition*, Belgravia Gallery, London, England

- 2008 – South Africa Abroad, Hodnett Fine Art, Vancouver, Canada
- 2008 – Art Knows No Borders, Work exhibited and donated to Doctors Without Borders, Los Angeles, U.S.A

Representation

- 2020 to present – Vancouver Fine Art Gallery, Vancouver, BC, Canada
- 2009 – Represented by artSpace Berlin, Berlin, Germany
- 2008 – Winsor Gallery, Vancouver, Canada
- 2006–2008 – Represented by The Weiss Gallery, Calgary, Alberta, Canada
- 2002–2003 – Fine Art Gallery J. van den Elshout, Den Haag, Netherlands
- 2002 – The Ballard-Lederer Gallery, Vancouver, Canada
- 2001 – The Harrison Gallery, Vancouver and Calgary, Canada