

Serena Cole

Born 1979 San Jose, CA
Works in San Francisco, CA

Education

2011 MFA, Painting, California College of the Arts, San Francisco, CA
2006 BFA, Painting, California College of the Arts, San Francisco, CA

Solo Exhibitions

2012
Through a Glass, Darkly, Soo Visual Art Center, Minneapolis, MN
(forthcoming)

2010
The Rapture, Alice + Olivia, Southampton, NY

2009
I Wanna Be Adored, Triple Base Gallery, San Francisco, CA

Selected Group Exhibitions

2011
Twisted Sisters, Dodge Gallery, New York, NY
SHOP: Like You Mean It, Underline Gallery, New York, NY
Fabrications, Marx and Zattero Gallery, San Francisco, CA
MFA Thesis Exhibition, California College of the Arts

2009
A New Breed of Watercolor, Soo Visual Arts Center, Minneapolis, MN
Threadbare, The Lab, San Francisco, CA
The Icon and the Iconic, Manresa Gallery, San Francisco, CA

2008
Artists' Ball, Yerba Buena Center for the Arts, San Francisco, CA
Golden: Serena Cole and Tahiti Pehrson, 111 Minna Gallery, San Francisco, CA
Universal Grammar, Gallery Homeland, Portland, OR
The Thin Ice Collective, Anne Bonny, Seattle, WA
Drawing Under the Influence, MANIAC Gallery, Oakland, CA

2007

Bliss, Roberts and Tilton Gallery at Domestic, Los Angeles, CA
There is No Light Without Darkness, Hinterconti, Hamburg, Germany
There is No Light Without Darkness, Mina Dresden, San Francisco, CA
Grant Barnhart and Serena Cole, Bucheon Gallery, San Francisco, CA
Mirabile Visu, MM Gallery, San Francisco, CA
Ripples, Oakland Art Gallery, Oakland, CA

2006

Oakland East Side Story, Yerba Buena Center for the Arts, San Francisco, CA
Bay Area Currents 2006, Oakland Art Gallery, Oakland, CA
Untitled 5, Soo Visual Arts Center, Minneapolis, MN
I Feel Pretty, Auto 3321, Oakland, CA
Beast Epic, Ego Park, Oakland, CA

Bibliography

"Interview with Serena Cole", Alaisk Murasaki, [Anormal Magazine](#), Chile, November 2011
"My Love For You's Top Artist Picks", Meighan O'Toole, Foam Magazine, August 2011
"Serena Cole's Fashionable Portraits", [Huffington Post](#), via Beautiful Decay, June 2011
"An Art Lover's Survival Guide to Student Exhibition Season", Aimee Le Duc, [Bay Citizen](#), May 2011
"Exhibition Spotlight: Fabrications at Marx and Zavattero", [Huffington Post](#), February 2011
"The Horror, the Humor", Keith Bowers, [SF Weekly](#), January 2011
"Marx and Zavattero: Fabrications", Sura Wood, [Bay Area Reporter](#), January 2011
"Studio Invasion: Serena Cole", Kristin Farr and Emanuel Hapsis, [KQED Interview](#), January 2011
"Interview with Serena Cole", [The Block](#), Montreal, Canada, May 2010
"I Wanna Be Adored", Randall Miller, [Art Practical](#), November 2009
"Bello y Monstro", Umbigo Magazine, Lisbon, Portugal, April 2008
[The Downy Bird Art Kingdom](#), (cover image), Matthew Bowers, 2007
"Oakland East Side Story: Serena Cole", Yerba Buena Center for the Arts Interview, [youtube.com](#), December 2006
"Bay Area Currents 2006", Petra Bibeau, [Shotgun Review](#), June 2006