



Dinorá Justice

BORN 1969 Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil

EDUCATION

- 2014** MFA at the School of the Museum of Fine Arts (SMFA), Tufts University, Boston, MA
- 2001** BFA at The Art Institute of Boston (AIB), Lesley University, Cambridge, MA
- 1999** Graphic Design Certificate at SMFA Boston, Tufts University, MA
- 1988** Associate Degree in Footwear Design and Manufacture, Escola do Calçado SENAI, Novo Hamburgo, Brazil

AWARDS AND RESIDENCIES

- 2026** The Pollock-Krasner Foundation Artist Grant, New York, NY
- 2025** Artist-in-Residence, SOON Art Studio, Vienna, Austria
- 2022** Massachusetts Cultural Council Painting Fellowship, Boston, MA
- 2020** Traveling Fellowship, SMFA Boston, Tufts University, MA
- 2019** Artist-in-Residence, Oak Spring Garden Foundation, Upperville, VA
Scattergood-Moore Artist-in-Residence, Dana Hall Art Gallery, Wellesley, MA
- 2018** Massachusetts Cultural Council Artist Fellowship in Painting, Finalist, Boston, MA
- 2015** Emerging Artist Award, St. Botolph Club Foundation, Boston, MA
The Nellie Taft Award for Painting, St. Botolph Club Foundation, Boston, MA
- 2018** Massachusetts Cultural Council Artist Fellowship in Painting, Finalist Grant, Boston, MA
- 2013** Editor's Choice, First Peer Reviewed Academic Research Paper Competition, SMFA Boston and SMFA Nagoya, MA / Japan
Art on the Marquee Student Exhibition Award, Boston CyberArts, MA
President's Research Grant Award, SMFA Boston, Tufts University, MA
- 2012-2014** Merit Scholarship, SMFA Boston, Tufts University, MA
- 2003** The Middlesex Beat Inaugural Artist Grant, Lowell, MA
- 2001** Senior Award for Outstanding & Distinguished Accomplishment in 2D Fine Art, AIB, Lesley University, Cambridge, MA



SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2025** *Entwined*, Gallery NAGA, Boston, MA
Seeing As We Are, The Allen Center, Newton, MA
Ohne Titel, SOON Art Gallery, Vienna, Austria
- 2023-24** *The Lay of the Land*, Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA
- 2023** *Mother/Nature*, Gallery NAGA, Boston, MA
- 2019** *Come to Me She Said*, Gallery NAGA, Boston, MA
- 2018** *She Speaks in Gusts and Cyclones*, Dana Hall Art Gallery, Wellesley, MA
- 2007** *Play of Light*, NOA Gallery, Groton, MA
- 2006** *Landscapes of the Mind*, Star Gallery, Stow, MA
- 2005** *Fundamentally Green*, Main Gallery at Newton Free Library, MA
Solitude, NOA Gallery, Groton, MA
- 2004** *Add It All Up, Then Simplify*, Kantar Fine Arts, Newton, MA
- 2003** *Dream and Reality*, Kantar Fine Arts, Newton, MA
Let the Beauty We Love Be What We Do, Kennedy Gallery,
Provincetown, MA
- 1998** *The Elements of Nature*, Galeria Modernidade, Novo Hamburgo, Brazil
- 1996** *Energy and Movement*, Galeria Carrasco, Novo Hamburgo, Brazil

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2026** *Entangled*, Winston Wächter Fine Art, New York, NY
- 2025** *Smalls*, Gallery NAGA, Boston, MA
Oak Spring: Seeding Artists, Turchin Center for the Visual Arts,
Appalachian State University, Boone, NC
- 2024** *We Tell Ourselves Stories in Order to Live*, Marc Straus Gallery,
New York, NY
Re/Pose, Ulrich Museum of Art at Wichita State University, KS
Oak Spring: A Place to Grow, Oak Spring Garden Foundation,
Upperville, VA
- 2023** Art Miami, Gallery NAGA, Miami, FL
- 2022** Art Miami, Gallery NAGA, Miami, FL
- 2021** *Night Vision: Nocturnal Musings by NAGA Artists*, Gallery NAGA,
Boston, MA
- 2020** *Awaken: Conjuring Our Tomorrow*, Salem State University, MA
Holiday Pop-Up Exhibition, SoWa, Boston, MA
Virtual Summer Camp: New Work by NAGA Artists, Gallery NAGA,



- Boston, MA
- 2019** *House-trained: Contemporary Depictions of Dogs*, Gallery NAGA, Boston, MA
- 2018** *Violence Transformed: Stand Together*, Tufts University Art Galleries, Tufts University, Medford, MA
Fantastical, Political, Fitchburg Art Museum, MA
Crossing Borders, Parker Gallery, Lesley University, Cambridge, MA
Art Elevated, Garment District Alliance, New York, NY
- 2017** *Mortal Coil*, Manhattan Art and Antiques Center, New York, NY
Violence Transformed: Under Siege, Aidekman Arts Center, Tufts University, Medford, MA
Viridian Artists 28th National Competition, New York, NY
Up/Rooted, National Juried Exhibition, Brookline Arts Center, MA
Inaugural Alumni Show, SMFA Boston, MA
Picture Social Justice and Human Rights, Boston Graduate School of Psychoanalysis, MA
- 2016** *Danforth Art Museum Annual Juried Exhibition*, Danforth Art Museum, Framingham, MA
Insider/Outsider Nation, Resnikoff Gallery at the Media Arts Center, Roxbury Community College, Boston, MA
Patterns, National Juried Exhibition, Attleboro Arts Museum, MA
On the Periphery: the Edge of Sight, UForge Gallery, Boston, MA
- 2015** *Force of Nature: Exploring the Power of the Feminine*, Women's Caucus for Art Juried Exhibition, Silver Center for the Arts, Plymouth State University, NH
Platinum, Cambridge Art Association Juried Exhibition, MA
Foundation On Parade: Saint Botolph Club Foundation Emerging Artists Exhibition, Saint Botolph Club Foundation, Boston, MA
Immigrants, Immigration and the Shared Journey for Justice, National Juried Exhibition, 11th Avenue Gallery, Denver, CO
- 2014** *What Does Immigration Have To Do With Environmental Justice?*, MFA Graduate Exhibition, Boston Center for the Arts Cyclorama, MA
Strange Strangeness, Museum of Fine Arts Boston, MA
Boston Young Contemporaries, Boston University Art Galleries, MA
- 2013** *Colorful Textures: Synaesthesia in Art*, Rubin Frankel Gallery, Boston University, MA
Histories of Now, Grossman Gallery, SMFA Boston, MA
Boston CyberArts Festival, MA
Snap to Grid, Los Angeles Center for Digital Art, CA
- 2012** *Fresh Paint III*, New Art Center, Newton, MA



- 2006** *Mayor's Gallery Exhibition, Boston City Hall, MA*
New England Biolabs Group Show, New England Biolabs, Ipswich, MA
- 2004** *The Imagined Landscape, Schuman Gallery, Groton Public Library, MA*
- 2003** *New Artists, S.E. Feinman Fine Arts, New York, NY*
Inner and Outer Spaces, Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection, Boston, MA
- 2002** *Tree Escapes, Upstairs at Johnson's, Johnson Art Gallery, Boston, MA*
- 2001** *Graduate Fine Arts Exhibition, AIB, Lesley University, Cambridge, MA*
- 2000** *Summer Landscapes Invitational Exhibition, AIB, Lesley University, Cambridge, MA*

PUBLIC AND CORPORATE COLLECTIONS

Bowdoin College Museum of Art, Brunswick, ME
Boston Private Bank & Trust Company, MA
Boston Private Bank & Trust, Los Angeles, CA
Edwin A. Ulrich Museum of Art, Wichita State University, KS
Fidelity Investments, Boston, MA
Hood Museum of Art, Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH
Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA
Yageo Foundation, Taipei, Taiwan

SELECTED PRESS

- 2025** "Dinorá Justice: entwined," *meer*, November 3, 2025
Ulziibold, Sunderya. "Dinorá Justice Blends Feminism, Nature, and Art in 'Seeing As We Are' Exhibition," *The Newton Beacon*, May 8, 2025
Ulziibold, Sunderya. "Dinorá Justice Blends Feminism, Nature, and Art in 'Seeing As We Are' Exhibition," *The Heights*, May 5, 2025
- 2024** Tecchio, Isabella. "Mother Earth Springs to Life at the MFA," *The Suffolk Journal*, February 20, 2024
Lipson, Nicole Graev. "Thinkers Who Mother," *Alaska Quarterly Review*, January 23, 2024
McMasters, Kelly. "Art: Dinorá Justice," *Windmill: The Hofstra Journal of Art & Literature*, Issue 7, 2023–2024, pp. 42–49
- 2023** Garcia, Jacob. "Newton-based artist puts a feminist perspective on 'masterpieces'," December 26, 2023
"Interview at Gallery NAGA: Dinora Justice and Michelle Fisher, May 2023," YouTube, December 14, 2023
Smyton, Robin. "'Dinorá Justice: The Lay of the Land' Explores



- Historical Perceptions of Femininity and the Natural World in the Artistic Canon," *Tufts Now*, September 25, 2023
McQuaid, Cate. "Breaking out of the boudoir," *Ocean in a Drop*, Substack, May 10, 2023
McQuaid, Cate. "The Ticket: Things to do around Boston this weekend and beyond," *The Boston Globe*, May 3, 2023
- 2022** Flaherty, Julie. "SMFA Art Sale Is Back In-Person This Fall," *Tufts Now*, October 20, 2022
- 2021** "Oxford American Cover Feature – The Place Issue," *Oxford American*, Summer 2021
- 2020** McQuaid, Cate. "The Ticket: What's happening in the arts world," *The Boston Globe*, November 25, 2020
Smyton, Robin. "SMFA at Tufts announces 2020 Traveling Fellows," *Tufts Now*, April 28, 2020
- 2018** Volpe, Christopher. "Fantastical, Political," *Art New England*, June 2018
Interview, "Check out Dinora Justice's Artwork," *Boston Voyager*, June 11, 2018
Dobbins, Elizabeth. "At Fitchburg Art Museum, visions fantastic and so very real," *Sentinel & Enterprise News*, February 2018
- 2017** Wolin, Joseph. *Studio Visit Magazine*, Issues 36 and 38, The Open Studios Press, Boston, p. 95
- 2004** Boulanger, Susan. "Regional Reviews," *Art New England*, February/March 2004
"Justice named 'Medici Artist'," *Newton TAB*, March 17, 2004
- 2003** "Justice awarded by Middlesex Beat," *Newton TAB*, October 15, 2003