ALEXANDRE GALLERY

NEIL WELLIVER

Born Millville, PA, 1929
Died Belfast, ME, 2005
Education Philadelphia Museum College of Art, 1953

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS
2018  Neil Welliver: Selected Paintings and Prints, Alexandre Gallery, New York, NY
2015  Neil Welliver: Oil Studies and Selected Prints, Alexandre Gallery, New York, NY
2008  Neil Welliver: Retrospective, Farnsworth Museum of Art, Rockland, ME (traveling)
2006  Neil Welliver: Chosen Terrain, Hudson River Museum, Yonkers, NY
      Neil Welliver: Landscapes, Alexandre Gallery, New York, NY
      Neil Welliver: Maine Legacy, Wendell Gilley Museum, Southwest Harbor, ME
2004  Neil Welliver: Oil Studies, Alexandre Gallery, New York, NY
2002  Neil Welliver: Maine Scenes, Wendell Gilley Museum, Southwest Harbor, ME
      Neil Welliver: Small Paintings, Center for Maine Contemporary Art, Rockport, ME
2001  Neil Welliver: Early Figurative Paintings, Alexandre Gallery, NY
      Neil Welliver: The Prints, Memorial Art Gallery, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY; traveled to: Tweed Museum of Art, Duluth, MN; Southeast Missouri State University Museum, Cape Girardeau, MO
      Neil Welliver: Recent Prints and Paintings, Flanders Gallery, Minneapolis, MN
      Neil Welliver: Paintings, Cabrillo Gallery, Cabrillo College, Santa Cruz, CA
      Neil Welliver: Recent Paintings and Prints, 808 Gallery at Boston University, Boston, MA
1999  Alexandre Fine Art/Tibor de Nagy Gallery, New York, NY
1998  O’Farrell Gallery, Brunswick, ME
1997  Marlborough Gallery, New York, NY
Neil Welliver  Prints: The Essence of Maine, Portland Museum of Art, Portland, ME
The Maine View, Twenty Years of Landscape Paintings by Neil Welliver, Brenau University Galleries, Simmons Visual Arts Center, Gainseville, GA; traveled to New Orleans Museum of Art, New Orleans, LA
1995  Marlborough Gallery, New York, NY
1994  O’Farrell Gallery, Brunswick, ME
1993  Marlborough Gallery, New York, NY
Neil Welliver: A Litany to the Particular, Cherry Centers, Carmel, CA
1991  Philharmonic Center for the Arts, Naples, FL Marlborough Gallery, New York, NY
1990  Joseloff Gallery, University of Hartford, Hartford, CT
Neil Welliver: Small Works,  Webb & Parsons, Burlington, VT
1989  Marlborough Gallery, New York, NY
Colby College Museum of Art, Waterville, ME; traveled to Montgomery Museum of Fine Arts, Montgomery, AL; The Butler Institute of American Art, Youngstown, OH; James A. Michener Arts Center of Bucks County, Doylestown, PA
1988  O’Farrell Gallery, Brunswick, ME
1987  Marlborough Gallery, New York, NY
1986  Marlborough Fine Art Ltd., Tokyo, Japan
University of Missouri Art Gallery, Kansas City, MO
Dorry Gates Gallery, Kansas City, MO William A. Farnsworth Museum, Rockland, ME  O’Farrell Gallery, Brunswick, ME
Olin Art Center, Bates College, Lewiston, ME
Harcus Gallery, Boston, MA
1985  Marlborough Gallery, New York, NY
1984  Marlborough Fine Art (London) Ltd., England
The Knight Gallery, Charlotte, NC
1983  Marlborough Gallery, New York, NY
Meadows Museum, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX
1982  Neil Welliver: Woodcuts and Etchings, Reynolds/Minor Gallery, Richmond, VA
Neil Welliver: Paintings 1966–1980, organized by the Currier Gallery of Art, Manchester, NH; traveled to Worcester Art Museum, Worcester, MA; Des Moines Art Center, Des Moines, IA; Columbus Museum of Art, Columbus, OH; Institute of Contemporary Art, Philadelphia, PA; Virginia Museum of Fine Art, Richmond, VA
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1981 Fischbach Gallery, New York, NY
   Neil Welliver/President’s Choice, Visual Arts Gallery, Florida International University, Miami, FL
   Neil Welliver: Paintings and Prints, College of the Mainland Art Gallery, Texas City, TX
1980 Fischbach Gallery, New York, NY
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1978 Brooke Alexander, Inc., New York, NY
1977 Munson Gallery, New Haven, CT
1976 Fischbach Gallery, New York, NY
   Treat Gallery, Bates College, Lewiston, ME
1974 Fischbach Gallery, New York, NY
   University of Rhode Island, Kingston, RI
1973 Parker Street 470 Gallery, Boston, MA
1972 John Bernard Myers Gallery, New York, NY
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1970 Tibor de Nagy Gallery, New York, NY
1969 McLeaf Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
   Tibor de Nagy Gallery, New York, NY
1968 Tibor de Nagy Gallery, New York, NY
1967 New Haven Gallery, New Haven, CT
   Tibor de Nagy Gallery, New York, NY
1964 Stable Gallery, New York, NY
1963 Stable Gallery, New York, NY
1962 Stable Gallery, New York, NY
1960 Mirski Gallery, Boston, MA
1954 Alexandra Grotto, Philadelphia, PA

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS
2019 Slab City Rendezvous, Farnsworth Art Museum, Rockland, ME
2007 Fluid Fields, The Painting Center, New York, NY
2006 Five Landscape Paintings, University of Maine Museum of Art, Bangor, ME
   Maine Print Project, The Center for Maine Contemporary Art, Rockport, ME
2006 Fairfield and Friends: Art from the Commerce Bank Collection, Wichita Art Museum, Wichita, KS
   Got Cow, The Hudson River Museum, Yonkers, NY
2004 Realism Now: Traditions & Departures, Mentors and Protégés, Vose Galleries, Boston,

2003 Ink from Wood: Two Traditions, Center for Contemporary Printmaking, Norwalk, CT
Selected Works by Gallery Artists, Alexandre Gallery, New York

Winter Landscapes: New Prints by Gallery Artists, Alexandre Gallery, NY


2000 Re-Appearance, Brenau University Galleries, Gainesville, GA
Re-presenting Representation IV, Arnot Art Museum, Elmira, NY

1999 Abstraction/Realism: The Great Debate, Susquehanna Art Museum, Harrisburg, PA

1998 Capturing the Sublime, The Fuller Museum of Art, Brockton, MA

1996 Rediscovering the Landscape of the Americas, Gerald Peters Gallery, Santa Fe, NM

1995 Neil Welliver Paintings, James Surls Sculpture, Robert Kidd Gallery, Birmingham, MI

1994 American Realism and Figurative Painting, Cline Fine Art, Santa Fe, NM

1992 100 Years of American Art, Colby College Collection at the Port Washington Public Library, Port Washington, NY
On Paper, Marlborough Gallery, New York, NY
Academy-Institute Invitational Exhibition of Paintings & Sculpture, American Academy and Institute of Arts and Letters, New York, NY

1991 American Art from the Colby College Museum of Art, Richard York Gallery, New York, NY
The Landscape in 20th Century American Art: Selections from the Metropolitan Museum of Art, Philbrook Museum of Art, Tulsa, OK; traveled to Center for the Fine Arts, Miami, FL; Joslyn Art Museum, Omaha, NE; Tampa Museum of Art, Tampa, FL; Greenville County Museum of Art, Greenville, SC; Madison Art Center, Madison, WI; Grand Rapids Art Museum, Grand Rapids, MI
Selections from the Mary & Crosby Kemper Collection, Kansas City Art Institute, Kansas City, MO
American Realism and Figurative Art 1952–1990, The Miyagi Museum of Art, Miyagi,
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Japan; traveled in Japan to Sago Museum of Art, Yokohama (1992); Tokushima Modern Art Museum, Tokushima; Museum of Modern Art, Shiga; Kochi Prefectural Museum of Folk Art, Kochi

The Common Wealth: Twentieth Century American Masterpieces from Virginia Collections, Roanoke Museum of Fine Arts, Roanoke, VA

1990 Art at the Millhouse, Webb & Parsons, Bedford, VT
1989 The New Old Landscape, Museum of Art, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ
American Art Today: Contemporary Landscape, The Art Museum, Florida International University, Miami, FL
The Transformative Vision: Contemporary American Landscape Painting, Three Rivers Arts Festival, Pittsburgh, PA

1988 Visions/Revisions: Contemporary Representation, Marlborough Gallery, New York, NY
New England Now: Contemporary Art From Six States, Bowdoin College Museum of Art, Brunswick, ME


1986 Landscape, Seascape, Cityscape 1960–1985, Contemporary Arts Center, New Orleans, LA; traveled to City Arts Center, Raleigh, SC
An American Renaissance in Art: Painting and Sculpture Since 1940, Museum of Art, Fort Lauderdale, FL
Familiar Reality, Arkansas Art Center, Little Rock, AR Winter, Hood Museum of Art, Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH
A Contemporary View of Nature, Aldrich Museum, Ridgefield, CT
50th National Midyear Exhibition, Butler Institute of American Art, Youngstown, OH
American Realism: Twentieth Century Drawings and Watercolors from the Glenn C. Janss Collection, The San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco, CA; traveled to DeCordova and Dana Museum and Park, Lincoln, MA; Archer M. Huntington Gallery, University of Texas, Austin, TX; Mary and Leigh Block Gallery, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL; Williams College Museum of Art, Williamstown, MA; Akron Art Museum, Akron, OH; Madison Art Center, Madison, WI; Boise Gallery of Art, Boise, ID

1985 Places, Greenville County Museum of Art, Greenville, SC

1984 America Seen, Adams-Middleton Gallery, Dallas, TX
American Landscape Painting, Art Gallery, California State University, Fullerton, CA
International Masters of Contemporary Figuration, Marlborough Fine Art Ltd., Tokyo, Japan

The Maine Connection, organized by Sylvia Skira, Maine Coast Artists, Camden, ME

The Spirit of the Coast, Monmouth Museum, Lincroft, NJ

Thoreau as a Source for Artistic Inspiration, DeCordova and Dana Museum and Park, Lincoln, MA

1983 Painted Light, an Artists’ Choice Museum Exhibition, The Reading Public Museum, Reading, PA; traveled to Queens Museum, Queens, NY; Colby College Museum of Art, Waterville, ME; The Butler Institute of American Art, Youngstown, OH

Contemporary Landscape Painting, Center for the Arts, Wesleyan University, Middletown, CT; Freedman Gallery, Albright College, Reading, PA; Berkshire Museum, Pittsfield, MA

Realistic Directions, Zoller Gallery, The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA

Student Choice Exhibition, Yale University Art Gallery, New Haven, CT

American Realism 1930s-1980s: A Comparative Perspective, Summit Art Center, Summit, NJ

Realist Watercolors, Visual Arts Gallery, Florida International University, Miami, FL

Hassam and Speicher Fund Purchase Exhibition, American Academy and Institute of Fine Arts and Letters, New York, NY

Works on Paper: Kitaj, Lopes Garcia, Petlin, Rivers, Welliver, Marlborough Gallery, New York, NY

1982 Another Look at Landscape, Semaphore Gallery, New York, NY

Painterly Realism, Rahr-West Museum, Manitowoc, WI

Realists Revised, Quincy Art Center, Quincy, IL

Appreciation of Realism, Munson-Williams- Proctor Institute, Utica, NY

The Davidson Collection, Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, Philadelphia, PA

1981 The American Landscape: Recent Developments, Whitney Museum of American Art, Fairfield County Branch, Stamford, CT

The Contemporary American Landscape, Hirschl & Adler Galleries, New York, NY

The Landscape—A Point of View, Marian, Locks Gallery, Philadelphia, PA

A Penthouse Aviary, Selections from the Art Lending Service, Loaned to Dancer Fitzgerald, Inc., The Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY

Twenty Artists: Yale School of Art 1950–1970, Yale University Art Gallery, New Haven, CT

Real, Really Real, Super Real: Directions in Contemporary American Realism, San Antonio Museum Association, San Antonio, TX
Selected Works, Gallery 609, Denver, CO

Contemporary American Realism Since 1960, Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, Philadelphia, PA; traveled to Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond, VA; Oakland Museum, Oakland, CA; Gulbenkian Foundation, Lisbon, Portugal; Salas de Exposiciones, Madrid, Spain; Kunsthalle, Nuremberg, West Germany

1980
Aspects of Printmaking in the ‘70s, Myers Fine Arts Gallery, S.U.N.Y. at Plattsburgh, NY

Realism/Photorealism, Philbrook Art Center, Tulsa, OK

Art in Embassies, State Museum of Art, Rydhave, Copenhagen, Denmark

Contemporary Naturalism: Works of the 70s, Nassau County Museum of Fine Art, Syosset, NY

Aspects of the 70s: Directions in Realism, Danforth Museum, Framingham, MA

New Publications/Acquisitions, Brooke Alexander, Inc., New York, NY

1979
43rd Annual Mid-Year Show, The Butler Institute of American Art, Youngstown, OH

The Decade in Review: Selections from the 1970s, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY

Late 20th Century Art, Sydney and Frances Lewis Collection, I.C.A. Gallery, New York, NY

1978
New Editions, Brooke Alexander, Inc., New York, NY

American Realism, William and Mary College, Williamsburg, VA

Painterly Realism, Watson/De Nagy Gallery, Houston, TX

Selected Prints II, Brooke Alexander, Inc., New York, NY

Two Decades: American Art from the Collection of The Smith College Museum of Art, Montclair Art Museum, Montclair, NJ

1977
Artists Salute Skowhegan, Kennedy Galleries, New York, NY

Ten Painters of Maine, Landmark Gallery, New York, NY

Eight Contemporary American Realists, Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, Philadelphia, PA, and North Carolina Museum of Art, Raleigh, NC

American Painterly Realists, University of Missouri Art Gallery, Kansas City, MO

1976
America 1976, A Bicentennial Exhibition, sponsored by the U.S. Department of the Interior, Washington, DC; traveling exhibition

25th Anniversary Exhibition, Tibor de Nagy Gallery, New York, NY

Artist’s Choice: Figurative Art in New York, Green Mountain Gallery, New York, NY

Contemporary Painting: A Review of the New York Gallery Season 1974-1975, Lowe Art Gallery, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY

1975
A Bite from the Big Apple, Indiana University Art Museum, Bloomington, IN

Candid Painting: American Genre 1950–1975, DeCordova and Dana Museum and Park,
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Lincoln, MA
Small Scale in Contemporary Art,Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL
Sixteen Realists,Fischbach Gallery, New York, NY
First International Biennial of Figurative Painting, Tokyo and Osaka, Japan
Contemporary Landscape Painting, Oklahoma Art Center, Tulsa, OK

1974 Five Ways of Looking At Landscapes, Tibor de Nagy Gallery, New York, NY
Landscapes, Tibor de Nagy Gallery, Houston, TX

Drawings by Seven American Realists, Harcus Krakow Gallery, Boston, MA

Art on Paper, Weatherspoon Art Gallery, University of North Carolina, Greensboro, NC
The American Landscape, Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

1970 The Lyrical Image, Simmone Stern Gallery, New Orleans, LA

1969 Four Views, New Jersey State Museum, Trenton, NJ
Painterly Realism, The American Federation of Arts, New York, NY

1968 The Artist as Filmmaker, The Jewish Museum, New York, NY
Pennsylvania Annual, Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, Philadelphia, PA
Realism Now, Vassar College Art Gallery, Poughkeepsie, NY

1967 The Nude Now, Allan Frumkin Gallery, New York, NY

1965 Pennsylvania Annual, Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, Philadelphia, PA

1964 The Richard Brown Baker Collection, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI

1963 Pennsylvania Annual, Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, Philadelphia, PA
Two Modern Collectors (Hilles and Baker), Yale University Art Gallery, New Haven, CT

Two Generations of American Painting, Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA


1960 Seven Young Americans, American Graphic Society, New York, NY

SELECTED PUBLIC COLLECTIONS
Aldrich Museum of Contemporary Art, Ridgefield, CT
The American Federation of Arts, New York, NY
Arkansas Arts Center, Little Rock, AR
Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL
The Baltimore Museum of Art, Baltimore, MD
Bowdoin College Museum of Art, Brunswick, ME
The Brooklyn Museum, Brooklyn, NY
The Butler Institute of American Art, Youngstown, OH
Canton Art Institute, Canton, OH
Colby College Museum of Art, Waterville, ME
The Currier Gallery of Art, Manchester, NH
Des Moines Art Center, Des Moines, IA
William A. Farnsworth Library and Art Museum, Rockland, ME
Flint Institute of Arts, DeWaters Art Center, Flint, MI
Fukuoka City, Fukuoka, Japan
The Grey Art Gallery, New York University, New York, NY
Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, DC
Kemper Museum of Contemporary Art, Kansas City, MO
Madison Art Center, Madison, WI
The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, NY
Museum of Art, Olin Arts Center, Bates College, Lewiston, ME
Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA
The Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX
Museum of Fine Arts, Springfield, MA
The Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY
The Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art, Kansas City, MO
New Jersey State Museum, Trenton, NJ
North Carolina Museum of Art, Raleigh, NC
Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, Philadelphia, PA
Philadelphia Museum of Art, Philadelphia, PA
Portland Museum of Art, Portland, ME
Rahr-West Museum, Manitowoc, WI
Rose Art Museum, Brandeis University, Waltham, MA
San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco, CA
Smith College Museum of Art, Northampton, MA
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Snite Museum of Art, Notre Dame, IN
Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, UT
The Frances Lehman Loeb Art Center, Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, NY
Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY
Yale University Art Gallery, New Haven, CT