

KAREN ARM

b. 1962

EDUCATION

- 1989 MFA, Columbia University, New York, NY
- 1985 BFA, The Cooper Union for the Advancement of Science and Art, New York, NY
- 1983 Tyler School of Art, Rome, Italy
- 1978 Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2016 Light + Heavy, P·P·O·W, New York, NY
- 2011 New Works on Paper, P·P·O·W, New York, NY
- 2008 New Works 2008, P·P·O·W, New York, NY
- 2004 New Paintings 2004, P·P·O·W, New York, NY
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- 1999 Karen Arm 1999, P·P·O·W, New York, NY
- 1998 Pierogi 2000, Brooklyn, NY

SELECT GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 Entre Centre et Absence, Loong Mah, New York, NY
- a million little pieces, VSOP Art & Design Projects, Greenport, NY
- 2021 Here, There and Everywhere: Women's Liberation And the Imagination Post Covid Lockdown, curated by Elizabeth Weiss, Foley Gallery, New York, NY
- 2020 Days Soon to Fade, P·P·O·W, New York, NY
- 2019 Divine Intervention, Christ Episcopal Church, Sag Harbor, NY
- Notebook, curated by Joanne Greenbaum, 56 Henry, New York, NY
- 2017 Only Small Paintings, Fortnight Institute, New York, NY
- 2016 Western Exhibitions, Chicago, IL
- 2014 Paper Reveries, Shirley Fiterman Art Center, Borough of Manhattan Community College, The City University of New York, New York, NY
- PIEROGI XX: Twentieth Anniversary Exhibition, Pierogi Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
- 2012 Art in Embassies Program, Embassy of the United States Rangoon, Burma
- 2005 NY Loves LV, Main Street, Las Vegas, NV
- A Very Liquid Heaven, The Tang Teaching Museum and Art Gallery, Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, NY
- 2004 200 Drawings: Selections from Pierogi, curated by Annie Heron and Barry Blinderman, University Galleries, Illinois State University, Normal, IL
- New York New York New Mexico, Annie Herron's Selection from the Pierogi
- Flat Files, Carlsbad Museum and Art Center, Carlsbad, NM
- 2003 On and Off the Wall: New York Foundation for the Arts' Painting Fellows, Phillips, de Pury & Luxembourg, New York, NY
- Brooklyn on 57th Street, Nohra Haime Gallery, New York, NY
- 2001 Collector's Choice, Exit Art, New York, NY
- Some (Are) Painting, curated by David Gibson, John Gibson Gallery, NY
- Nature Re-visited, Kenise Barnes Fine Art, Larchmont, NY
- Pixerina Witcherina, University Galleries, Illinois State University, Normal, IL; Sarah Moody Gallery of Art, AL
- 2000 Art on Paper, Weatherspoon Art Gallery, University of North Carolina at Greensboro, NC
- The Pierogi Flatfiles, Yerba Buena Center for the Arts, San Francisco, CA; Post Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- Block Artspace, Kansas City, MO
- Fluid flow, Graham Modern, New York, NY
- @ the artist's studio, P·P·O·W Gallery, New York, NY
- Eye Candy: Contemporary West and East Coast Women Painters, curated by Susan Joyce, Robert V. Fullerton Art Museum, California State University, San Bernardino, CA; Grand Central Art Center, California State University, Santa Ana, CA
- Live from New York, Haines Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- 1999 Brooklyn, New Work, curated by David Brown and Joseph Amrhein, The Contemporary Art Center, Cincinnati, OH
- Phenotypology, curated by Maureen McQuillan, Hallwalls, Buffalo, NY

- 1998 Rage for Art (Pierogi Reborn), Pierogi 2000, Brooklyn, NY
Pierogi Goes to College, Bard College, Rheinbeck, NY
Pierogi 2000, New York, The Flatfiles, Kunstlerhaus, Vienna, Austria
The Flatfiles, Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, NY
Southern Exposure, Ambrosino Gallery, Miami, FL
Wallpaper, curated by Lisa Jacobs, Nicholas Davies Gallery, New York, NY
Drawings, James Graham and Sons, New York, NY
- 1997 Art on Paper, Weatherspoon Art Gallery, The University of North Carolina at Greensboro, Greensboro, NC
Drawing Room, ARENA, Brooklyn, NY
Recurrence, Gallery Korea, New York, NY
New York Drawers: The Pierogi 2000 Flatfiles, Gasworks, London; Cornerhouse, Manchester, UK
Current Undercurrent: Working in Brooklyn, Brooklyn Museum, Brooklyn, NY
- 1996 Dots & Lines, 473 Broadway Gallery, New York, NY
Material Madness, the Workspace Gallery, New York, NY
Influenced by Nature, the Studio at Curly Willow, East Hampton, NY
The Exchange Show, ARENA, New York, NY
- 1995 The Lyrical, the Expressionist and the Poetic, curated by Michael Walls, Denise Bibro Fine Arts, New York, NY
Soul in C Minor, 450 Broadway Gallery, New York, NY
The Color of No Color, Art Initiatives, New York, NY
Natural, ARENA, Brooklyn, NY
Nature Revisited, Marymount Manhattan Gallery, New York, NY
Not For Sale, Exhibit and Benefit Auction for Laura Cottingham's "Women's Art of the Seventies," Flamingo East, New York, NY
Reconstituted Paint, curated by Seth Ferris, K&E Gallery, New York, NY
- 1994 Chamber 2, Chamber, New York, NY
- 1993 The Light from Behind, The New York Law School, Art Initiatives, New York, NY
re/SOURCE, curated by Bill Barrell and Lily Prince, First Street Gallery, Jersey City, NJ
File Pix, Tribeca 148 Gallery, New York, NY
- 1991 The Salon of the Mating Spiders, Herron Test Site, Brooklyn, NY
1 .4 Show, Tribeca 148 Gallery, New York, NY
- 1990 Low Memorial Library, Columbia University, New York, NY
- 1983 Tenderize Graphich (Graphic Trends), Temple Gallery, Rome, Italy

SELECT PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

The Arkansas Arts Center, Little Rock, AR
Collection of Rubin, Baum, Levin, Constant, and Friedman, New York, NY
Weatherspoon Art Gallery, University of North Carolina at Greensboro, NC

GRANTS AND AWARDS

2002 New York Foundation for the Arts, Award for Painting

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Garriques, Stephen. "The Abstract Galactic Paintings of Karen Arm," *Galerie Project*, May 26, 2016.
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Catalogue, Art on Paper 2000, Weatherspoon Art Gallery, University of North Carolina Greensboro, 2000.
Eye Candy: Contemporary West and East Coast Women Painters, Catalogue. Robert V. Fullerton Art Museum, California State University, 2000. Essays by Susan Joyce and Roberta Carasso, Ph.D.
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Tirado, Michelle. "Karen Arm: Paintings and Drawings," Art Papers, May/June 1998, vol. 22, issue 3, p. 50. (reproduction)
- 1997 Arning, Bill. "Brooklyn in the House," The Village Voice, August 1997.
- 1996 Gargiulo, Gerald J. "Art Byte," The Southampton Independent, August 14, 1996.
Howe, Jeff. Material Madness, exhibition catalog from the Work Space.