# **Lourdes Maria Ong**

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# **Education**

# **Grand Central Atelier / Part-time student**

May 2021- current, Ridgewood, Queens, New York

# University of Texas at San Antonio / Bachelor of Fine Arts In Art

June 2019 - December 2021, San Antonio, TX 78249

Magna Cum Laude

#### Texas Southmost College / Associate of Arts In Art

August 2015 - May 2018, Brownsville, TX 78520

Cum Laude

# **Experience**

2023 - present Gallery Assistant, Hindes Fine Art, San Antonio, TX

**2023 - present** Figure Drawing Instructor, Coppini Academy of Fine Arts and Hindes Fine Art, San Antonio, TX

2019-2023 PT Custom Framer & Sales Associate, Michael's Arts & Craft, San Antonio, TX

2021-2023 Volunteer Assistant, Coppini Kids Art Program, San Antonio, TX

2019 Graphic Designer, Ming's Thing San Antonio, TX

2019 Artist in Residence, Palette Project 2019, Scottsdale Art School, Scottsdale, AZ

**2018** Paid Internship, The Andrew W. Mellon Undergraduate Curatorial Fellowship Program and Summer Academy, Museum of Fine Arts Houston, Houston, TX

**2016** Developer and President, TSC Artisan Syndicate Art Club, Texas Southmost College, Brownsville, TX

# **Public Art**

2023 - present Africa Live! San Antonio Zoo, San Antonio, TX

2020 Ming's Thing, San Antonio, TX

**2018** CDCB: Every Step Counts, Community Development Corporation of Brownsville, Brownsville, TX

**2018** 22nd Brownsville Latin Jazz Festival, The Brownsville Society of Performing Arts, Brownsville, TX

2018 Sky Nails & Spa, Brownsville, TX

**2017** 21st Brownsville Latin Jazz Festival, The Brownsville Society of Performing Arts, Brownsville, TX

2017 Ming's Thing, San Antonio, TX

**2016** 20th Brownsville Latin Jazz Festival, The Brownsville Society of Performing Arts, Brownsville, TX

#### **Exhibitions**

2022 CAFA Annual Juried Show, Coppini Academy of Fine Arts, San Antonio, TX

**2022** SCNY 44th Annual Open Painting, Sculpture, & Graphics exhibition, Salmagundi Club, New York, NY

2021 Reconnect, BFA Fall Exhibition 2021, University of Texas at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX

- **2019** *Print It Up*, The University of Texas at San Antonio Student Print Show, Guadalupe Cultural Art Center, San Antonio, TX
- 2019 Fall Juried Members Exhibition, Coppini Academy of Fine Arts, San Antonio, TX
- 2018 Figures in Contemporary Realism Group Exhibition, B & E Art Studio, Brownsville, TX
- **2018** TSC Graduation Show, Texas Southmost College Fine Arts Gallery, Texas Southmost College, Brownsville, TX
- **2017** Grand Opening Student & Faculty Exhibition Texas Southmost College Fine Arts Gallery, Texas Southmost College, Brownsville, TX
- 2017 Single Fare 4 Metrocard Exhibition, Highline Stages, New York City, NY

# **Awards**

- **2023** Tuition-only scholarship *The Art of the Portrait Conference*, Portrait Society of America, Washington D.C.
- 2022 Best of Show, Coppini Academy of Fine Arts, San Antonio, TX
- 2020 1st Place Citywide Jerry's Artarama Art Contest, Jerry's Artarama, San Antonio, TX
- 2018 Best of Show, Juried Art Exhibition, B&E Art Studio, Brownsville, TX

# References

#### Janice Yow Hindes / Founder, Instructor, Artist

Hindes Fine Art Gallery and Art School San Antonio

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# Andrei Renteria / Independent Artist & Contracted Project Manager

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