

Portia A. Bell
Education

2005 BFA, Studio Arts – Painting, Summa Cum Laude, The University of Houston, Houston, Texas

EXHIBITIONS

2021 *ALFB LSAG Spring Show, Fort Bend Art Center, Rosenberg, Texas*
2018 *Fort Bend Art Center, Rosenberg, Texas*
2016 *Arts Fulshear Gallery, Fulshear, Texas*
2011 *Salt & Pepper Restaurant, Old Town Katy, Texas*
2010 *2010 International Exhibition, Watercolor Art Society – Houston, Texas (Juried by Frank Web), Merit Award*
2009 *Something Different, Morton Street Gallery, Richmond, Texas*
2008 *Eclectic Exhibition, Morton Street Gallery, Richmond, Texas*
Holland Street Gallery, 2nd Anniversary Celebration, Bellville, Texas
New Works, Simply Art Gallery, Galveston Texas
2008 All Member Exhibition, National Watercolor Society, Sherman Oaks, California
New Works by Portia Bell & Jean Oliver, Two Woman Exhibition, Morton Street Gallery, Richmond, Texas
Juried National Art Competition Show & Sale, Morton Street Gallery, Richmond, Texas (Juried by Pat Porcynaluk)
2007 *Winter Juried Competition, Galveston Art League, Galveston, Texas (Juried by, Beth Thomas)*
Geek Art, The Arts Alliance Center at Clear Lake, Clear Lake, Texas
Art Exhibit, Robinson Branch at the Houston Public Library, Houston, Texas
New Works, Simply Art Gallery, Galveston, Texas
2006 *Fun, Fantasy & Art, Morton Street Gallery, Richmond, Texas*
Watercolor Buffet, Bayou City Water media Artists, Morton Street Gallery, Richmond, Texas
An Odyssey of Departure, The Market, Galveston, Texas
New Works, Earthman Art Center, Galveston, Texas
2005 *Watercolor Exhibition, Arthur Turner’s Advanced Watercolor Class, The Cloister Gallery, Houston, Texas*
Juried Show, New Ulm Art Festival, New Ulm, Texas (Juror – David Hickman)
2004 *Diverse Painting Exhibition, UH Association of Student Artists, University of Houston, University Center, Houston, Texas*
Juried Show, The 3rd Annual Sculpture Garden Show, Association of Student Sculptors, University of Houston Sculpture Garden, Houston, Texas
U of H Juried Painting Show, University of Houston, CSAW Gallery, Houston, Texas (Juror Peter Precourt)
2003 *2003 Student Exhibition, University of Houston Graduate Show, Blaffer Gallery, Houston, Texas*
2000 *Watercolor Exhibition, The Arts Alliance Center at Clear Lake, Clear Lake, Texas (Juror – Sally Sprout)*

ARTICLES

2002 Kane, Kelly, ‘Watercolor Magic’, ‘A Sticky Situation’, Autumn 2002 issue of Watercolor Magic Magazine

OTHER ACTIVITIES

2018-2020 Board of Directors – Second Vice President – Programs, Art League of Fort Bend – Rosenberg, Texas
2007-2010 Board of Directors – Vice President and Educational Director, Watercolor Art Society – Houston, Texas

GALLERY REPRESENTATION

Fort Bend Art Center, Rosenberg, Texas
Wilson Street Gallery, Fulshear, Texas
Morton Street Gallery, Richmond, Texas
Simply Art Gallery, Galveston, Texas
Holland Street Gallery, Bellville, Texas
Market Street Gallery, Galveston, Texas