Bianca Pratorius was born in Cologne, Germany in 1969. She started her formal training at the Holzfachschule, Köln where she received her degree in fine furniture building and design and subsequently moved to Miami where she attended International Fine Arts College. She now lives and works in the Miami area.

#### **GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

- 2014 Marin Museum of Contemporary Art, National Juried Exhibition, juried by Catherine Clark, Novato, CA
- 2014 Affordable Art Fair London, Cancio Contemporary, June 2014, London
- 2014 New York Now!, Factory Art Gallery, NYC
- 2014 Tempus Projects, In the Form of a Painting, curated by Kurt Piazza, Clearwater, FL
- 2014 Affordable Art Fair Hong Kong, Cancio Contemporary, March 2014, Hong Kong
- 2014 Fat Village Project Space, Running Free, Fort Lauderdale, Fl curated by Luky Cancio and Bonney Goldstein
- 2013 Aqua Art Fair, Cancio Contemporary, Miami Beach, Fl
- 2013 Miami's Independent Thinkers Juried Competition, Scope Art Fair, Miami Beach, Fl
- 2013 Affordable Art Fair NYC, Cancio Contemporary, October 2013, NYC
- 2013 Audrey Love Gallery, Papering, curated by Ananda Demello, Miami, Fl
- 2013 Art and Culture Center of Hollywood Biennial, Hollywood, Fl
- 2013 Boca Raton Museum of Art, 62nd All Florida juried Competition and Exhibition, Boca Raton, Fl
- 2012 Scope Art Fair, Swenson Gallery, Booth K18, Miami, Fl
- 2012 Verge Art Fair, "Tomorrow Stars" juried exhibition, Miami Beach, Fl
- 2012 Audrey Love Gallery, If a Tree Falls, a Chain Reaction... Miami, Fl
  - juried by Carol Jazzar, curated by Ananda Demello
- 2012 Ground Arts, Forward. Rewind. Repeat, NYC, NY
- 2012 Studio 18, Wrapt Attention, Pembroke Pines, Fl
- 2012 Encaustic Works 2012, A Biennial Exhibition in Print, juried by Joanne Mattera
- 2012 Appleton Museum of Art 2012 Biennial: Florida Installation Art, Ocala, Fl
- 2012 Allyn Gallup Contemporary Art, Two Doors Down, Sarasota Fl
- 2011 Tempus Projects, Return to Sender, Tampa, Fl
- 2011 Wynwood Art Fair, Bakehouse Art Complex, Miami, Fl
- 2011 Audrey Love Gallery, Common Threads, Miami, Fl
- 2011 Graham Center Art Gallery, The Conversation Starts Here, Miami, Fl
- 2011 Audrey Love Gallery, Impressed, SOFLA Printmaking Exhibition, Miami, Fl

juried by Tom Virgin, Pavel Ouporov & Suzanne Scherer

- 2009 Allyn Gallup Contemporary Art, Sarasota, Fl
- 2007 [5] Art, Five + 5, Tampa, Fl
- 2006 C. Emerson Fine Art, Raise Up, St. Petersburg, Fl
- 2006 ADM Project Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 2005 3 person exhibition, Gulf Coast Museum of Art, Largo, Fl

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2013 Ground Arts, NYC, NY2005 Allyn Gallup Contemporary Art, Filmed Edifices, Sarasota, FI2002 Allyn Gallup Contemporary Art, Sarasota, FI

# CORPORATE COLLECTIONS

The Vue, Orlando, Fl Millenium Partners Collection on display at the Four Seasons Hotel, Miami, Fl Neiman Marcus Contemporary Art Collection on display in various locations around the country. Vitality, Health and Wellness, Miami, Fl

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## SELECTED ACCOMPLISHMENTS

2014 1st Showcase Winner with "Zen", Sculpture category, ArtSlant
2013 5th Showcase Juried Winner, Installation category, ArtSlant
2013 featured in Saatchi newsletter, "Be bold. Oversized statement works"
2013 Saatchi Online Sculpture Collection, "Object Lessons: New Sculpture",
juried by Rebecca Wilson
2013 5th Showcase Winner with "Bale", ArtSlant
2013 2nd Showcase Winner with "Hive", ArtSlant
2012 3rd Showcase Winner with "His and Hers", ArtSlant
2012 Everything is Art, juried publication
2012 Grand Prize Winner Summer Competition, Ground Arts, NYC
2012 "Artist of the Month", July 2012, www.theartlist.com
2012 Featured in "Where" guest book publication