WILLIAM SCHARF

BIOGRAPHY

1927 Born in Media, Pennsylvania2018 Died in New York, New York

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

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2018	Hollis Taggart Galleries, New York
2016	Hollis Taggart Galleries, New York
2012	Meredith Ward Fine Art, New York
2010	Meredith Ward Fine Art, New York
2009	Meredith Ward Fine Art, New York
2008	Mercury Gallery, Boston, Massachusetts
2005	Meredith Ward Fine Art, New York
2004	Richard York Gallery, New York
2002	P.S.1/MOMA, Queens, New York
2001	The Frederick R. Weisman Museum of Art, Malibu, California
2000-2001	The Phillips Collection, Washington, DC
1993	University of Michigan Museum of Art, Ann Arbor
1993	Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey
1987	The Armstrong Gallery, New York
1987	The Elizabeth Bartholet Gallery, New York
1987	Manhattanville College, Purchase, New York
1985	Saint Peter's Church, New York
1984	Mississippi Museum of Art, Jackson
1982	Mississippi Museum of Art, Jackson
1978	High Museum, Atlanta, Georgia
1977	Lerner-Heller Gallery, New York
1976	Neuberger Museum, Purchase, New York
1969	San Francisco Art Institute, California
1964	Griffin Gallery, New York
1963	Zabriskie Gallery, Provincetown, Massachusetts
1962	The American Gallery, New York
1962	David Herbert Gallery, New York
1960	David Herbert Gallery, New York
1950	Dubin Gallery, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2014	Freeman Art, New York
2005	National Academy of Design, New York
2005	Peter McPhee Fine Arts, Stone Harbor, New Jersey
2003	National Academy of Design, New York
2002	Richard York Gallery, New York
2000	Anita Shapolsky Gallery, New York
2000	Arts Student League, New York
2000	Emporia State University, Kansas

1999	Denise Bibro Gallery, New York
1998	Colgate University, Hamilton, New York
1998	Germillion Gallery, Houston, Texas
1998	Art Students League, New York
1996	Anita Shapolsky Gallery, New York
1995-96	Phillips Collection, Washington, DC
1994	David Anderson Gallery, Buffalo, New York
1993	Zimmerli Museum, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey
1992	Anita Shapolsky Gallery, New York
1991-92	National Museum of American Art (Smithsonian), Washington, DC
1991	Anita Shapolsky Gallery, New York
1991	American Academy & Institute of Arts and Letters, New York
1989	American Academy & Institute of Arts and Letters, New York
1988	National Museum of American Art (Smithsonian), Washington, DC
1982	Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York
1980	Hirschl-Adler Gallery, New York
1980	Summit Art Center, Summit, New Jersey
1979	Smith-Anderson Gallery, Palo Alto, California
1978	E. P. Gurewitsch Gallery, New York
1977	Summit Art Center, Summit, New Jersey
1976	Galerie Alexandra Monett, Brussels, Belgium
1976	Les Ateliers Du Grand Hornu Galerie D'Art, Brussels, Belgium
1974	San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco
1973	Martha Jackson Gallery, New York
1970	San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco
1963	Rose Art Museum, Brandeis University, Waltham, Massachusetts
1963	American Gallery, New York
1963	Aldrich Museum, Ridgefield, Connecticut
1963	The New Arts Gallery, Atlanta, Georgia
1962	American Gallery, New York
1962	University of Illinois Annual, Urbana
1962	The Vanderlip Gallery, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
1959	Charleston Gallery of Art, Charleston, West Virginia
1959	The National Gallery, Dublin, Ireland
1959	Reynolda House, Winston-Salem, North Carolina
1958-59	American Federation of Art (Travelling Exhibition)
1957	Avant Garde Gallery, New York
1958	MOMA, New York (European Travelling Exhibitions)
1958	The Institute of Contemporary Art, Boston, Massachusetts
1958	The Houston Museum of Contemporary Art, Houston, Texas
1958	University of Illinois Annual, Urbana
1957	Tanglewood Gallery, Stockbridge, Massachusetts
1957	Avant Garde Gallery, New York
1956	Poindexter Gallery, New York
1956	American Federation of Art (Travelling Exhibition)
1955	Poindexter Gallery, New York
1949	Dubin Gallery, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
1947-48	Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts Annuals, Philadelphia
1946	The Philadelphia Art Alliance, Pennsylvania
1946	The Philadelphia Print Club, Pennsylvania
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Hudson River Museum, Yonkers, New York

J. Patrick Lannan Museum, Venice, California

Mercer College, Mercer, Pennsylvania

Mississippi Museum of Art, Jackson

Museum of Modern Art, New York

Nassau County Museum of Fine Art, Roslyn, New York

National Museum of American Art (Smithsonian), Washington, DC

Neuberger Museum, Purchase, New York

Newark Museum, New Jersey

The Phillips Collection, Washington, DC

Rockefeller University, New York

Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey

Smith College Museum of Art, Northampton, Massachusetts

Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York

Telfair Museum, Savannah, Georgia

The High Museum of Art, Atlanta, Georgia

The Neurosciences Institute, San Diego, California

The School of Visual Arts, New York

UniDynamics Corporation, Stamford, Connecticut

University of Michigan Museum of Art, Ann Arbor

University of Northern Iowa, Cedar Falls

University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia

Warburg Pincus LLC, New York

Winston-Salem Museum of Art, North Carolina

Yale-New Haven Hospital, New Haven, Connecticut