## **BETH MUNRO**

Beth Munro's paintings, whether composed of still life, landscape, or abstract forms, focus on pattern, color and texture. Munro is inspired by everything from the impressionist works of Paul Cézanne and abstract paintings of Willem de Kooning to the Fauvist paper cut-outs of Henri Matisse, and historical quilts made by the women of Gee's Bend in Alabama. Composed of many materials such as tissue paper and woodblock prints, her paintings appear cut and layered together.





While Munro is inspired by art history as well as her surroundings, she is constantly in search of new ways to create. This combination of inspiration and innovation give her work a feeling of both familiarity and discovery. When she began her artistic journey, her focus was mainly on creating still life artworks. Although she does continue to paint in that style, her artworks have become gradually more abstract while holding on to certain formal elements of her original style. The same black and white checker-pattern that once lined the edges of dishes in a still life have now grown to defined, abstracted shapes.

Munro's palette is unique to her work and acts as a common thread as the subject matter evolves. The interaction of color, pattern, texture and form creates a harmonious rhythm.

"I hope my work conveys a mood, delights the eye, and captures the whimsical nature of life."

— Beth Munro

## **Solo Exhibitions**

2016 Southport Galleries, Southport, CT
2016 Thousand Island Arts Center, Clayton, NY
2014 Perkins Gallery, Perquot Library, Southport, CT
2012 4 North Main Gellery, Southhampton, NY
2010 Nichols School Gallery, Buffalo, NY
2008 Kenan Art Center, Lockport, NY
2002 Hoorn Ashby Gallery, New York, NY

## **Group Exhibitions**

2021 Artspace Warehouse, Los Angeles, CA 2020 Sandra Morgan Home Gallery, Greenwich, CT

2020 Southport Galleries, Southport, CT



2018	SM Home Art Gallery, Greenwich, CT
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2017	Sandra Morgan Home Gallery, Greenwich, CT
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2017	Chautauqua Center for the Visual Arts – Fowler Kellogg Art Center, Chautauqua, NY
2016	Pequot Library Juried Art Show, Southport, CT
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2013	The Drawing Room Gallery, Cos Cob, CT
2013	Chautauqua Center for the Visual Arts – Fowler Kellogg Art Center, Chautauqua, NY
2013	Pequot Library Juried Art Show, Southport, CT
2012	Art About Town, Westport, CT
2012	Art in the Windows, New Canaan
2012	Pequot Library Juried Art Show, Southport, CT
2012	Spring Open Studio Exhibition, Tri-Main Center, Buffalo, NY
2010	Chautauqua Center for the Visual Arts – Fowler Kellogg Art Center, Chautauqua, NY
2010	Hamilton Makes Art 2 – Art Capital Group, New York, NY
2009	Albright Knox Art Gallery, Collectors Gallery
2008	The Buffalo Historical Society, Buffalo, NY
2007	West End Gallery, Corning, NY
2007	Garrett Club, Buffalo, NY
2005	The Collective Gallery, Buffalo, NY
2004	The Bryant Street Studio, Buffalo, NY
2002	Emerson Gallery, Hamilton College, Clinton, NY
2000	Art Dialogue Gallery, Buffalo, NY
1998	Gloria Plevin Gallery, Chautauqua, NY
1995	Indianapolis Museum of Art Alliance Gallery, Indianapolis, IN



