REBECCA NESS

Born 1992, Salem, MA
2019 MFA, Yale School of Art
2015 BFA, Boston University
Lives and works in Brooklyn, NY

Solo exhibitions

2027 Ogunquit Museum of Art, ME [forthcoming]

2026 *Inheritance*, Morgan Presents, New York, NY

2025 *Rebecca Ness: New Work*, Ben Brown Fine Arts, London, UK

2024 *Memories of Daydreams*, Morgan Presents, New York, NY
Portraits of Place, Jessica Silverman, San Francisco, CA

2022 Art Cologne with Carl Kostyal Gallery, Cologne, Germany
Threads, Galerie Marguo x Edit Projects, Seoul, Korea
Studio Visitor, with Joel Shapiro, Morgan Presents, New York, NY

2021 *Stepping Out,* Galerie Marguo, Paris, France
Windows and Worlds, Carl Kostyal Gallery, London, UK

2020 *Pieces of Mind*, Nino Mier Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

2019 *Twice Over,* 1969 Gallery, New York, NY

2018 *Buttoned Down*, Yale Slifka Center for Jewish Life, New Haven, CT

Group exhibitions

2026 *Five Years: On Surface*, Morgan Presents, New York, NY

2025 *Fugue States*, Morgan Presents, New York, NY

2024 *Friends of the Pod*, Broadway Gallery, New York, NY

2023 *Likewise: Artists Portraying Artists*, Savannah College of Art and Design, GA
Home Run, Casa Marguo Inaugural Exhibition, Galerie Marguo, Menorca, Spain
American Portraiture: Selling the Self, Morgan Presents Gallery, New York, NY

2022 *Studio Visitor*, Morgan Presents, New York, NY
Janus, Morgan Presents, New York, NY
Reflections on Perception, Akron Art Museum, Akron, OH
do-mes-tic-i-ty, Nassima Landau, Tel Aviv, Israel
The Natural World, Alexander Berggruen Gallery, New York, NY

2021 *Mother and Child,* Friends Indeed, San Francisco, CA
36 Paintings, Harper's Books, Hamptons, NY
11, Anton Kern Gallery, New York, NY

2020 *Show Me The Signs*, Blum & Poe, Los Angeles, CA
Katherine Bradford, Hulda Guzman, Rebecca Ness, Alexander Berggruen Gallery, New York, NY

2019 *Yale MFA Painting,* New Release Gallery, New York, NY
Group show with Martin Gordopelota, Andrew Chuani Ho, Ana Benaroya, Anna Valdez, Richard Heller Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
Yale MFA Painting/Printmaking Thesis Exhibition, New Haven, CT
On The Inside, Kate Klingbeil and Rebecca Ness, Monya Rowe Gallery, New York, NY
A Little Tenderness, Gildar Gallery, Denver, CO
Personal Spaces, Danese/Corey Gallery, New York, NY
Uncanny Tales, Agency Gallery, curated by HR Curating, New York, NY
Katherine Bradford, Hulda Guzmán, Rebecca Ness, Alexander Berggruen Gallery, New York, NY

2018 *Now You See It,* 1969 Gallery, New York, NY
Words Cannot Express, Yale School of Art Second Year Show, Green Hall Gallery, New Haven, CT
Human Shape, curated by Katherine J. Kim, Readywipe Gallery, Holyoke, MA
A Few Conversations Between Women, 808 Gallery at Boston University, Boston, MA
Bodies of Work, Brilliant Champions Gallery, Brooklyn, NY

2017 *You Can Get In And Not Do Anything,* Yale MFA First Year Show, Green Hall Gallery, Yale School of Art, New Haven, CT
Garbage Necklace and Other Things, How's Howard?, Boston, MA
Reconstruir, 41 Cooper Gallery, The Cooper Union, New York, NY
Anachronism and Liberation, Tiger Strikes Asteroid, Philadelphia, PA
One Night Stand, curated by Brigitte Mulholland and Ryan Michael Ford, W Hotel and Residences, New York, NY
Boston Center for the Arts Ball, pop-up exhibition curated by Robert Moeller, Boston Center for the Arts, Boston, MA
#38, Body/Head, pop up show at Be Fluent NYC, Field Projects Gallery, New York, NY
B L O O M, Copeland Gallery, London, UK
re_vol_ting: an art show in protest, Distillery Gallery, Boston, MA
Brooklyn Lime, Bergen Street Studios, Brooklyn, NY
Queer Painting, How's Howard? Exhibitions, Boston, MA

Catalogues and Monographs

2022 *NESS.* London, Stockholm, & Milan: Carl Kostyál, 2022

Press

2026 Conklin, Lizzie. "Rebecca Ness: Inheritance at Morgan Presents, NYC." *Whitehot Magazine*. October 6, 2026.
Schiffman, Rebecca. "Rebecca Ness Stakes Her Claim to Art History." *Hyperallergic*. October 1, 2026.

2025 Harris, Sophia. "From acorns to artist." *Marblehead Weekly News.* July 2, 2025.

2024 Wilson, Emily. "On protecting what you love to do." *The Creative Independent*. July 17, 2024.
Wilson, Emily. "Life burbles with inside jokes in Rebecca Ness's jumbo paintings." *48hills*. April 4, 2024.
"Preview: The Dense Observational Eye of Rebecca Ness in 'Portraits of Place.'" *Juxtapoz*. March 5, 2024.
Miller, M.H. "Against All Odds, New York's Artist Buildings Have Survived." *The New York Times*. February 26, 2024.

2022 Zakarin, Taylor. "Rebecca Ness on Inventing Art Tools, What She's Reading Now, and Cat Fashion." *Artdrunk*. December 2022.
Summer Small, Rachel. "Critics' Picks: Rebecca Ness and Joel Shapiro." *Artforum*. March 2022.

2020 Bogojev, Sasha. "Pieces of Mind: Rebecca Ness' Detailed Stunners @ Nino Mier, Los Angeles." *Juxtapoz*. July 10, 2020.
Bogojev, Sasha. "Art In Uncertain Times: Rebecca Ness Is Looking Out Into the World." *Juxtapoz*. April 15, 2020.

2019 Bogojev, Sasha. "Rebecca Ness: The Tools of Her Trade." *Juxtapoz*. December 13, 2019.

Awards

Constantin Alajalov Scholarship, Boston University, Boston, MA
Jane Chermayeff Scholarship, The New York Studio School, New York, NY
Karin and Melvin Johnson Scholarship, The Chautauqua Institution, Chautauqua, NY
National Multiple Sclerosis Society Scholarship
Performance Scholarship, Boston University, Boston, MA
Wilhelmina Denning Jackson Scholarship for the Arts; Wilhelmina Denning Jackson Trust
Residencies, Marblehead, MA

Residencies

2016 New York Studio School Drawing Marathon with Graham Nickson

2015 The Chautauqua Institution, Residency Program, Chautauqua, NY

2014 Venice Studio Arts Program; Boston University; Venice, Italy

Public Collections

Albertina Museum, Wien, Austria
Asymmetry Art Foundation, London/Hong Kong
Benton Museum of Art at Pomona College, Claremont, CA
Dangxia Art Space, Beijing, China
Denver Art Museum, Denver, CO
Eli and Edythe Broad Art Museum, Lansing, MI
High Museum of Art, Atlanta, GA
Institute of Contemporary Art, Miami, FL
JP Morgan Chase Art Collection
K11 Art Foundation, Hong Kong
Kistefos Museum, Jevnaker, Norway
Long Museum, Shanghai, China
M Art Foundation, Shanghai, China
Moderna Museet, Stockholm, Sweden
Ogunquit Museum of American Art, ME
Orange County Museum of Art, Santa Ana, CA
Recharge Foundation, New York/Singapore
San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, CA
SCAD Museum of Art, Savannah, GA
Speed Art Museum, Louisville, KY
The Warehouse Dallas, TX
Yale University Art Gallery, New Haven, CT
Zuzeum Art Centre, Rīga, Latvia