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smallWORKS Juried Exhibition December 5, 2020 - January 3, 2021 Opening Reception: December 5, 5–7PM

Juror: Paulien Lethen

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David Munford, Landscape



Lisa Dieboll, Titmouse



Juliet Martin, Household Items Remind Me of You-Table Legs



Vivien Collens, BGYR Sampler



Cindy Zaglin, Hesitation Waltz



Michael Lavorgna, *Emily Showed* Great Strength and Independence From a Young Age Which Brought Her Much Pain and Abuse

Garrison Art Center is pleased to present *smallWORKS* 2020, a national juried biennial exhibition presenting seventy works selected from over five hundred entries. Works were not to exceed 12" in any direction. Excellence awards for best 2D and 3D work, as well as honorable mentions, will be announced at the opening reception. The exhibition will be on view in the Gillette Gallery December 5, 2020 - January 3, 2021 with an opening reception on December 5, from 5-7pm following Covid-19 protocols.

This year's esteemed juror is Paulien Lethen. Paulien is a Dutch artist and gallery owner. She opened Holland Tunnel Art Newburgh/Gallery and Studios in May of 2018 shortly after she became a resident of Newburgh, NY. Recognizing a lively local art community, she sets out to create a new place for exhibitions, performances, concerts, movie screenings and art studios. Her goal is to create a cultural venue and art center where art and people can get together. In Newburgh, Lethen feels the same exciting artistic energy of Williamsburg where she first established Holland Tunnel Gallery in 1997. The Brooklyn gallery gained recognition in the international art world and became a neighborhood icon as a microcosm of local and international talent. It enjoyed a successful run until 2007. Holland Tunnel Gallery Paros, on the island of Paros, Greece, opened in 2000 and is still an elegant space for summer concerts, poetry readings, artist talks, and art classes.

The artists selected for this year's *smallWORKS* exhibition are as follows:

Lori Adams, Kathleen Anderson, Sarah Balcombe, Ayako Bando, Mary Bates, Henri-Simon Blanc-Hoang, Debbie Broshi, Joel Brown, Jill Skupin Burkholder, Vivien Collens, Marcia Cooper, Darron Copeland, John Cox, Ivy Dachman, Shari Diamond, Lisa Diebboll, Alejandro Dron, Katharine Dufault, Mary Ellis, Alaina Enslen, Teri Figliuzzi, Ashley Garrett, Ruth Geneslaw, Lauren Hall, Jenny Hellman, Barbara Hertzfeld, Lynda Karanikolas, Irene Karlen, Polly King, Sharon Kullberg, Carole Kunstadt, Lisa Lackey, Michael Lavorgna, Glen Lieberman, Paul Marcellino, Jennifer Markovitz, Juliet Martin, Laura Martinez-Bianco, Mary McGuire, Judy Mensch, Tony Moore, David Munford, Thomas Munterich, Chantelle Norton, Sheilah Rechtschaffer, Steve Rossi, Barbara Rubensohn, Philippe Safire, Amy Schnintzer, Annie Shavere-Crandell, Maggie Small, Barbara Smith Gioia, Kari Smith, Annette Louise Solakoglu, SJ Sugarman, Holly Summer, Lita Thorne, Stuart Vance, Emily Vines, Michael Washburn, Anna West, Candace Winter, Kathy Yacoe, Rieko Yashiro, Cindy Zaglin, Judy Zehentner

On exhibit in the Balter Gallery, running concurrent with smallWORKS is a photography installation, *New Americans*, by Jill Enfield. Both exhibitions will be on view from December 5, 2020 - January 3, 2021.

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to 5pm. For more information about exhibitions and other programs please visit our website www.garrisonartcenter.org or call 845.424.3960

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