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I cut away to reveal. I recreate what exists. I engage memory.

solo shows

- 2015 *Wishing Tree: Photos of Southeastern Turkey*, Hyde Park Library, Hyde Park, MA
- 2014 *In the Rhythm of Time: Southeast Anatolia*, Boston Turkish Festival, Howard Thurman Center, Boston University
- 2013 *Souvenir de Constantinople*, Bean & Cream, Hyde Park, MA
In the Ottoman Garden, Hess Gallery, Pine Manor College, Chestnut Hill, MA
- 2010 *Portrait of Turkey: Moments*, The Capital City Building, Columbia, SC
- 2009 *Istanbul, Life in Color*, Boston Turkish Festival, The Howard Thurman Center, Boston University
Istanbul, A Living Palimpsest, Hyde Park Bank, Brookline, MA
- 2005 *ephEmera*, GASP Gallery, Brookline, MA

selected group shows

- 2018 *Echoes*, Galatea Fine Art, Boston, MA
- 2017 *National Prize Show*, Cambridge, MA (Juried)
- 2016 *RED*, Kathryn Schultz Gallery, Cambridge, MA (Juried)
Out of Order, South Shore Art Center, Cohasset, MA (Juried)
Healing Fibers, Sprinkler Factory, Worcester, MA
Text. Image. | Image. Text., SHKeith Gallery, Curry College, Milton, MA
Danforth Art Annual Exhibition, Framingham, MA (Juried)
Con|TEXT, South Shore Art Center, Cohasset, MA (Juried)
Art Speaks Truth to Power, Mass Ave Gallery, Cambridge, MA
al-Mutanabbi Street Starts Here, An International Exhibition of Artists' Books
Basile Gallery, Heron School of Art, IUPUI, Indianapolis, IN
George Mason University, Fairfax, VA
- 2015 *Beyond the Book*, Boston Public Library, Faneuil Branch, Brighton, MA
Off the Wall, Danforth Art, Framingham, MA (Juried)
Small Works Salon 2015: Word + Image, Chandler Gallery, Cambridge, MA (Juried)
Photography Now, University Place Gallery, Cambridge, MA (Juried)
- 2014 *Phantasmagoria*, York Art Association, York, ME (Juried)
Hyde Park Main Streets Banner Project, Hyde Park, MA (Juried)
Community of Artists' Show, Danforth Art, Framingham, MA (Juried)
al-Mutanabbi Street Starts Here, An International Exhibition of Artists' Books
American University in Cairo, Cairo, Egypt
Eliot D. Pratt Library, Goddard College, VT
Central Library of Rochester and Monroe Counties, Rochester, NY
- 2013 *The New York Art Book Fair*, MoMA PS1, Long Island City, NY
Discovering Unity, Gallery Park Art, Istanbul, Turkey
Off the Wall, Danforth Art, Framingham, MA (Juried)
al-Mutanabbi Street Starts Here, An International Exhibition of Artists' Book
SHKeith Gallery, Curry College, Milton, MA
Center for Book Arts, New York City, NY
John Rylands Library, Manchester, England
Cambridge Arts Council, Cambridge, MA

- San Francisco Center for the Book, San Francisco, CA
- 2012 *Pattern and Embellishment*, Drive-By, Watertown, MA
Off the Wall, Danforth Art, Framingham, MA (Juried)
Coaster Project, Destination: The World, BIG on Bloor Festival, Toronto, ON
Growth, 14th Annual Fidelity Juried Exhibition, Providence Art Club, Providence, RI
National Juried Show, NK Gallery, Boston, MA
- 2011 *The Abstract Show*, York Art Association, York, ME (Juried)
ARTcetera, AIDS Benefit, Park Plaza Castle, Boston, MA
Community of Artists' Show, Danforth Art, Framingham, MA (Juried)
- 2010 *Everything but Paper Prayers*, AIDS Benefit, Barbara Krakow Gallery, Boston, MA
Off the Wall, Danforth Art, Framingham, MA (Juried)
Temporal Identities, NK Gallery, Boston, MA
Winter Wonderland, The Beehive, Boston, MA
- 2009 *Everything but Paper Prayers*, AIDS Benefit, Barbara Krakow Gallery, Boston, MA
RED, University Place Gallery, Cambridge, MA (Juried)
International Paperworks Winners' Show, bj spoke gallery, Huntington, NY (Juried)
Off the Wall, Danforth Art, Framingham, MA (Juried)
Northeast Prize Show, University Place Gallery, Cambridge, MA (Juried)
Add and Subtract, Gallery Kayafas, Boston, MA
- 2008 *Blue*, Kathryn Schultz Gallery, Cambridge, MA (Juried)
Why Not?!, Housatonic Museum of Art, Bridgeport, CT (Juried)
A Woman's Place, Bromfield Gallery, Boston, MA
Empowered by Artistry, Sewall-Belmont House and Museum, Washington, DC
Community of Artists' Show, Danforth Art, Framingham, MA (Juried)
Northeast Prize Show, University Place Gallery, Cambridge, MA (Juried)
TreasurePostcards '08, Art4Development, Benefit for Women's Shelters in the US
and Turkey, Ninth Street Gallery, Washington, DC
Salon Seven, Small Works on Paper, sevangaits project space, Southbridge, MA
- 2007 *Everything but Paper Prayers*, AIDS Benefit, Barbara Krakow Gallery, Boston, MA
Proof of Purchase 2, RHYS Gallery, Boston, MA
Fifth Year Exhibition, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston
- 2006 *The Boston Open Studios Coalition 12th Anniversary*, Boston City Hall, Boston, MA
Open Call / Size Matters, RHYS Gallery, Boston, MA (Juried)
Student Annual, Grossman Gallery, Boston, MA (Juried)
- 2005 *RED*, University Place Gallery, Cambridge, MA (Juried)
Painting Workshop, Spannocchia, Tuscany, Italy
Student Annual, Grossman Gallery, Boston, MA (Juried)

commissions

30Edesign, Jamaica Plain, MA
 Boston Turkish Film Festival
 Coolidge Corner Theatre, Brookline, MA
 Eastern Turkey Tours, Van, Turkey
 St. Mary of the Assumption School, Brookline, MA
 Youth Sports Tournament, Orange Walk Town, Belize

collections

EBARA Fluid Handling
 Fidelity Investments

collaborations

Architectural Competitions (with SAS/Design, Brookline)
 Children's Trust Fund, *Voices for Children Gala and Auction*, Boston, MA (with L. Karp)
 Young Israel of Brookline, MA (with L. Karp and C. Vespermann)

related work

- 2000-present *uniquely lara*, free-lance consulting for home and landscape design
2011-2013 Coordinator, Hyde Park Open Studios, Boston, MA
2006-2008 Teaching Assistant, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston
2005-2006 Gallery Assistant, Genovese / Sullivan Gallery, Boston, MA

education

- 2007 Fifth Year Certificate, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston
2006 Diploma, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston
1994 PhD (ABD), Classical Archaeology, Indiana University
1986 MA, Classical Archaeology, Indiana University
1983 AB, Classical Civilizations, Special Honors, The University of Chicago

honors

- 2015 3rd in Show, *Small Works Salon 2015*, Chandler Gallery, Cambridge, MA
2012 Grant from The Lofts at Westinghouse Arts Fund
2011 Honorable Mention, *The Abstract Show*, York Art Association, York, ME
2010 Honorable Mention, *Off the Wall*, Danforth Art, Framingham, MA
2009 3rd in Show, *Off the Wall*, Danforth Art, Framingham, MA
2005 Stella and Sumner Cooper Award, SMFA, Boston

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Big, RED and Shiny, "On the Town: MASSArt and GASP," Issue #25, July 2005