

### OIL PAINTERS OF AMERICA

2021 National Salon Show | June 10 through August 7

# AT THE QUINLAN VISUAL ARTS CENTER











#### PRIYA AHLAWAT

Priya Ahlawat is a Signature Member of the National Oil and Acrylic Painters' Society (NOAPS), Signature Member of the Women Artists of the West (WAOW), Associate Member with Distinction of the American Women Artists (AWA) as well as a juried member of several other national art organizations such as the Oil Painters of America (OPA).

Priya has lived and studied in the United States, Asia and Europe and holds multiple degrees in Dentistry and Orthodontics from renowned American and international Universities. She has studied with many carefully selected internationally and nationally acclaimed artists including Daud Akhriev and Kim English. Her quest for knowledge, love of reading and extensive travels through Europe, North America and Asia since a young age provide a well-grounded foundation from which her artworks are inspired and created.

Priya's award-winning paintings have been selected to exhibit in several national, international and regional juried art exhibitions, as well as gallery shows. She has been on the Board of Directors of the National Oil and Acrylic Painters' Society (NOAPS) and has served as a juror for national and regional juried art exhibitions. Her paintings are in private collections world-wide.

### **Awards and Juried Exhibitions:**

- Juried into the Oil Painters of America (OPA) 2021 National Juried Exhibition of Traditional Oils at the Escondido Museum in Escondido, California
- Juried into the Oil Painters of America (OPA) 2021 National Juried Salon Show of Traditional Oils
- Juried into the National Oil and Acrylic Painters' Society (NOAPS) 2021 'Best of America' Small Paintings National Exhibition
- Juried into the American Impressionist Society (AIS) 2021 Online Juried Exhibition
- Juried into the Women Artists of the West (WAOW) 2021 National Exhibition at the Museum of Western Art in Kerrville, Texas
- Juried into the American Women Artists (AWA) 2021 Online Juried Exhibition
- Two paintings selected as Finalists in the 14th International Art Renewal Center (ARC) Salon Competition
- Best Signature/Master Award in the National Oil and Acrylic Painters' Society (NOAPS) 2020 'Best of America' Small Paintings National Exhibition
- Juried into the Oil Painters of America (OPA) 2020 National Salon Exhibition of Traditional Oils
- Juried into the National Oil and Acrylic Painters' Society (NOAPS) 2020 'Best of America' National

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#### Exhibition

- Juried into the Oil Painters of America (OPA) 2020 Eastern Regional Exhibition of Traditional Oils
- Juried into the American Impressionist Society (AIS) 2020 Online National Exhibition
- Juried into the National Oil and Acrylic Painters' Society (NOAPS) 2020 Online International Spring Exhibition
- Honorable Mention Award in the Women Artists of the West (WAOW) 2020 Online Exhibition
- Juried into the National Oil and Acrylic Painters' Society (NOAPS) 2019 'Best of America' National Exhibition
- Juried into the Women Artists of the West (WAOW) 2019 National Exhibition
- Juried into the National Oil and Acrylic Painters' Society (NOAPS) 2019 'Best of America' Small Paintings National Exhibition
- Award of Merit in the National Oil and Acrylic Painters' Society (NOAPS) 2018 Online International Spring Exhibition
- Honorable Mention Award in the Women Artists of the West (WAOW) 2018 Online Exhibition
- Juried into the National Oil and Acrylic Painters' Society (NOAPS) 2018 'Best of America' Small Paintings National Exhibition
- Juried into the National Oil and Acrylic Painters' Society (NOAPS) 2018 Online International Fall Exhibition
- BoldBrush Regram Winner in August 2018
- Juried into the National Oil and Acrylic Painters' Society (NOAPS) 2017 'Best of America' National Exhibition
- Juried into the National Oil and Acrylic Painters' Society (NOAPS) 2017 Holiday Small Works Master/ Signature and All Member Exhibition
- Finalists two paintings, in the 'Laumeister Fine Art Competition' 2017 Exhibition at The Bennington Center for the Arts in Vermont
- Finalists two paintings, in the 'American Artists Abroad' 2017 Exhibition at The Bennington Center for the Arts in Vermont
- Juried into the Associated Artists of Pittsburgh's 2017 Electric Kool-Aid Exhibition at the Brew House in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
- Juried into the Associated Artists of Pittsburgh's 2017 Just Say'n Exhibition at Bottle Works Arts Center in Johnstown, Pennsylvania
- Finalist, American Women Artists (AWA) 2016 National Juried Exhibition
- Juried into The National Oil and Acrylic Painters' Society (NOAPS) 2016 Online International Fall



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- Finalist, American Women Artists (AWA) 2016 Online Juried Show
- Selected as part of Jury's FAV 15% in the BoldBrush Painting Competition (numerous times)
- Exhibition of paintings at Fairmont Hotel in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania (numerous times)
- Castle Gallery Fine Art Gallery's 2017 Holidays Show in Fort Wayne, Indiana
- Exhibition of paintings at Christine Frechard Art Gallery's 2019 Holidays Exhibition in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

### **Professional Affiliations:**

- National Oil and Acrylic Painters' Society (NOAPS) Signature Member and Past Member of the Board of Directors
- Women Artists of the West (WAOW) Signature Member
- American Women Artists (AWA) Associate Member with Distinction
- Oil Painters of America (OPA) Associate Member
- American Impressionist Society (AIS) Associate Member
- Associated Artists of Pittsburgh (AAP) Juror for 2018 New Member Screening