

LEWANDA B. MELENDEZ LIM

Curriculum Vitae

Born 1944, Mindanao, Philippines
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EXPERIENCE

A multifaceted artist and published poet with over 50 years of creating paintings, prints, fiber art/textiles and written prose. Lewanda has shown her work in several states in the United States and the Philippines. She is published in four books.

Website: www.lewandalim.com and mgakwento.com

EDUCATION

1966 Bachelor of Fine Arts, University of the Philippines, Quezon City, Philippines

1992 Master of Studio Arts, State University of New York, Albany, New York

MEMBERSHIPS

Artists Archives of Western Reserve, Cleveland, OH

Society of Philippine American Artists, NYC, NY

Philippine American Writers and Artist Inc, San Francisco, CA

EXHIBITIONS

2023 Fibers of Concern, ArtHaus Gallery, Allston, MA

2022 National Prize Show, Kathryn Schutlz Gallery, Cambridge, MA

2021 Teaching Children About Racial Justice. Group Show. Unbound Visual Arts. Brighton, MA

2020 Artists Archives of Western Reserve, Cleveland, OH

2019 I'm New Here: Perspectives on Migration. Group Show. Shaira Ali Gallery, Arlington, MA

2018 Working Conditions. Group Show. Asian Art Initiative, Philadelphia, PA

2017 TELLING OUR STORY. Solo Show. Columbus State Community College

2015 INTERSECTION, Group Show. Cultural Arts Center, Columbus, OH

2014 March, "Amazing F". Erewhon Center for the Arts, Quezon City, Philippines

2013 Walong Filipina. Liongoren Gallery, Quezon City, Philippines

2011 "Filipina Artists in Diaspora", UP, University Theater, Quezon City, Philippines.

2010 October 5-14, "Palengke" The Philippine Center, New York, NY

2010 SPPA Group Show, The Philippine Center, New York, NY

2009 SPPA Displacement and Homing, Les Malamut Gallery, NJ

2009 SPPA Group Show, The Philippine Center, New York, NY

2008 Beyond the Barrelman, Chicago, IL

2008 "Palengke" La Herba Buena, Dublin, OH

2007 "Driven to Abstraction" First UU Church of Columbus, Columbus, OH

2006 First Unitarian-Universalist Church of Columbus, Columbus, OH

2006 Columbus Metropolitan Library, Columbus, OH

2006 West Gallery at the Artwalk, Mandaluyong City, Philippines

2005 Cambridge Artisans Cooperative, Cambridge, MA

2001 A' Bella Gallery, Berea, OH, Group Show

2000 Cendrillon, Manhattan, NY, *Random Ruminations*

2000 Mustard Seed, Fairlawn, OH, *Fabrications*

1997 Cendrillon, Manhattan, NY, *Telling Our Story*

1995 Crandall Library Gallery, Glens Falls, NY, *One-Woman Print Show*

1995 University Art Museum, SUNY Albany, NY, *Graduate Student Show*

1994 Philippine Embassy Center Gallery, Manhattan, NY, *Nostalgia*

1994 Hoopes House, Glens Falls, NY, Group Show

1992 University Gallery, Albany, NY, Group Show

1985 Unitarian -Universalist House, Pittsfield, MA, One-Woman Show

1974 UP Fine Arts Faculty Show, University of the Philippines

PUBLISHED WORK

Kintanar, T. Filipina Artists in Diaspora,. University of the Philippines Center for Women's Studies: Anvil Publishing (2011). pp: ISBN-10: 9712725561

Lozada, Edwin A. Field of Mirrors. A new anthology of Philippine American Writers. Philippine American Writers and Artists Inc:San Francisco, CA. (2008) pp: ISBN-10: 0976331632

Cerenio, V & Villanueva, M. GOING HOME TO A LANDSCAPE: WRITINGS BY FILIPINAS. Calyx Books. (2003) pp: ISBN-10: 0934971846

Blanchard, M. FROM THE LISTENING PLACE; LANGUAGES OF INTUITION. Astarte Shell Press. (1997) pp: ISBN-10: 188534905X

FILM

2007 Contributing artist: [Tea & Justice](#)

2015 Featured Artist: PBS: Broad and High. Aired: 05/06/2015. Season 2, Ep34

TEACHING/SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

2017 Artist's Talk, "Telling Our Story". Columbus State Community College

2014 Artist's Talk, "Telling Our Story". Filipino American National Historical Society-Midwest Chapter Conference, Chicago, IL

2008 Book Reading and Signing: Field of Mirrors(2008). Philippine American Writers and Artists, Inc.

1966-75 Faculty member of the College of Fine Arts, University of the Philippines-Diliman. Instructor of Art History

SELECTED REVIEWS/ ARTICLES

Fiber Now Magazine, Fall 2022, "Climate Change Effects Everyone"

Yates, C.A, "Artist captures heritage of Philippines through paintings, abstract textile works". *The Columbus Dispatch*, 24 April 2015.

"Intersection" art exhibit in Ohio to feature works of Fil-Am artist "Lewanda Lim". *The Filipino Express*. April 3, 2015. pp27.

De la Cruz,R. "Lewanda Lim's Socially Conscious Art". *Positively Filipino*. 23 November 2015

Cajipe-Endaya, I. "Arts and Culture: Overseas". *The Philippine Star* - May 27, 2013

"Walong Filipina" at Liongoren. *Philippine Daily Inquirer*, 6 May 2013

Lagrama, E. "Lewanda Lim, former CFA faculty, donates to UP Library" *UP Library Bulletin*. 30 April 2012

De la Cruz,R. "Capturing the Filipino Soul" *Filipinas Magazine* March 2008 pp:56

Constantino, Tejero. "Her Painterly Fabrications". *Philippine Inquirer*. Jan 2006

Sicat, Mare. "Nostalgia for the Philippines" *Headline Philippines* July 1994