



Alexandra Spyratos

Alexandra Spyratos was born in Kenya where she lived most of her life surrounded by the exotic beauty and wilderness of Africa. Now based in Byron Bay, Australia, Alexandra has made that tranquil corner of the world her base, painting in her studio there for exhibitions worldwide.

Influenced by her colourful background, translating the heat and the exotic beauty of the African wildlife to canvas has become Spyratos' passion and spiritual goal. This prolific artist has become known for her colorful, bold and individual style. Her paintings rich and heavily layered with fluorescent paint and thick oils, recreate the physicality of the wild that inspires her.

Her artistic presentation of the elephant, ostrich, flamingo, giraffe and predominantly the regal zebra, swirls about and leaps to her palette in representational form. One views the regality of figure, the splendour and passion of the zebra, rearing off into a universal abstraction that searches through shape and form for manifestation of beauty, movement, heat and desire.

Her medium now sees a new direction from fluorescence into the elegance and glamour of gold and silver leaf. This adds a fresh and energetic dimension to her art, the shine and shimmer reflective of the heat of the artists Savannah homelands.

With twenty-two solo shows behind her Alexandra has become known for her contemporary decorative style, uniquely her own. Between frequent visits to her homeland of Kenya to recapture the essence of the wildlife, the artist travels the world with her vibrant paintings showing her work internationally in New York, Miami, Milan, Sydney, Kenya, and Hong Kong.

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2007

- Malindi, Kenya
- The Cat Street Gallery, Hong Kong
- Reed Savage Gallery, Coral Gables, Miami

2006

- Cape Gallery, Byron Bay, Australia Malindi Casino, 2007. Malindi, Kenya
- Art Fusion Gallery, Design District, Miami
- Agora gallery, Chelsea, New York

2005

- Rushcutter's Bay Gallery, Sydney
- Art Collection's Gallery, Surfer's Paradise



2004
- Rushcutters Bay Gallery, Sydney
- Peponi, Lamu Island, Kenya
- July - August: Liverpool Academy of Art
- June: Atkinson Library and Exhibition Centre, Southport

2003
- Rushcutters Bay Gallery, Sydney

2001
- Malindi Casino, Malindi, Kenya

2000
- Galleria Biciclette, Milan, Italy

1999
- Compagnia Generale dei Viaggiatori Naviganti
e Sognatori, Milan, Italy
- Alliance Francais, Kampala, Uganda

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e Sognatori, Milan, Italy

1996
- Sulieman Gallery, Malindi, Kenya

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- Soho Gallery, Sydney

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- Matbronze Gallery, Nairobi, Kenya

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- Mimdams, Malindi, Kenya

1990
- Kips, Byron Bay, Australia

1989
- Alliance Francais Sydney

1988
- James Craig, Sydney

1984
- Atinee Art Gallery, Queensland

1982
- Seal Gallery, Melbourne



JOINT EXHIBITIONS

2006

- Art Fusion gallery , Miami

2005

- Rushcutters Bay Gallery, Sydney

- Art Collections Gallery, Surfers paradise

- Affordable Art Show, Melbourne

2004

- Art Collections Gallery, Surfers Paradise

2002

- Art Collections Gallery, Surfers Paradise

1984

- Queensland National Gallery, Townsville