# SASHA-LORIENE MCCLAIN

### **BIOGRAPHY**

Currently based in Baltimore, MD

1990 Washington, DC, USA

#### **SELECT GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

2023	be)longing: Fourth Annual See Support Collect Initiative, Latela Curatorial – Online

(Not) Strictly Painting, McLean Project for the Arts - McLean, VA

BLACKOUT Exhibition, The Holy Art Gallery - London, UK and Online

2022 Body Autonomy: Third Annual See Support Collect Initiative, Latela Curatorial – Artsy (Online)

HONOR: Celebrating Women's Art, Banneker-Douglass Museum – Annapolis, MD

WHAT NOW? Exhibition, Heath Gallery and Fable Jones Studios - Online

2021 HONOR Exhibit: A Cultural Exhange, Art Farm Studios – Annapolis, MD

2020/2019 Mind | Body | Soul | Exhibition, Joan Hisaoka Healing Arts Gallery - Washington, DC

2017 The Collection Exhibition, Congress Heights Arts and Culture Center – Washington, DC

2016 The Awakening: Multimedia Arts Experience, The Sanctuaries DC – Washington, DC

2015 Open Regional Juried Exhibition, Hill Center Galleries – Washington, DC

2014 The 8th 100 Artists Exhibition: "YES," Ouchi Gallery – Brooklyn, NY

#### **AWARDS, RESIDENCIES & FELLOWSHIPS**

2023 Photo Trouvée Magazine, Fall 2023 Artist-in-Residence – Virtual (Online)

Baltimore Office of Promotion and The Arts Free Fall Baltimore Grant, Grant Recipient – Baltimore, MD

Royal Kingdom, Artist-in-Residence – Baltimore, MD

Maryland State Arts Council Creativity Grant, Grant Recipient – Baltimore, MD

StudioHouse, Artist-in-Residence – Baltimore, MD

2021 iFundWomen x Caress Dreams to Reality Fund Program, Grant Recipient – Online

## **PUBLIC ART INSTALLATIONS & COMMISSIONS**

2022	Vital Voice's Global Headquarters for Women's Leadership Grand Opening – Washington, DC
2021	TEAL: To Evolve And Liberate, Arts in Color Curatorial and Gallery – Washington, DC
2019	Prince George's County Family Justice Center's "Hope" Mural – Upper Marlboro, MD
2018	Smile Portraits Studio's Mural – Columbia, MD
	TGL Crew's "BLACK GIRLS WHO PAINT" Mural – Los Angeles, CA

### **INDEPENDANT CURATION & PUBLIC TALKS**

2023	Mahyue Studios' Community Gathering and Collage Workshop Series, Instructor – Baltimore, MD
2022	New Visionary Magazine's Issue #5, Guest Curator – Print & Online
	Women United's Art Magazine's Issue #1, Guest Curator – Print & Online
	Black Girls Who Paint's Artist Lookbook Volume 1: Inspired By Her, Art Director and Curator – Print
2021	Black Girls Who Paint's Femininity Defined Exhibition, Curator – Online
	Create Magazine's Print Issue #26, Guest Curator – Print
	Royal Talens Creator's Studio, Guest Speaker – Online
	Women United Art Prize, Guest Curator – Online

## **SELECT PRESS & BIBLIOGRAPHY**

2022	Painting a New Landscape: Alum's Organization Brings Together Women Artists of Color, by Sala Levin of University of
	Maryland: Maryland Today
2021	A Closer Look at 6 Artists from The Iconic Home, by Alia Akkam of Architectural Digest

<u>Locally Based Black Girls Who Paint Connects and Uplifts Its Artists</u>, by Shantay Robinson of Washington City Paper

Where Are The Black Women Artists At?, by Yvonne Bynoe of Black Art In America

<u>Black Girls Who Paint' Platform Aims to Normalize Black Women in the Global Arts Market</u>, by Lillie Mae of Sheen Magazine