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Rebecca Rothey studied photography under Geoff Delanoy while working towards her undergraduate degree in philosophy at the University of Notre Dame, Maryland. She was an adult, part-time student and photography allowed her a much needed creative respite from the pressures of work and school. She learned photography by developing film and making gelatin silver prints using traditional darkroom techniques.

She has continued making images since her graduation in 2007, now working solely with digitally captured and processed images. Her images are inspired by traditional French and American street photography as well as by other mid-20<sup>th</sup> Century photographers and genres. Attending Peter Turnley's Street Photography workshop in 2006 and several Vision Quest workshops with Doug Beasley also influenced her image making approach.

Rothey's mother was an illustrator and watercolorist and her first artistic influence. Rothey returned to drawing and painting, enjoyed throughout her school years, in 2020. She is currently studying watercolor with Eric Wiegardt and Zina Polisuk. *Hiram Rock* was selected for inclusion in the Rhode Island Watercolor Society "2024 National Watermedia Show" and *Truchas Vista* in the Baltimore Watercolor Society's 2024 Mid Atlantic Exhibition. In addition to painting, Rothey serves as the cartoonist for the professional journal *Planned Giving Today*.

## Photography

### Awards:

- 2024 *Men Moving Mirror*, Best in Show, "Fleeting Moments" Athenaeum, Alexandria, VA
- 2023 *Tai Chi in the City*, Honorable Mention, "Street Scenes" Maryland Federation of Art, Annapolis, MD
- 2021 *Men Moving Mirror*, Second Place, "Street Scene 2020" *Digital Photography Magazine*
- 2021 *Jim in Waldorf*, Honorable Mention, "The Portrait" Praxis Gallery, Minneapolis, MD
- 2019 *Men Moving Mirror*, Honorable Mention "Let Us Inspire You! Photo Contest" Photography Workshops, Santa Barbara, CA
- 2019 *Woman in Steam*, Honorable Mention, "Women at Work" PhotoPlace Gallery, Middlebury, VT
- 2013 *Comfy in Their Skin*, Honorable Mention, "Chair", A. Smith Gallery, Johnson City, TX
- 2011 *Comfy in Their Skin*, Honorable Mention, Women in Photography International, Inactive Website
- 2011 *Parisian with Poodle*, Gold Medal, Worldwide Photography Gala Awards Portraits and People, York, England
- 2008 *Flower Mart Joy and Old Friends*, Honorable Mention, Celebration of Life Photography Contest, Louisville, KY
- 2006 *Parisian With Poodle*, Honorable Mention, IPA Lucie Awards

### Baltimore Camera Club Awards:

- 2015 *Old World Chinese Couple*, Best Image of the Year
- 2015 *Two Mule Power*, Second Place, Intermediate Digital
- 2012 *Comfy in Their Skin*, Best Image of the Year
- 2011 *Snowy Munich Moment*, Third Place, Novice Monochrome Print
- 2009 *Men Moving Mirror*, Best Monochrome Image of the Year
- 2009 *Morning Meditation*, Third Place, Novice Digital

### Solo Exhibitions:

- 2015 "Art Outside", Juried Art Festival, Baltimore, MD

- 2015 Laughing Pint, Baltimore, MD
- 2014 Fairhaven Retirement Community, Sykesville, MD
- 2012 Mother-Daughter Reflections, With Paintings By Rothery's Mother, Ginny Baier, Columbia Foundation, Columbia, MD
- 2010 Laughing Pint, Baltimore, MD
- 2008 An Die Musik, Baltimore, MD

Publications:

- 2022 *Noose Berries*, Myth and Mystery Issue, *Shots Magazine*
- 2021 Featured portfolio in November issue of *Lens Magazine*, B&W Portraits
- 2021 Feature Interview With Images, [\*Digital Photography Magazine\*](#)
- 2021 *My Husband My Muse*, "Celestial Bodies", *Shots Magazine*
- 2020 *Comfy in Their Skin*, *Men Moving Mirror*, *Parisian With Poodle*, Portfolio Issue, *Shots Magazine*
- 2015 *One Step at a Time*, *A Portfolio of Images*, *Still Point Arts Quarterly*
- 2014 *One Step at a Time*, *A Portfolio of Images*, *F11 Magazine*
- 2014 *Comfy in Their Skin*, Reader's Gallery, *B+W Photography*
- 2012 *Snowy Munich Moment*, Merit Award, *B&W Special Issue*
- 2011 *Parisian With Poodle*, Honorable Mention, *The Photo Review*
- 2008 *Men Moving Mirror*, Merit Award, *B&W Annual Special Issue*
- 2007 *Men Moving Mirror*, Honorable Mention, *Photographer's Forum Magazine*
- 2005 *Floating Leaves*, Merit Award, *B&W Annual 2005*
- 2001 *Tulips*, Fourth Place, *AAA Midatlantic Magazine*

Group Exhibitions:

- 2024 "Fleeting Moments" Athenaeum, Alexandria, VA
- 2022 "Tell Me a Story" Atlanta Photography Group, Atlanta, GA Image featured on exhibition postcard
- 2021 "Femalia" Praxis Photo Arts Center, Minneapolis, MD
- 2020 "Real People" Old CourtHouse Arts Center, Chicago, IL
- 2020 "Sixth Annual Juried Show" Davis Orton Gallery, Hudson, NY
- 2019 "Portraits" LH Horton Jr. Gallery, San Joaquin Delta College, Stockton, CA
- 2017 & 2014 "Chiaroscuro" "Love" "In The Moment" "Hue" Darkroom Gallery, Essex Jct., VT
- 2015 "Black and White" Brooklyn Waterfront Artists Coalition, Brooklyn, NY
- 2015 & 2010 "Direct Objects: Still Life as Subject" "Portraiture, Expression and Gesture" PhotoPlace Gallery, Middlebury, VT
- 2014 & 2010, 2011 "Food: From Hunger to Plenty" "National/International" "4th Anniversary Exhibition" Towson Arts Collective, Towson, MD
- 2014 "Poetic Visions" Baltimore Gallery, Baltimore, MD
- 2014 "Significant Details" Northern Virginia Community College, Annandale, VA
- 2014 "True Grit" Full Circle Gallery, Baltimore, MD
- 2013 & 2009 "Biggs Shot III" "Biggs Shot" Biggs Museum of American Art, Dover, DE
- 2013 & 2012, 2011 "Faces" "Winter" "Romance", A. Smith Gallery, Johnson City, TX
- 2011 Exhibition Featuring Three Artists, Towson Art Gallery, Towson, MD
- 2011 "Focal Point" Maryland Federation of Art, Annapolis, MD
- 2008 Photography Alumnae Invitational College of Notre Dame of Maryland, Baltimore, MD

Collections:

*Parisian With Poodle*, District of Columbia, Artwork for Public Spaces  
Private collections

## Watercolors

### Juried Group Exhibitions:

- 2024 Faded Gladiolus, The Salmagundi Club, NY 15th Annual Sylvia Maria Glesmann: floral exhibition
- 2024 *Truchas Vista*, Baltimore Watercolor Society 2024 Mid Atlantic Annual Exhibition
- 2024 *Afternoon Nap*, Rhode Island Watercolor Society, "Simply Watercolor"
- 2024 *Dennis Beach Goers*, Rhode Island Watercolor Society "On the Coast" online exhibition
- 2024 *Rainbow*, Rhode Island Watercolor Society "Small Works 2024"
- 2024 *Beach Conversation*, Washington County Museum of Fine Arts "Cumberland Valley Artists"
- 2024 *Hiram Rock*, Rhode Island Watercolor Society "2024 National Watermedia Show"
- 2024 *The Calligrapher*, Rhode Island Watercolor Society "Zooming In"
- 2023 *Sunflowers*, Rhode Island Watercolor Society "Blooms"
- 2023 *Creeping Thyme*, Wiegardt Gallery, "Student Invitational", received Broken Color Award
- 2023 *No Pubblicita*, Maryland Federation of Art, "Small Wonders"
- 2023 *Dolomite Storm* and *Ice Wine*, Benfield Gallery "Eye of the Beholder"
- 2023 *Dolomite Storm*, Rhode Island Watercolor Society "Stormy Weather"
- 2023 *Ice Wine*, Rhode Island Watercolor Society "Falling Into Winter"
- 2023 *Mooching Squirrel*, LAG Open
- 2022 *Dolomite View*, Small Wonders, Maryland Federation of Art, Annapolis, MD
- 2022 *Laundry and Lighthouse, Murano*, Wiegardt Gallery, Student Invitational
- 2021 *Multiple works*, Invitational: Diana Marta and the Painters in Her Studio, Bernice Kish Gallery, Columbia, MD
- 2021 *Shell*, HoCo Open 2022, Howard County Arts Council, Ellicott City, MD

### Watercolors in Private Collections:

*Dolomite Storm*  
*Green Heron Chicks*  
*Chicks*  
*Port Gibson*  
*Hydrangeas*  
*Teddy*  
*Rainbow*