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Born in Istanbul, Turkey; lives and works in Brooklyn, NY

### **Solo and Two Person Exhibitions**

- 2020 *A Warm Place*, Solo Exhibition, Manifest Gallery, Cincinnati, OH, Aug 14 - Sep 11  
2019 *Wonderland*, two person exhibition, Wrong Side of the River Project Space, Brooklyn, NY, Apr 12 - May 3  
2018 *Zwei Positionen*, two person/joint exhibition, Kunstverein Ludwigsburg, Germany, May 3 - July 5  
2014 *Playground*, Solo Exhibition, Olcay Art Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey, Nov 4 - Dec 14

### **Awards and Residencies**

- 2020 **Grand Prize**, *See.Me* 'Represent' Competition  
2019 **Wolf Kahn & Emily Mason Painting Fellowship**, *Vermont Studio Center*, VT, November  
2019 Artist grant, The Sculpture Foundation of Gerald Siciliano  
2018 **People's Choice Award**, *Jonathan LeVine Projects*' Delusional Art Competition  
2018 Artist in Residence, *Pilotenkueche* International Art Program, Leipzig, Germany, Oct 1 - Dec 31  
2016 **Grand Prize**, *Dave Bown Projects* 13<sup>th</sup> Semiannual Competition, juried by Helga Christoffersen, Assistant Curator, New Museum, NY; and Kelly Kivland, Associate Curator, Dia Art Foundation  
2007-2010 Presidential Merit Based Scholarship, Pratt Grant and President's List, *Pratt Institute*, Brooklyn, NY

### **Education**

- 2012 New York Academy of Art, NY – MFA – Painting  
2010 Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY – BFA – Painting with Highest Honors  
1998 Ege University, Izmir, Turkey – BArch – Landscape Architecture

### **Selected Exhibitions**

- 2020 *7th Art Collector Starter Kit Show*, Corey Helford Gallery, Los Angeles, CA (upcoming)  
*The Immigrant Artist Biennial - The Imminent Arrival*, NY (upcoming, virtual because of Covid)  
*Represent*, juried by Akeem Duncan, Michaeline Sander and Miguel Trelles, NY (virtual exhibition)  
*Art4Equality x Life, Liberty & the Pursuit of Happiness*, the Untitled Space, New York, NY  
*Refuge*, curated by Nicole Mourino, 440 Gallery, Brooklyn, NY (online because of Covid - at Artsy)  
*Young Blood*, Space Gallery St Barth, New York, NY  
*GIFC*, the Hole Gallery, New York, NY  
*Hoarders House*, Field Projects, New York, NY  
*Summer Exhibition*, curated by Joeonna Bellardo-Samuels, Andrea Scott, Alia Williams, New York Academy of Art, NY (online because of Covid)  
*Artists For Artists*, Art Auction, New York
- 2019 *Painting the Figure Now*, Wausau Museum of Contemporary Art, Wausau, WI  
*Body Beautiful*, the Untitled Space, New York, NY  
*Contemporary Istanbul Art Fair*, with Sevil Dolmaci Art, Istanbul, Turkey  
*Portal: Governors Island Art Fair*, Governors Island, New York, NY  
*Movie Night*, curated by Rick Davidman, Ille Arts Gallery, Amagansett, NY  
*Distance and Happiness, Dreams and Time*, 4 person exhibition curated by Jeff Evans, Artworks Trenton, NJ  
*Summer Exhibition*, curated by Ben Davis, Peter Plagens and Christine Wachter-Campbell, Wilkinson Gallery, New York, NY  
*Bliss*, curated by Helena Christensen and Brooke Shields, Mandarin Oriental, Miami, FL  
*Relationship*, Gallery Gary Giardiano, Lambertville, NJ

*IRL: Investigating Reality*, the Untitled Space, New York, NY  
*Women Artists Group Exhibition*, Dacia Gallery, New York, NY

- 2018 *Annual Juried Exhibition*, juried by Frank Bernarducci, Wausau Museum of Contemporary Art, WI  
*SouthWest Brooklyn Biennial*, Kustera Projects, Brooklyn, NY  
*Governors Island Art Fair 2018*, Governors Island, New York, NY (with catalog)  
*The Real Men*, curated by Brooke Shields and David Kratz, Mandarin Oriental, Miami, FL  
*Summer Exhibition*, curated by Nicole Berry, Matthew Flowers, Amber Kelly, Alice Gray Stites, and Richard Vine, Flowers Gallery, New York  
*Speech Bubble*, Alte Handelsschule, Leipzig, Germany  
*Join the Dots - Connect the Distances*, exhibition by Imago Mundi - Luciano Benetton Collection, Salone deli Incanti, Trieste, Italy
- 2017 *Game On!*, Manifest Gallery, Cincinnati, OH  
*Mediterranean Routes*, curated by Imago Mundi - Luciano Benetton Collection, Biennale Arcipelago Mediterraneo at Zisa Zona Arti Contemporanee, Palermo, Italy  
*No-prescription*, curated by Nezh Cavusoglu, Ekavart Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey  
*Bushwick Invitational*, ArtHelix Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
- 2016 *Women Painting Women: Our Collective Conscience*, RJD Gallery, Sag Harbor, NY  
*Nasty Women Exhibition*, Knockdown Art Center, Queens, NY  
*Forces*, James Oliver Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
- 2015 *Who's Afraid of Feminism*, juried by Catherine Morris, A.I.R. Gallery, Brooklyn, NY (with catalog)  
*Art Southampton*, NY Academy of Art booth, curated by April Gornik, Bridgehampton, NY  
*Primavera*, Dacia Gallery, New York  
*Made In New York*, juried by David Hornung and Katie Waugh, Schweinfurth Art Center, Auburn, NY
- 2014 *Contemporary Istanbul Art Fair*, with Olcay Art Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey  
*Motus in Figuris*, Dacia Gallery, New York  
*Superficies*, Bolit Centre d'Art Contemporani Girona, Spain  
*Serendipitous Synergy*, the Kamakura Arts Center, Tokyo, Japan
- 2013 *50<sup>th</sup> Annual Juried Competition Exhibition*, juried by George T. M. Shackelford, Masur Museum of Art, Monroe, LA  
*Contemporary Istanbul Art Fair*, with Olcay Art Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey  
*Summer Exhibition*, curated by Allegra LaViola, Wendy Olsoff, and Stephanie Roach, Allegra LaViola Gallery, New York
- 2012 *Contemporary Istanbul Art Fair*, with Olcay Art Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey  
*Reunion Show*, Wilkinson Gallery, New York Academy of Art, NY  
*Take Home a Nude*, Art Auction, Sotheby's, New York  
*MFA Thesis Exhibition*, Wilkinson Gallery, New York Academy of Art, NY
- 2011 *Summer Exhibition*, curated by Matthew Flowers, Carter Foster and Julie Heffernan, Flowers Gallery, NY  
*Take Home a Nude*, Art Auction, Sotheby's, New York

## Publications

*Create! Magazine*, issue #21, August 2020

*Brooklyn Downtown Star*, "In new exhibit, artists interpret forms of 'refuge'" by Sara Krevoy, July 23, 2020

*Milliyet Sanat Magazine*, 'Bakin ne kadar da mutluyuz!' ('Look how happy we are!') by Sevil Dolmaci, Istanbul, Turkey, November 2019

*Der Tagesspiegel*, "Contemporary Istanbul - Weisse Wagen vor dem Tor" by Werner Bloch, Berlin, Germany, Sep 20, 2019

*Poets and Artists Magazine: 'Figurative Realism'*, 100th issue, curated by Dirk Dzimirsky, Dec 2018

*Stuttgarter Zeitung*, "Glucksmomente vor oder nach dem Sex", Stuttgart, Germany, May 4th 2018

*Ludwigsburger Kreiszeitung*, “Vom Gegensatz der Perspektiven”, Ludwigsburg, Germany, May 4th 2018  
*Hurriyet* Turkish Newspaper, “Two Turkish Women Artists’ Extraordinary Exhibition in Germany”, May 11, 2018  
*Zwei Positionen Sibel Horada - Buket Savci*, exhibition catalog, Kunstverein Ludwigsburg, Germany, 2018  
*7th International Painting Annual*, Manifest Press Publications, Cincinnati, OH, 2018  
*Poets and Artists Magazine: ‘Eros Gaze’*, issue #93, curated by Didi Menendez, May 2018  
*Istanbul Codex: Contemporary Artists from Turkey*, Imago Mundi, Luciano Benetton Collection, Fabrica, 2016,  
*Who’s Afraid of Feminism*, Exhibition Catalog, juried by Catherine Morris, August 2015, p 153.  
The book: *The Figure: Painting, Drawing, and Sculpture*, Donald Kuspit, Irving Sandler, Margaret McCann, Skira Rizzoli, Sep 2014,  
“*Buket Savci*”, exhibition catalog, essay by Esra Alicavusoglu, Olcay Art, Istanbul, 2014  
*Poets and Artists Magazine*, issue #52, curated by Daniel Maiman, June 2014  
*Studio Visit Magazine*, Volume 18, the Open Studios Press, 2012. pp 8-9.

## Online Press and Interviews

*Beautiful Bizarre Magazine*, ‘More Amazing Entries! Beautiful Bizarre Art Prize’ by Natalia Joruk, Aug 14, 2020  
<https://beautifulbizarre.net/2020/08/14/entries-beautiful-bizarre-art-prize-2020/>  
*Beautiful Bizarre Magazine*, ‘Poets and Artists “Movie Night” Exhibition at Ille Arts’ by Bella Harris, Sep 23, 2019  
<https://beautifulbizarre.net/2019/09/23/poetsartists-movie-night-exhibition/>  
*Dazed Magazine*, “This art show blends surrealism & realism to question what reality even is” by Justice Waul, June 18, 2019  
<https://www.dazeddigital.com/art-photography/article/44729/1/irl-investigating-reality-art-show-surrealism-realism-question-indira-cesarine>  
*Glare Magazine*, ‘In Real Life’ by Sasha Leon, June 2019  
*Curated by Girls*, “IRL: Investigating Reality” Group Show at the Untitled Space’, June 2019  
*Greenpointers.com*, Thursday Spotlight: “Buket Savci On Creating Fleeting Moments of Pure Joy” by Billy McEntee, April 18, 2019  
<https://greenpointers.com/2019/04/18/thursday-spotlight-buket-savci-on-creating-fleeting-moments-of-pure-joy/>  
*L-TV* : interview about the “Zwei Positionen” exhibition streamed on German TV and online; May 2018  
<http://l-tv.de/mediathek/video/2480.html>  
*Acik Radio*, “Zwei Positionen” Buket Savci and Sibel Horada, aired on Celenk Bafra’s “Harikten Sanat”, Istanbul, Turkey, June 2018  
<http://acikradyo.com.tr/harikten-sanat/sibel-horada-ve-buket-savci-ile-iki-pozisyon-hakkinda>  
*Eight Brilliant Painters with Studios in Greenpoint*, by Ona Abelis, Greenpointers.com, February 15<sup>th</sup> 2015  
<http://greenpointers.com/2015/02/16/eight-brilliant-painters-with-studios-in-greenpoint/> - more-53365  
*‘Playground’ A Preview of Buket Savci’s Solo Exhibition at Olcay Arts in Istanbul* by Jacob Hicks, Quantumartreview, Nov 3<sup>rd</sup> 2014  
<http://quantumartreview.com/2014/11/03/playground-a-preview-of-buket-savcis-solo-exhibition-at-olcay-arts-in-istanbul/>  
*The Wild Magazine*, “What To See at Greenpoint Open Studios this Weekend”, by Kate Messinger, Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup> 2014,  
<http://thewildmagazine.com/blog/what-to-see-at-greenpoint-open-studios-this-weekend/>  
*Bushwick Daily’s review of Greenpoint Open Studios*, by Danielle Kalamaras, Oct. 7<sup>th</sup> 2014  
<http://bushwickdaily.com/2014/10/join-the-magical-october-artful-tour-of-our-northern-neighbors-greenpoint-open-studios/>  
*Afterwards Contemporary Istanbul 2013* written by Yasemin Semercioglu;  
<http://www.ekavart.tv/Yazi/contemporary-istanbul-13-un-ardindan-yazan-yasemin-semercioglu>  
Interview, *Ekav Art TV*, Turkey’s primary online Art TV, 2012; “*Portrait Buket Savci Atature*”  
<http://www.ekavart.tv/sanatcilar/diger/portre-buket-savci-atature>

## Artist Talks

*SMU, School of the Arts*, Dallas, TX, October 19, 2020 (virtual)  
*Southern Oregon University*, OR, September 30, 2020 (virtual)  
*A Conversation with curator Michaeline Sander, Represent Grand Prize Winner Buket Savci moderated by Brendan Burns*, Live Stream, www.See.Me, September 17, 2020  
*Pratt Institute, School of Art*, Brooklyn, NY, February 2020  
*James Oliver Gallery*, Philadelphia, PA, August 2016  
*Kadir Has University*, Istanbul, Turkey, May 2014