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# Veronica McLaren

## INDEPENDENT ARTIST

Born 1984 – Boston, Massachusetts

Lives and works in Greenville, Rhode Island

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### Education

2017-2020	<b>Southern New Hampshire University</b> <b>Master of Business Administration (MBA)</b>
2016-2018	<b>Studio Petringa</b> Studied under artist Michael Petringa
2002-2007	<b>University of Massachusetts – Boston</b> <b>Bachelor of Arts – Art Major</b>

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### Honors and Awards

February 2024	<b>Gold Artist of the Month</b> Awarded by Art House Online Gallery for <i>Consumptive</i> , also awarded artwork of the month, for February 2024
January 2024	<b>Certificate of Achievement</b> Participation in Influx Gallery's <i>Perpetual Exhibition</i>
2017 - 2020	<b>Honor Roll</b> Maintained a 3.5 or higher GPA in a given semester for all semesters during graduate studies
March 2018	<b>National Engaged Leader Award</b> This award is presented to National Society of Leadership and Success members who go above and beyond the steps for membership.
2004 - 2007	<b>Dean's List</b> Maintained a 3.5 or higher GPA in a given semester for most semesters during undergraduate studies

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### Exhibitions

2024	<i>Mirrors</i> [group], Tapiial Virtual, Santiago, Chile
2024	<i>Perpetual Exhibition</i> [group], Influx Gallery, Notting Hill, London, England
2023	<i>Graveyards don't fascinate most people...</i> [solo], self-published, virtual

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## Affiliations and Memberships

Influx Gallery, Notting Hill, London, England

The Giving Gallery, Sacramento, CA