

# Spaces Within

### Paintings by Laura Salzberg

## Prince George Gallery

15 E 27th Street New York City

Friday, June 11, 2021 Hours: 10:00 - 6:00pm

<u>Saturday</u>, <u>June 12</u>, <u>2021</u> Hours: 10:00 - 6:00pm

<u>Sunday</u>, <u>June 13</u>, <u>2021</u> Hours: 10:00 - 6:00pm

\*\*\* Opening Reception: Saturday, June 12, 2021 4:00 - 6:00pm \*\*\*

#### Music by Sound House

Bill Stevens - trumpet & effects, Doug Cuomo - guitar & effects, Gary Fogel - drums & percussion

#### Laura Salzberg

Laura Salzberg earned a BFA in 1979 from SUNY at Purchase where she learned media such as drawing and painting for the first time as well as building on her previous knowledge of photography.

After college she took a hiatus from art to devote her time to her family and career in Special Education in New York City public schools.

Returning to art 12 years ago, Laura's work now encompasses painting and mixed media, on paper, canvas and board. Her work is intuitive, expressive and emotional.

Laura has exhibited her paintings in several group shows in New York and online. Several of her pieces have appeared on album covers for privately published CDs.

Laura has been living and working in New York City since 1980.



**Sound House** is a New York based experimental jazz trio. Formed by Bill Stevens on trumpet, flugelhorn & electric trumpet and Gary Fogel on drums & percussion. They have performed in festivals and jazz clubs in the New York City area since 2008. In 2018 Douglas J. Cuomo joined the group on guitar & electronic effects. They play improvised music that explores the development of sound, interplay and groove in a slowly unfolding sonic landscape of captivating dynamism and haunting beauty.

Bill Stevens has received performance and composition grants from the Seattle Arts Commission, Earshot Jazz, the American Music Center and the National Endowment for the Humanities and has spoken at the Norwegian Academy of Music in Oslo, Norway (2017) and the Australasian Jazz & Improvisation Research Network in Melbourne, Australia (2018). He regularly performs in New York City with ensembles under his own name.



Gary Fogel is a composer and percussionist who has been performing in the NYC area since 1980 as a sideman and band leader. He has recorded on a number of albums and CDs as a band member and leader. Most recently he has been on the Music Faculty at Fiorello H. LaGuardia High School of Music & Art and Performing Arts since 1995.



Douglas J. Cuomo has performed as a guitarist at venues including BAM, National Sawdust, The Beacon Theatre, The Kennedy Center, Birdland, Roulette, The Knitting Factory, Symphony Space and others. As a composer he has written for film, television, and the opera and concert stage, with works including the operas Doubt and Arjuna's Dilemma and themes for the television shows Sex & The City and NOW with Bill Moyers.



Sound House will perform at the opening reception on Saturday, June 12, 2021 at 4:30pm performing an original directed improvisation by Bill Stevens entitled "The Faces Suite". The Faces Suite is based on three paintings by Laura Salzberg as identified below:



MY HAND Mixed Media on Paper 30'' x 22"



NATURAL FORCE Mixed Media on Paper 30" x 22"



SHE TOLD ME Mixed Media on Canvas 36' x 36"

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