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meant to be the 'ideal' or 'most beautiful' women, these are women in art that I have admired, either real women or mythical."

Jurick rarely has a plan for the day but rather starts with several cups of coffee and browses through the hundreds of photos she's taken. She zeros in on whatever inspires her at the moment and tends to disregard the commercial aspect of her subject and just paints what moves her. "This body of work is a wonderful extension of overall what we strive to convey in the gallery," says gallery owner Robert Lange.

For further information check our SC Commercial Gallery listings, call the studios at 843/805-8052 or e-mail to (info@robertlangestudios.com).



Work by Karin Jurick

Ella W. Richardson Fine Art in Charleston, SC, Features Works by Evgeny & Lydia Baranov

Ella W. Richardson Fine Art in Charleston, SC, will present *Evgeny & Lydia Baranov European Romance*, on view from Aug. 2 through Sept. 2, 2019. A reception will be held on Aug. 2, from 5-8pm.

As the warmth of summer days and nights begins to wind down the romance comes alive in a new show at Ella W. Richardson Fine Art. Painting duo Evgeny and Lydia Baranov are back with a collection of stunning European beauties, from old wooden sailboats in Cornwall, Normandy, Holland and Lake Garda to alfresco dining in Venice. Every year, the Baranovs seem to expand their horizons both in travel and artistry and we are so honored to exhibit their masterpieces in the gallery.

Their style, a blend of realism and impressionism captivates audiences as does their unique method of collaboration. In many of their paintings, the artists work simultaneously on the same canvas while painting en plein air. Working in a duet enables them to perform faster and evaluate their own accomplishments in a more comprehensive manner. "As always with collaborative work, the greatest challenge is learning to respect the opinion of the creative partner and to accept constructive criticism," they say.



Work by Evgeny & Lydia Baranov

This collection is particularly striking because of the color palette they were working from. You have a range of pinks in the Peonies to burnt red and mustard yellow of a row of ancient buildings that house restaurants and shops in Venice to the sailing vessels of European ports including Hoom and Honfleur. There are also works from the small villages of Malcesine and Cassone. You can't help but smile when



Work by Evgeny & Lydia Baranov

you look at the Baranovs' works: they ooze warmth in every brushstroke.

Born in Moscow, Evgeny Baranov and Lydia Velichko Baranov are known internationally for their exquisite oil paintings. Evgeny received his Masters of Science in Architecture from the Moscow Architectural Institute in 1984 and Lydia received the same degree in 1987. The two met when they were working as architects with the Institute of Special Projects in Restoration, Moscow. They were married and moved to the United States in 1990. Notable collectors of their work include the Royal Family of the United Kingdom, the Hearst Family, the Clint Eastwood Family, and the Russian Federation. They have been featured in numerous publications, including *Art of the West*, *The Artist's Magazine*, *Southwest Art*, and *PleinAir* magazine and have accrued countless awards from competitions over the years. Most recently, the Baranovs won First Place in the June-July 2015 PleinAir Salon sponsored by *PleinAir* magazine. The Baranovs currently reside in Pebble Beach, CA.

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Lowcountry Artists Gallery in Charleston, SC, Features Works by Lisa Willits & Sandra W. Roper

The Lowcountry Artists Gallery in Charleston, SC, will present *Lowcountry Living - Oil and Water*, featuring works by Lisa Willits (oil) and Sandra W. Roper (watercolor), on view from Aug. 2 - 31, 2019. A reception will be held on Aug. 2, from 5-8pm.

Traditionally oil and water do not mix. However, in this exhibit, the two pair perfectly, as paintings created using these diverse mediums showcase the unique



Work by Lisa Willits

beauty of the Lowcountry. Willits and
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