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I am a multimedia artist, in love with colour and abstract expressionism.

I am passionate about creating artworks which express joy and a sense of wonder.

I am also deeply influenced by nature, as well as my own personal ancestry. I am the daughter of a Spanish-Austrian mother, born in Barcelona, Spain, who immigrated to Mexico as a child and an Italian father. I grew up in a small town in northern BC and also lived for several years in Victoria and now in Vancouver. My training includes mosaic studies in Ravenna, Italy, painting, mosaic, and design in Barcelona, various specialized workshops throughout Mexico in sculpture, painting, and jewelry, as well as studies at Emily Carr in the BFA program and a Post Graduate Diploma in Sculpture from Capilano University in Vancouver. My mosaic work is in collections throughout North America including in the collection of Francisco Toledo in Oaxaca, the Vancouver Public Library, and West restaurant in Vancouver. Most recently several paintings will be debuting on the set of a new thriller series on ABC television "Somewhere Between" in the summer of 2017.

November 2016 to present Nina Di Galeria 1704 Charles St Vancouver BC

November 2015 "*Sands and Hues*" Deer Lake Gallery, Burnaby BC Mosaic and Painting

September 2015 "*Mujeres*" Group Show Galeria Uno, Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco

April 2015 "*Dia Mundial del Arte*" Group Show Galeria Uno, Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco

December 2015 "*Ensemble*" The Act, Group Show Maple Ridge BC

July 2014 "*Thoughts of Summer*". *Mosaics and Painting*, Nina Di Giovanni and Kim Kasasian . Duo show at The Silk Purse Gallery, West Vancouver BC

January 2014 "*Nina Di Giovanni and Jean Gabriel*" *Mosaics and Painting* Duo show Galleria Dante, Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco, Mexico

December 2013 "*Caras y Colores*" *Duo Show* SUAL Gallery, La Aurora , San Miguel de Allende, Gto. México

December 2012\_ "*Tres Mujeres*", 3 Woman Show, Galería Dante, Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco, México

March 2010 "*Hacia la Luz*" (*Solo Show Mosaic and Painting*) Arte Biulu Centro Cultural. Oaxaca, Oaxaca México

November 2009 "*Dancing with Light*" (*Solo Show Mosaic and Painting*) Arias Art Gallery. San Miguel de Allende, Guanajuato México

July 2009 "*Veinte Mujeres*" (*group show- painting*) Galería Rufino Tamayo. Oaxaca, Oaxaca

March 2009 *Expresión Femenina* (*Group show - painting*) Exposición Colectiva. Café Café, Oaxaca, Oaxaca

July 2008 "*Escultura en Concreto con Antonio Nava*" (*Group show - sculpture*) Galería Rufino Tamayo. Oaxaca, Oaxaca

2008 "*Dibujos*" (drawings) gallery artist Arias Art Gallery. San Miguel de Allende, Guanajuato México

2006 "Eléments" (*Mixed Media Installation wood and mosaic*) Locket International Conference. Mixed Media. Karlovy Vary, Czech Republic

2000 -2007 *Gallery Artist ( mosaic and sculpture, collaborative work with Joseph Dajko)* A New Leaf Sculpture Gallery, Berkeley California, USA

1999 " *Form and Function*" ( *collaboration with Joe Dajko* ) A New Leaf Sculpture Gallery, Berkeley, California, USA

May 2006 " *Beneath the Surface*" ( *Group Show- mosaic*) High Risk Gallery Chicago, Ill.USA

February 2005 " *A Perfect Union*" ( *Group Show - mosaic*) Eleven Eleven Sculpture Space Washington DC USA (Awarded Best in Show )

April 2004 " *Fragments*" ( *Grad Show Sculpture*) Capilano University North Vancouver BC Canada

June 1995 Vancouver Public Library " *Fountain of Time*" One of two artists hired to execute "Fountain of Time" designed by Joseph Montague

Various installations and commissioned works in the US including California, Texas, Florida, and New York, Canada including Toronto, Vancouver, and Calgary, and abroad in Italy, Spain and Italy.  
Work in the collections of Francisco Toledo, ABC Television, Instituto Rufino Tamayo Oaxaca, Awarded Best in Show , Society of American Mosaic Artists, 2005 Washington, DC  
Selected Member of MUSIWA.. Juried Florentine Organization showcasing the best contemporary mosaic artists in the world

### Education

2008 -2009 Taller Rufino Tamayo ( Fine Arts School in Oaxaca) Studio classes in Painting, Etching, and Sculpture with Antonio Nava

2007 Fine Arts classes (advanced painting, jewelry, and sculpture. Instituto Allende .San Miguel de Allende .Guanajuato, México

1997-2003 Visual Arts ( Bachelor of Fine Arts) Emily Carr Institute of Art and Design, Vancouver BC

2003 -2004 Post Graduate Diploma in Studio Arts -Sculpture (Dean's Honours List) Capilano University North Vancouver BC Canada

1991 Mosaic Studies - Roman and Byzantine Foundations Albe Steiner Politécnico Ravenna, Ravenna, Italy

1989 Bachelor of Arts ( Applied Linguistics) University of Victoria, Victoria BC Canada

1987 Diploma in Spanish Studies Universidad de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain

### Workshops and other Professional

Member of **SAMA** Society of American Mosaic Artists

Member MUSIWA (Florence Italy)

Participant in various workshops in concrete sculpture, glass blowing, torch working, printmaking, lithography, and etching

### **Publications and selected press**

"Nina Di Giovanni Mosaic Artist" **PV Mirror** May 2016. <http://www.pvmcitypaper.com/download/387.pdf>

"Nina DiGiovanni at Galleria Dante" . **PV Mirror** January 2014  
<https://pvmirror.wordpress.com/art-culture/the-art-gallery-guide/january-2014-●-nina-di-giovanni-jean-gabriel-at-galleria-dante/>

"Three Women" **PV Angels** December 2012  
<http://pvangels.com/news/881/pre-christmas-show-3-woman-exhibit-at-galleria-dante>

"Art Biulu" **Que Pasa**, Oaxaca, Oaxaca January 2009

"9 Artistas" **Mujeres Revista**, Oaxaca Oaxaca May 2010

"In the Light" **Houston House and Home** October 2002

"Mosaic Passion" **Vancouver Province** , June 1997

