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PRESS KIT · 2026 EDITION

Carol Calicchio

Abstract florals and seascapes, painted in the light of South Florida.

Delray Beach, Florida ·
carolcalicchioart.com/press-kit

THE MISSION

Art that changes the *energy* of a room.

"I believe that paintings and art can change the energy in a room and bring your vibration up."

Natural light is a limitless spectrum of color. Everything it touches is illuminated in brilliance and brought to life. My abstractions aim to interpret this powerful force of nature.

I use crystals, pyrite, opals and many other minerals embedded into the canvases.

When you place something beautiful that you love in your home it changes the energy of your domain.

Carol Calicchio

CAROL CALICCHIO · DELRAY BEACH

40+	2	2x	25
SHOWS SINCE 2019	HARDCOVER MONOGRAPHS	PALM BEACH POWER LIST	YEARS RESCUING ANIMALS





THE BIO

The bio, in *three lengths.*

For writers and editors. Use whichever fits the layout.

ONE LINE · 30 WORDS

Carol Calicchio is a Palm Beach abstract artist whose oversized florals and seascapes, set with crystals and minerals, are painted to change the energy of a room.

SHORT · 110 WORDS

Carol Calicchio's abstract florals and deep blue seascapes hang in private homes, at Canopy by Hilton West Palm Beach and Tammy Fender Holistic Spa in Palm Beach, and in showrooms and galleries from Miami to Nantucket. Many carry amethyst, pyrite, rose quartz and opal set into the paint. A Fairfield County, Connecticut native, she earned her degree from the New York School of Interior Design and studied painting and drawing at the School of Visual Arts. She works from a studio on the Intracoastal in Delray Beach, Florida. Her paintings are collected in two hardcover monographs, Flower Power and Ocean Power, published with the Historical Society of Palm Beach County.



THE BIO

The *full* bio.

FULL · 240 WORDS

Carol Calicchio is an abstract artist. Her belief is that a painting can change the energy in a room and bring your vibration up. She paints oversized florals that critic Bruce Helander has compared to bursting fireworks, and seascapes in cerulean, pthalo and deep marine, then presses crystals, pyrite, opals and other minerals into the surface. Raised in Fairfield County, Connecticut, in a family of artists, she earned her degree from the New York School of Interior Design and studied painting and drawing at the School of Visual Arts, where she realized the art she had been curating for other people's homes was the art she wanted to make. Today she works from a studio on the Intracoastal in Delray Beach, Florida, with a gallery that opened in August 2026. Her work is the subject of two hardcover monographs published with the Historical Society of Palm Beach County: Flower Power, written by Bruce Helander with essays by Anthony Haden-Guest and Elizabeth Sobieski, and Ocean Power. She was Dan's Papers' cover artist in August 2023, a Dan's Palm Beach Power List honoree in 2023 and 2024, and has given an artist talk at the Boca Raton Museum of Art. She has shown in more than forty exhibitions since 2019, from Fivestory in New York to Manolis Projects in Miami. With Boynton Beach's Nomad Surf Shop she turned her paintings into a limited run of rideable surfboards, on view at The Shops at The Breakers. She is the founder of Carol's Pet Collective and teaches painting classes at the studio and at The Ben in West Palm Beach.

Approved for print. The same text, ready to copy, at carolcalicchioart.com/press-kit.





THE FLORALS

Flower Power

Floating florals over galactic blues, hibiscus in cadmium orange and magenta, hummingbirds and butterflies.

Celestial Moonlight, 60 x 48 in. The Dan's Papers cover.

THE BLUE SERIES

Ocean Power

Swells, swirls and refractions in cerulean, pthalo and deep marine, painted from the edge of the Intracoastal.

Crystal, 60 x 48 in.





SCULPTED LIGHT

White Series

Gardenias, peonies and butterflies in thick white impasto, with rose quartz and amethyst set in.

Gardenia Goddess, 48 x 36 in.

WITH NOMAD SURF SHOP

The Nomad boards

Limited-edition surfboards printed from the paintings with Boynton Beach's Nomad Surf Shop. Rideable, and on view at The Shops at The Breakers.



NEW FROM THE STUDIO

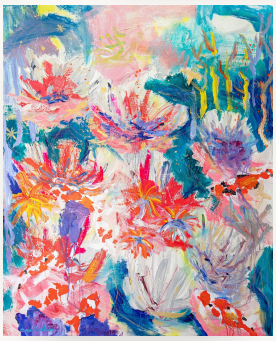
Photographed *June 2025.*

Recent canvases. High-resolution files on request.













From Fairfield County to the *Intracoastal.*

Early — Connecticut, then New York
Raised in Fairfield County in a family of artists. New York School of Interior Design, then painting and drawing at the School of Visual Arts.

2019 — Armory Art Center
West Palm Beach. The first of more than forty shows since.

2020 — Light Refractions
Artist reception at the Cultural Council for Palm Beach County. First receptions at The Ben.

2021 — Midnight Flowers
A show at the Canopy Hotel and a solo at Palm Beach Gardens City Hall.

2022 — Fivestory and Beauty of Darkness
Fivestory in New York and Palm Beach. A solo exhibition at Palm Beach Design Showroom.

2023 — The cover and the book
Dan's Palm Beach Power List. The cover of Dan's Papers in August. Flower Power published, and the signing at The Colony sold out.

2024 — The boards and the portraits
Nomad surfboards at the entrance of The Colony. Power List again. Luxe, Palm Beach Illustrated, and the portraits by Giselle Serrano.

2025 — The museum
Artist talk and book signing at the Boca Raton Museum of Art. Ocean Power.

2026 — The new gallery
Delray Beach Historical Society fundraiser and classes. A new gallery at the studio, opened in August.



Worth Avenue, Palm Beach



Haven Palm Beach

> *Gestures that at times are reminiscent of a bursting nighttime display of fireworks that explode and gently drift to the surface.*
>
> BRUCE HELANDER · ELEVATED MAGAZINE, 2024

WHERE THE WORK LIVES

From the studio to *Nantucket.*

DELRAY BEACH
The studio
2559 Webb Avenue, on the Intracoastal. By appointment.

PALM BEACH
The Shops at The Breakers
The Nomad surfboards.

PALM BEACH
The Colony Hotel
The Flower Power signing and the surfboards.

WEST PALM BEACH
Canopy by Hilton
Lobby and second floor.

PALM BEACH
Tammy Fender Holistic Spa
Oversized canvases with crystals set in.

WEST PALM BEACH
The Ben
Receptions since 2020. Classes today.

MIAMI
Manolis Projects
Group shows since 2022.

LAKE WORTH
Palm Beach Art, Antique & Design Showroom
Paintings on view.

NEW YORK AND NANTUCKET
Fivestory and Four India Street
Fivestory in Palm Beach, New York and Southampton. Four India Street and The Diamond Door on Nantucket.

COMMUNITY

Animal rescue
Twenty-five years of rescuing pets. Founder of Carol's Pet Collective. The Colony signing benefited Peggy Adams Animal Rescue League.

The ocean
A share of every Nomad board goes to a local marine charity.

Delray Beach Historical Society
Paint and sip evenings, and the Twilight in the Garden fundraiser in April 2026.

Classes
Painting evenings at the studio and at The Ben in West Palm Beach.



IN THE PRESS

On the *record.*

> *"An important emerging artist on the South Florida art world scene."*
>
> BRUCE HELANDER · ELEVATED MAGAZINE, 2024

> *"What I find most rewarding as an artist is that it's very affirming. It seems to make people happy and smile when they hear that I'm an artist."*
>
> CAROL CALICCHIO · DAN'S PAPERS, 2023

> *"My vision is to bring awareness to our oceans and the detrimental effects that microplastics have on our marine life."*
>
> CAROL CALICCHIO · PALM BEACH ILLUSTRATED, 2024

FEATURED IN

Palm Beach Illustrated · Dan's Papers · Elevated Magazine · Luxe Interiors + Design · Palm Beach Post · Palm Beach Daily News · The Scout Guide · Florida Design · Power Women with Victoria Schneps · Boca Raton Museum of Art

THE TWO MONOGRAPHS



Flower Power

The Paintings of Carol Calicchio, 2023

Written by critic Bruce Helander, with essays by Anthony Haden-Guest and Elizabeth Sobieski and design by Dan Ellis. The signing at The Colony sold out.



Ocean Power

Depths of Blue, 2025

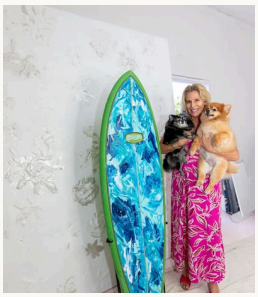
The Blue Series. Both books published with the Historical Society of Palm Beach County.

The portraits, *cleared for print.*

By Giselle Serrano Photography, August 27, 2024. Full resolution at carolcalicchioart.com/press-kit. Credit required.



01 Palm Beach, with a Nomad board



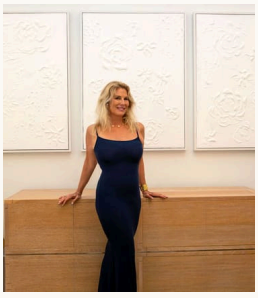
02 In the studio, with the dogs



03 Worth Avenue clock tower



04 At the easel



05 The White Series



06 Palm Beach



07 At the easel



08 Palm Beach, with a Nomad board



09 The flag painting



10 Palm Beach



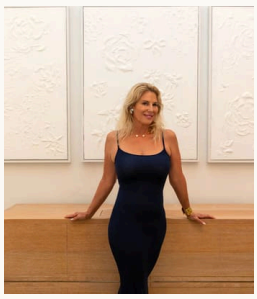
11 At the easel



12 Palm Beach, with a Nomad board



13 Haven Palm Beach



14 The White Series



15 Palm Beach, with a Nomad board



16 At the easel



17 At the easel

THE FACTS

For the *fact checker.*

BASED	Delray Beach, Florida. Studio at 2559 Webb Avenue, on the Intracoastal, by appointment. Lives in Gulf Stream.
FROM	Fairfield County, Connecticut
EDUCATION	New York School of Interior Design. School of Visual Arts, painting and drawing.
MEDIUM	Acrylic and oil on canvas and Belgian linen, mixed media with embedded crystals and minerals, acrylic with healing stones on glass.
SIZES	14 x 14 in. minis up to 74 x 96 in. commissions.
BOOKS	Flower Power (2023), text by Bruce Helander, essays by Anthony Haden-Guest and Elizabeth Sobieski. Ocean Power (2025). Both with the Historical Society of Palm Beach County.
HONORS	Dan's Palm Beach Power List, 2023 and 2024. Dan's Papers cover artist, August 2023. Artist talk, Boca Raton Museum of Art, February 2025.
COLLABORATION	Limited-edition surfboards with Nomad Surf Shop, Boynton Beach.
PHOTO CREDIT	Giselle Serrano Photography, for every portrait in this kit.



IN THE STUDIO, WITH THE DOGS AND A NOMAD BOARD.
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THE DIGITAL KIT

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Bios ready to copy, every portrait at full resolution, this PDF, three clips of Carol at work.

STUDIO AND PRESS INQUIRIES

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