

Leat Silvera

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EDUCATION

BA, Art and Architecture — University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) — 1997

Studied with painter Jeremy Lipking

Study and internship with Maurizio Barattucci, Dean of the Art Department, Santa Monica College

SOLO & FEATURED EXHIBITIONS

Young Israel of Century City, Los Angeles — 2024–present

Ongoing solo exhibition.

Open Studio Exhibitions — 1308 Factory Place, Los Angeles Arts District, California
— 2024–2025

Selected Private Studio Exhibitions — Los Angeles, California — 2024–2025

World Peace Golf Classic (hosted by Metta World Peace), Los Angeles —
2024, 2025

Invited resident artist; exhibited original work at the annual charity event benefiting Artest University.

PUBLIC WORKS

Hostage Square Mural, Tel Aviv, Israel — 2025

Lead artist, community mural project with YULA Boys High School students. Created a large central lion composition; students painted the figure and applied stenciled portraits of the remaining hostages alongside messages of unity and hope. The finished mural was shipped to and displayed at Hostage Square, Tel Aviv.

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

Semifinalist, The People's Artist — 2026

Johnny Depp Presents / The Art of Elysium. Advanced through multiple competitive rounds from a national field of more than 250,000 entries.

PRESS

Jewish Journal — "Sukkah Splendor" — September 19, 2012

Featured artist; profile of Leat and her sukkah art.

Book Cover — *An Accidental Career* by Hal Eisner — 2026

Commissioned oil portrait of journalist Hal Eisner, used as the memoir's cover image.

TEACHING

Art Faculty, YULA Boys High School, Los Angeles — current