



## **Paula (Giangreco) Cullison**

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**New York City born, long-time Phoenix resident, Paula Cullison has a passion for international travel.**

**An independent traveler, she has visited over 50 countries.**

**Upon graduating from college, she worked in Switzerland on an AIESEC traineeship, and has attended several international conferences through her involvement with the United Nations Association.**

**Paula's numerous published international travel articles and her books: Daughters of the American Dream, and Paula: a Girl from Brooklyn are available on her website: [www.paulacullison.com](http://www.paulacullison.com)**

**She is a past member of the Sonoran Arts League; Founder / President of the Arizona Women's Partnership, Inc, an all-volunteer philanthropic non-profit ([azwp.org](http://azwp.org)) which has awarded over \$600,000 in grants; Created the Getting Our Just Desserts and Wine, WoMEN & Jazz FUNdraisers for AZWP; Past President of the United Nations Association of Phoenix; Past VP - National League of American Pen Women-AZ; member of SERVAS, InterNations, and Worldy Women of GlobalTiesAZ**

**Recipient of the MLK Diversity Award / YWCA Tribute to Leadership Award / Susan B. Anthony Award / Susan G. Koman Ribbon of Hope / Macy's Heart & Soul Award / BMO Harris Bank Leadership Award / Women of Scottsdale Woman of Year / Phoenix Suns - National Bank AmAZing Woman Award / Who's Who in America**

***Have Passport – Will Travel .... Journey through the Emerald Isle  
To Cuba with Love .... A South American Adventure .... VAMONOS!***  
**are her photography exhibits which reflect her love of international travel.**

**They have been viewed and enjoyed by over 100,000.**

**Guest Curator for *In Celebration of Women 2020, 2022 and 2023*, a juried art exhibit of over 35 female artists and creator / organizer of A Celebration of Women in the ARTS for City of Scottsdale March 2024.**

**Paula has given numerous presentations on traveling and travel writing. [www.paulacullison.com](http://www.paulacullison.com)**

## **EXHIBITS:**

### **Have Passport - Will Travel**

**International Travel Photography exhibition (16X20) of 15 countries**

**HERBERGER Gallery Phoenix: May 1, 2020 – October 1, 2020 (30 works) virtual due to COVID**

**ASU – Phoenix Downtown Campus June 12, 2018 – Dec 10, 2018 (40 works)**

**Paradise Valley Community College – Phoenix La Bella Italia Spring 2018**

**ASU - West Fletcher Library - Phoenix, AZ June 13, 2017 – Sept 7, 2017**

**Maricopa County Library – Gilbert, AZ March 2, 2017 – May 1, 2017**

**ASU - Polytech Campus Library - Mesa, AZ September 2016 – December 2016**

**Maricopa County Library - Sun City Branch June 7, 2016 - Aug 31, 2016**

**Paradise Valley Community College Library - Phoenix, AZ April 5, 2016 - May 10, 2016**

**ASU - Main Campus Noble Library - Tempe, AZ January 4, 2016 - April 4, 2016**

**Mesa Community College Library - Mesa, AZ November 2, 2015 - December 17, 2015**

**Phoenix College Library - Phoenix, AZ August 13, 2015 - October 30, 2015**

**ASU - Polytech Campus Library - Mesa, AZ January 6, 2015 - July 31, 2015**

**ASU - Downtown Campus Library Vault Gallery - Phoenix, AZ June 10, 2014 - December 30, 2014**

**Chandler Gilbert Community College Library Gallery - Chandler, AZ November 1, 2013 - December 20, 2013**

**ASU - West Fletcher Library - Phoenix, AZ June 3, 2013 - September 30, 2013**

## **Journey through the Emerald Isle**

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**Travel Photography exhibition of Ireland - Twelve (16X20) works**

**UofA Bio-Medical Health Sciences Bldg - Phoenix Dates: February 2020 – February 2022 (2yrs)**

**Irish Cultural Center Dates: Sept 6, 2019 – Sept 30, 2019**

**ASU Phoenix Campus Dates: June 12, 2018 – Dec 10, 2018**

**Desert Foothills Library in Cave Creek, AZ month of December 2017**

**Irish Cultural Center - Phoenix, AZ Dates: June 1, 2017 - June 30, 2017**

**Phoenix College Dates: March 1, 2017 - April 30, 2017**

**Paradise Valley Community College Dates: September 12, 2016 - November 15, 2016**

**Irish Cultural Center - Phoenix, AZ Dates: May 6, 2016 - June 30, 2016 (Featured Artist - First Friday)**

**ASU Polytech Campus Library - Mesa, AZ Dates: January 16, 2016 - April 9, 2016**

**ASU West Campus Fletcher Library - Phoenix, AZ Dates: September 14, 2015 - January 12, 2016**

**ASU Downtown Campus Library - The Vault Gallery - Phoenix, AZ Dates: February 2, 2015 - July 31, 2015**

**Irish Cultural Center - Phoenix, AZ Dates: January 3, 2015 - January 30, 2015**

## **To Cuba with Love**

**Fourteen (16X20) photographs on canvas**

**UofA Bio-Medical Health Sciences Bldg - Phoenix Dates: Feb 2020 – Feb 2022 (2yrs)**

**ALAC AZ Latino Arts and Cultural Center Dates: Sept 6, 2019 – Oct 30, 2019**

**ASU - Downtown Phoenix – Spring semester January - May 2019**

**Phoenix College Dates: July 18, 2018 – Oct 20, 2018**

**Paradise Valley Community College Dates: March 1, 2017 – December 10, 2017**

**Phoenix College Dates: January 12, 2017 - February 28, 2017**

**Desert Foothills Library in Cave Creek, AZ Dates: December 7, 2016 - December 27, 2016**

**ASU West - Fletcher Library Phoenix, AZ Dates: July 25<sup>th</sup> - December 2, 2016**

## **A South American Adventure**

**Fifteen (16 x 20) photographs on canvas VAMONOS! Desert Foothills Library March – April 2025**

**Olney Gallery - Phoenix, AZ Oct 7, 2022 – Oct 26, 2022 (Argentina, Chile, Peru, Uruguay, and Cuba)**

**Paradise Valley Community College Dates: March 2020 – August 2020**

**ASU West - Fletcher Library Phoenix, AZ Dates: July 18, 2019 – August 16, 2019**

## **GROUP SHOWS**

**SERVAS ARTISTS - Postcard Art Show – France - Summer 2025**

**SHEMER Art Center – Varied Voices May 24, 2023 – July 13, 2023**

**SONORAN ARTS League Cave Creek – Road Less Traveled Aug 2021; Making Her Mark – March 2021**

**AZ ART ALLIANCE at Holland Center Sept 24 - Oct 24, 2019; Howland Gallery Jan 2022**

**XICO – Intercambio Cultural (Peru) Sept 6, 2019 - Oct 22, 2019**

**West Valley HQ Gallery Surprise, AZ-Painting with Light Aug 30, 2019 – Sept 30, 2019**

**ASU – Phoenix - Women X Work Aug 28, 2019 – Dec 4, 2019**

**\*\*\* Ras Al Khaimah FINE ART Festival – UAE - United Arab Emirates - Feb 14, 2019 – April 30, 2019**

**FIRST STUDIO GALLERY Phoenix – A Show of Resistance June / July 2025 ICE - Baby: July 27, 2019 – Sept 25, 2019**

**Scorched: a Celebration of Heat: August 3, 2018 – Sept 28, 2018**

**OLNEY GALLERY at Trinity Cathedral Phoenix – Oh, The Places You'll Go: Oct 1- 26, 2022;**

**Journeys Near & Far: (CUBA) June 1, 2018- June 28, 2018**

**SONORAN ARTS League at ANTHEM Art in Public Places: Nov 2, 2016 - Jan 27, 2017 / Feb 1, 2017 – May18, 2017 /**

**May 18, 2017 – Sept 14, 2017 / Feb 10, 2018 – May 17, 2018 / May 17, 2018 – Sept 13, 2018**

**ASU – PHOENIX: OH, THE PLACES YOU'LL GO! - Jan 9, 2017 - May 6, 2017**

**ARIZONA STATE FAIR – Oct 7, 2016 - Oct 30, 2016 (award ribbon)**

**HERBERGER Gallery – Inspired by Vincent Feb 2022; Candid 2020; In the Spotlight 2020; Proudly 2019; Inspirations 2019;**

**Where Music Lives 2023; Visual Feasting 2018; Invitational 2017 and 2022; Art as a Means of Expression 2016**

**DESERT FOOTHILLS Library Group Shows: June 27, 2019 – Oct 3, 2019 May 29, 2015- Oct 3, 2015;**

**May 13, 2016-Oct 7, 2016; Jan 27, 2017- Mar 24, 2017; May 12-Oct 6, 2017**

**SONORAN ARTS League Group Shows at National Bank of Arizona Summer 2015; Spring 2015; Winter 2014**

**THE NASH JAZZ CLUB GALLERY – Phoenix: Spring 2016 - Blooming in the Rain: Monet's Garden - Giverny, France**

**Winter 2016 - Days of Wine & Roses: The Night They Invented Champagne - France**

**Fall 2015 - Blue Skies: Cielo Blu di Italia - Burano, Italy; Summer 2015 - HOT: Three Graces - Costa Brava, Spain;**

**Spring 2015 - Lush Life - Billy Strayhorn: Postcard from Paris; Winter 2015 - I'm through with Love: Graffiti Wall Tribute to**

**John Lennon, Prague, Czech Republic; Fall 2014 - Giant Steps: Machu Picchu, Peru;**

**Summer 2014 - Blooming Color: Monet's Garden - Giverny, France**

**Presentations on Travel / Travel Writing: 5ARTS Circle - Scottsdale, AZ Feb 5, 2025;**

**ASU Osher Institute Jan 31, 2019; Scottsdale Women Writers April 25, 2018; Gilbert Library Oct 19, 2017;**

**Desert Foothills Library on April 13, 2017; Dec 7, 2016, July 15, 2015; November 13, 2014, and November 1, 2013;**

**Mesa Public Library on April 23, 2015; Business & Professional Women (BPW) Scottsdale on April 19, 2017; ASU PolyTech on Oct 25, 2016;**

**Maricopa County Library on July 13, 2016; Phoenix, College on Oct 22, 2015; Chandler Gilbert CC Nov 2013**