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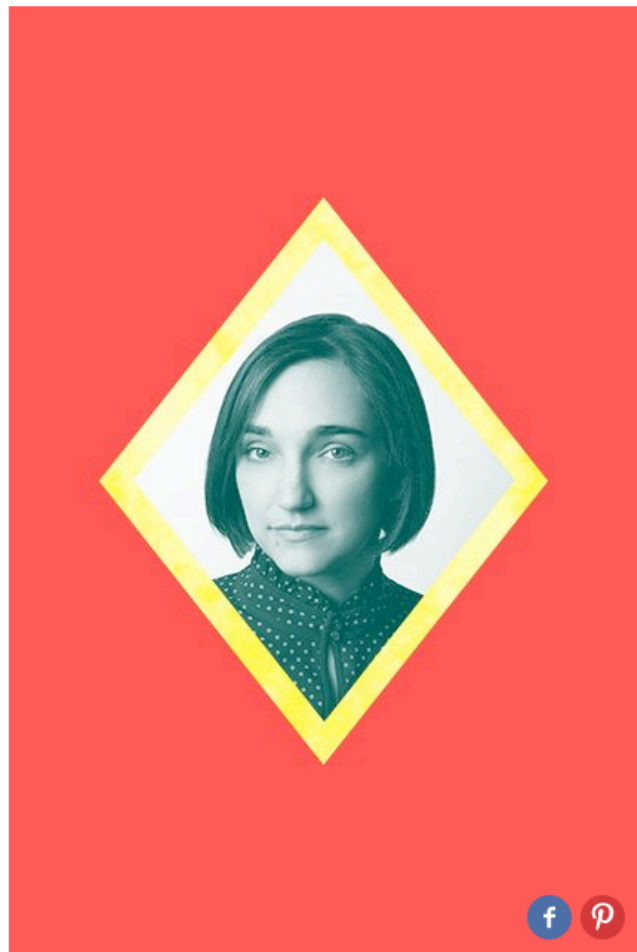
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### **Rachel Uffner, Owner, [Rachel Uffner Gallery](#)**

"No one is going to hand you anything; they need to know that you want it. Do the work on your time and keep submitting it. Also, when I was at the front desk of an art gallery, I did studio visits with artists on my own time; I came up with group show ideas on my own time. Creative industries are a labor of love. Get used to thinking about it always, and letting people know what you want to be working on. If you are lucky enough to be around supportive people, you may just be lucky enough to have the things you are working on on the side become the primary focus of your work (but first you have to earn the support).

"No matter what industry you are in, have a good attitude and be a team player. I believe in working as a team toward a greater goal. Hopefully, one day you will personally benefit from that greater goal, but until then share in other's [success] and the team's achievements. It's never just about you."



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