



2023 OHIO STATE FAIR

FINE ARTS EXHIBITION



COX FINE ARTS CENTER / JULY 26 – AUGUST 6, 2023

PROFESSIONAL DIVISION



Juror Bio & Statement

Denise Bookwalter is a printmaker and book artist living in Tallahassee, Florida where she is a Professor of Art at Florida State University and Founding Director of Small Craft Advisory Press, a collaborative book arts press. She has exhibited extensively and her artists' books can be found in collections nationally and internationally. The Coffey Residency for the Book Arts at the University of Florida Libraries supported her most recent artists' book, *Sylvan Secrets*.

Growing up in Columbus, Ohio, the Ohio State Fair was synonymous with the dwindling days of summer. I vividly remember the butter cow in its cool refrigeration, the award-winning vegetables and livestock, the heat and crush of people on the midway, and my fair entries to the fine art and horticultural design categories. Dropping off my entries, I loved seeing the preparations for opening day as entries were arranged for the judges to award the ribbons. I had the honor of winning a few of those ribbons, and this year, I am honored to complete the circle by participating in the behind-the-scenes of the fair. I congratulate all the artists who have submitted their work for this exhibition. I am grateful for the opportunity to be part of the jury team for the Professional Division of Fine Arts at the 2023 Ohio State Fair and have thoroughly enjoyed reviewing the nearly 1000 entries.

The jury process began with an online digital review. During the preliminary review, I considered each piece carefully, considering the artists' integration of concepts and media. The works included landscapes, abstract textiles, figurative sculptures, drawings, and prints. I was drawn to innovative conceptual, design, and media works.

During a second round, my co-juror Arron Foster and I compared and discussed the works from our lists in terms of themes of personal narrative, the COVID experience, novel use of materials, scenes around Ohio, and emerging innovative printmaking processes. When selecting works, we aimed to build an exhibition showcasing the range of talents across the state. Regrettably, there were many works that we were unable to include. I want to thank all artists that submitted work and encourage those not included in this year's show to continue their work and resubmit next year, while keeping in mind that with a new set of jurors come different personal perspectives and preferences.

Congratulations to all the artists. I want to acknowledge each artist's hard work and thank them for sharing their works for this exhibition. Thank you to all of the behind-the-scenes people that make this exhibition happen, especially Flint Garrabrant, and his organization, care, and empathy in directing the jurying process and the exhibition. Thank you to my co-juror and fellow printmaker, Arron Foster, for his patience, dedication, and compassion during the juror process. I enjoyed our Zoom chats spread over four days, discussing our preferences and developing the exhibition.

Finally, to complete the circle, congratulations to all the ribbon winners and especially to the Best of Show, Evie Zimmer for *Wonderlust*.

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Arron Foster received his Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in Printmaking and Art Education from East Carolina University in Greenville, NC, and his Master of Fine Arts degree in Printmaking and Book Arts from the University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia. His prints and installations have been in notable exhibitions at respected national and international galleries, museums, and art centers. Recent honors include mounting solo exhibitions at the Dayton Society of the Arts, Akron Soul Train Gallery, and Hiram University in Hiram, Ohio, and participating in the International Youth Printmaking Invitational Exhibition in Changsha, China. Foster has been the recipient of competitive grants from the Ohio Arts Council, Kent State University, the University of Georgia, and the Southern Graphics

Council International. He is currently an Assistant Professor of Art at Kent State University at Stark in North Canton, Ohio.

Firstly, I would like to express my gratitude for being asked to jury for the Ohio State Fair's 2023 Professional Division Arts Competition. And wish to congratulate all of the artists involved with this exhibition.

As a juror for this year's Ohio State Fair Exhibition, I was fortunate to view a wide range of works representing a diversity of technical and conceptual approaches to art and image making. The sheer volume and quality of the submissions made the task of choosing 250 pieces a difficult one, as there were an abundance of riches to choose from.

Throughout the process, I tried to focus on this year's print centric theme and choose works that offered something special due to their overall technical, material and or conceptual sophistication. I also focused on work that clearly demonstrated a unique personal voice or vision.

Throughout the process many works caught my attention for various and contradictory reasons. In grappling with the volume of qualified submissions, I strove to make the jury process fair by balancing my selections along technical, formal, or experimental lines.

Regrettably, as the process advanced, many qualified works were left out. Due to the need to present a diverse and balanced exhibition, the jury decided to exhibit only two works by any artist unless each piece was small and made a much stronger statement as a group.

It is my hope that artists whose works were not chosen for this show will see the challenges inherent in the jurying process and continue to submit work for future juried exhibitions.

Finally, I would like to thank my co-juror Denise Bookwalter whose conceptual intellect, formal awareness and attention to detail were integral as we worked (virtually) across varying time zones to complete this task. I would also like to thank Flint Garrabrant for coordinating our efforts and to the staff at the Ohio State Fair for hanging the show.

I hope that this years audience enjoys the show as much as I enjoyed looking at the images and selecting the exhibition. As an artist who lives and works in Ohio, it is inspiring to see that art is alive and well in our State.

PROFESSIONAL DIVISION ARTIST DIRECTORY

Adrian, Max

Act II, Scene IV: Snowman
Pleather, Satin, Faux-Fur, Chains,
Hardware, Fan
\$10,000
Franklin

Albanese Campbell, Karen

Farther Away Than Before
Woodcuts, Cut, Mounted and
Stitched
\$725
Franklin

Albanese Campbell, Karen

She Smiles at the Future
Woodcut
\$1,200
Franklin

Arnold, Joshua

Hospital
Mulberry Paper, Ink, Wood
\$3,000
Franklin

Arnold, Joshua

To Whom It May Concern
Mixed
NFS
Franklin

Baker, Lawrence

That Day
Graphite on Paper
\$2,500
Cuyahoga

Baldwin, Cristal

Color Wave
Color Pencil
\$1,200
Madison

Ballenger, Brian

Neutral Buoyancy
Oil on Canvas
\$1,400
Franklin

Baughman, Ginny

Covid Windows
Found Object Sculpture
\$800
Montgomery

Beck, Dillon

Uncertainty
Aerosol on Cradled Wood Panel,
Framed
NFS
Franklin

Benedetti, Kirsta

Shakina
Acrylic and Latex on Canvas
\$2,200
Franklin

Benedetti, Kirsta

Zachariah
Acrylic and Latex on Canvas
\$1,800
Franklin

Ashleigh, Lauren

Passion Snapping
Acrylic Paint, Joint Compound,
Driftwood
\$550
Franklin

Beaver, Cassandra Ireland

Water, Land, Sky
Fiber
\$850
Champaign

Berry, River

Window II
Fiber and Found
Object/Sculpture
\$350
Franklin

Borg, Rick

Checkered Alligator
Pencil and Latex on Wood
\$1,000
Franklin

Borgia, Ricky

Cleveland Rocks
Acrylic, Marker on Canvas
\$3,000
Franklin

Borgia, Ricky

Present Worries Will
Expire
Acrylic, Oil, Charcoal, Marker on
Canvas
\$7,200
Franklin

Bouc, Rod

Smith's Fall Corn
Pigment Stick on Board
\$6,500
Franklin

Bowling, Jim

Past Imperfect
Stoneware with Low-Fire Glazes,
Vintage Wooden Chest
\$7,600
Franklin

Bradley, Casey

Hand To Earth (Spiritus)
Cast Bronze, Patinas, Wood,
Bark, Oxides, Glass
\$5,375
Belmont

Brown, Jennifer

Farm Crest Bakeries
Printmaking
\$325
Franklin

Brown, Jennifer

Milo-Grogan
Printmaking
\$325
Franklin

Brown, Jennifer

The Sprague House
Printmaking
\$325
Franklin

Brown, Jennifer

Two Twists On It
Ceramic
\$125
Franklin

Buckland, Kevin

Alum Creek Gulls
Watercolor
\$1,500
Delaware

Buckland, Pertain Gilespe

Meadow's First Light
Charcoal
\$550
Delaware

Burk, Christopher

Dresden Trees 19
Gouache on Paper
NFS
Franklin

Burk, Christopher

Tree Nocturne in Winter 1
Gouache on Paper
NFS
Franklin

**Burke & Gorgen, Molly Jo
& Nathan**

Murus Coelatura I
Paper, Box Elder, Beads,
Polystyrene, Air Dry Clay
\$1,750
Hamilton

Byrne, Juliellen

Eat Your Tweet
Ceramics
\$3,500
Franklin

Byrne, Juliellen

Fight
Ceramics
\$3,500
Franklin

Cairney, Molly

Birds of Passage
Mixed Media Drawing and
Collage
\$700
Licking

Cairney, Molly

Silky Swallow-Wort
Mixed Media Drawing and
Collage
\$700
Licking

Cappelletti, Maggie

Prayer
Acrylic Paint, Oil Paint on Canvas
\$6,000
Franklin

Captein, Louise

Untitled
Oil Monotype and Paper Collage
\$975
Franklin

Captein, Louise

Untitled
Oil and Paper Collage
\$975
Franklin

Carbone, Patricia

Country Road
Oil on Board
\$360
Union

Chrisman, Elizabeth

April Showers
Acrylic on Paper
\$1,000
Franklin

Chrisman, Elizabeth

Under the Donut Tree
Acrylic on Paper
\$1,000
Franklin

Cline, Emily

Untitled
Ceramics, Screen Printing
\$325
Franklin

Cline, Georgie

Fence on Beach
Fiber
\$950
Franklin

Cline, Georgie

Lake Atitlan at Dusk
Fiber
\$1,000
Franklin

Clutter, Linda

No Way Out
Photography
\$600
Franklin

Clutter, Linda

Venetian Sojourn
Photography
\$600
Franklin

Conrad, Alex

Sammy Macchiato
Paper Mounted on Canvas
\$3,357
Franklin

Coon, Ken

Blue Single, Caboose
Acrylic
\$4,800
Lake

Coon, Ken

The Prey
Egg Tempera
\$4,600
Lake

Coon, Ken

Yankee Farm in Amish
Country
Watercolor
\$1,900
Lake

Crapser, Michael

Days of Future Past
Collage
\$675
Franklin

Cropper, Christopher

Exit
Mixed Media
\$400
Pickaway

Crowley, Katherine

The Cherry Harvest
Oil and Watercolors on Cradled
Panel; Mixed Media
\$1,160
Franklin

Daniel, Nora

Green Roost Scene
Oil on Linen
\$18,000
Franklin

Darrett, Clifford

Family Reunion III
Oil Painting
\$900
Montgomery

Daugherty, Lori

Jollity
Encaustic Mixed Media
\$600
Montgomery

Daugherty, Lori

Swells
Encaustic Mixed Media
\$600
Montgomery

Degroat, Gregory

Harlem Story 1948 Pt. 2
Watercolor
\$1,500
Montgomery

Degroat, Gregory

Mother and Child
Watercolor
\$1,700
Montgomery

Degroat, Gregory

The Lesson
Watercolor
\$1,500
Montgomery

Denniston, David

Escapism
Oil on Canvas
\$3,500
Franklin

Denniston, David

Ice Cream in White
Oil on Canvas
\$1,300
Franklin

Depiro Abbott, Christine

Compact, 2/6
Drypoint and Monotype Edition
of 6
\$325
Franklin

Depiro Abbott, Christine

Preparing for the Next Day,
4/7
Silkscreen Edition of 7
\$495
Franklin

Dinger Wadkins, Edith

F is for Feather
Oil on Cradled Board
\$1,200
Franklin

Donnelly, Laura

Savanah in Flight
Stoneware
NFS
Carroll

Driscoll, Brian

Matthew
Ink on Paper
\$2,000
Erie

Driscoll, Brian

Sammi, 7 Days After Her
Murder
Ink on Paper
\$5,500
Erie

Dunlap, Jennifer

Botanical Heliograph
Cast Glass, Enamel, Oil Paint
and Alcohol Ink
\$375
Franklin

Eastman, Lisa

River Blue
Oil on Canvas
\$5,500
Geauga

Emory, Paul

Old Town Toaster
Acrylic on Shaped Panel
\$2,500
Muskingum

Emory, Paul

Sea of Plasticity
Mixed Media Construction
\$1,800
Muskingum

Fannin, Phyllis

Out on a Limb
Engraving
\$1,900
Cuyahoga

Fihe, Amy

Pervasive
Multimedia
\$150
Franklin

Fisher, Craig

Heisenberg Cut
Sugar Lift Aquatint, Japanese
Woodblock Chine-Collé
\$600
Lucas

Fisher, Craig

Requiem for Homero
Colored Mezzotint, Etching,
Chine-Collé
\$600
Lucas

Fisher, Craig

Tympanum
Colored Etching with Aquatint (a
la Poupeé)
\$500
Lucas

Fisher, Steven

Vim
Acrylic on Canvas
\$1,500
Union

Fohl, Mark

Morning Swing
Silver Gelatin Photograph
\$150
Franklin

Fornadley, Michael

Exodus 2
Casein on Wood
\$3,000
Fairfield

Gage, Angela

A Stroll Along the Stream
Pastel
\$500
Delaware

Gage, Angela

Kangaroo Rat Sunset
Pastel
\$500
Delaware

Goodman, Linda

Brandywine Falls
Acrylics on Museum Board with
Modeling Paste
\$1,200
Ashland

Graham, Paul

Morning Glories, Fence &
Mill
Color Photography
\$200
Franklin

Graver, Amanda

Tentacule
Fiber & Inkjet
NFS
Franklin

Greavu, Judith

Devonian Seas Fossils
Cast Bronze and Kiln Cast Glass
\$2,000
Allen

Grubbe, Dana

In Search of Green
Mansions
MM- Ink, Metal Leaf, Encaustic
on Stretched Canvas
\$850
Franklin

Guest, Kathy

Autumn Memories

Paper and Metal

\$175

Hocking

Guinane, Michael

A Night at Ohio Theatre

Acrylic and Watercolor Dry

Brush on Panel

\$7,500

Franklin

Hackworth, Mark

Heart

Intaglio and Digital Photo on

Arches

\$300

Athens

Hackworth, Mark

Separation

Intaglio and Digital Photo on

Rives

\$300

Athens

Hackworth, Mark

Waiting

Intaglio Print

\$400

Athens

Hahn, Sarah

Anguish

Ceramic and Cold Finish

\$4,200

Delaware

Hahn, Sarah

Joy

Ceramic and Cold Finish

\$4,200

Delaware

Harris, Susanna

Fading

Print Media, Hand Cut Paper,

Fluorescent Ink

\$800

Franklin

Hartke, Alexander

Nergal (Mars)

Glass

\$1,200

Lucas

Hartke, Alexander

Swoop

Glass

\$900

Lucas

Hayakawa, Hiroshi

Cellini

Graphite on Paper

NFS

Franklin

Hays, Michael B.

Begging Bowl: Sloth

Metalworking - Copper

\$800

Franklin

Hays, Michael B.

When the Crocodile

Swallowed the Night

Metalworking - Copper, Silver,

Patina

\$800

Franklin

Hazen, Judy

Hawk Valley Hillside

Oil on Canvas

\$600

Franklin

Hazen, Judy

Lake Erie Shoreline

Oil on Canvas

\$900

Franklin

Heffelfinger, Carolyn

Autumn Ford

Oil

\$4,000

Delaware

Henderson, Megan

The Cave You Fear To Enter

Fiber

\$900

Licking

Hickman-Romine, Mikelle

Luna Giant Silk Moth

Off Loom Bead Weaving,

Sculpture, Gilding

\$1,500

Franklin

Hickman-Romine, Mikelle

Polyphemus Giant Silk

Moth

Off Loom Bead Weaving,

Sculpture

\$1,400

Franklin

Hildebrand, Faith

Polyps in Bloom

Ceramic

\$2,500

Franklin

Hildebrand, Faith

Reef Vase

Ceramic

\$750

Franklin

Hill, Nicholas

Covid Roller Coaster

Intaglio Print

\$200

Licking

Hill, Nicholas

New Corona Virus Surge

Intaglio Print

\$200

Licking

Houf, Shiree

Impression of Flight

Mixed: Fabric, Paper, Lamination
Sheets, Wire**\$1,500 w. mannequin, \$500****w/o mannequin**

Fairfield

Hunt, Liz

Code Red

Wood, Monoprint on

Cheesecloth, Acrylic, Tulle

\$750

Delaware

Husted, Marty

Hills and Dales

Acrylic Mixed Media

\$950

Franklin

Hyden, Suzi

Spring Botanicals Paper

Quilt

Toned Cyanotype on Watercolor
Paper; Contact Print**\$750**

Champaign

James III, Robert A.

Terra Firma DefCon1

Acrylic on Canvas

\$3,000

Franklin

Joslin, Kelly

Mirth

Photography - Archival Giclee
Print**\$600**

Montgomery

Judy, Gina T.

Generations

Watermedia on Hot Press

NFS

Jefferson

Judy, Gina T.Structures in the Concrete
JungleWatermedia, Ink, Monoprinted
Elements**\$1,200**

Jefferson

Jurus, Richard

Then Came the Virus

Photograph on Canvas

\$1,200

Montgomery

Kayne, RobertaGreat Blue Heron on the
Scioto

Infrared Photography

\$250

Franklin

Kelmer, William

Ovulation

Photo Collage

\$700

Athens

Knee, Sophie

Dies Irae Trio I

Stoneware, Porcelain, Celadon
Glazes**\$1,800**

Franklin

Koch, William

Color Attraction

Watercolor Mixed

\$2,000

Tuscarawas

Koch, William

Striation of Layers

Watercolor Mixed

\$2,000

Tuscarawas

Kunkle, Carrie

Gardenia

Hand-Built/Molded Stoneware
Cone 05; Glaze**\$600**

Tuscarawas

Kustron, Jan

Gloria

Gouache and Watercolor on
Tinted Paper**NFS**

Franklin

Lander, Lee

Red Sector A

Mixed Media

\$1,500

Delaware

Lavorini, VictoriaUntitled (from Surplus
Books)

Graphite, Gouache, Charcoal

\$1,200

Franklin

Leach, G. W.

Mr.

Oil

\$750

Franklin

Leonard, Holly

Aloft

Oil on Canvas

\$675

Franklin

Leslie, James

Sun Lit Blue

Oil on Canvas

\$875

Summit

Leviton, Linda

Blackbird

Fiber

\$1,500

Delaware

Leviton, Linda

Ovals

Fiber

\$1,500

Delaware

Lillash, Richard

Grace's Window, Spring

Oil on Sand and Gesso Canvas

NFS

Franklin

Love, Sherri

Wood Wren

Woodburning

\$150

Franklin

Lucas, Minnie

Self

Photography

\$500

Franklin

Macdonald, Dwaine

Hung Out to Dry

Acrylic on Board

\$1,500

Franklin

Mangino, Fran

Plating Dinners at Scali's

Watercolor

\$1,750

Franklin

Martin, Julie

Mistaken Identity

Mixed Media

\$880

Trumbull

McClanahan, Lynda P.

Mater Porcus Ohio

Oil Lettering Enamel on Plywood

\$900

Franklin

McClanahan, Lynda P.

The Heart of It All

Oil Lettering Enamel on Plywood

\$900

Franklin

McDonnell, Colleen

The Rose

Printmaking - Solarplate and

Blockprint

\$500

Franklin

McGhee, Kathy

Forest

Lithographic Stone Print

\$450

Franklin

McGhee, Kathy

George at the Door

Silkscreen Print and Watercolor

\$650

Franklin

McGhee, Kathy

Mullein_Verbascum

Thaspus

Silkscreen Print

\$600

Franklin

McGhee, Kathy

Poppies vs II

Lithographic Printing, Silkscreen,
and Watercolor**\$500**

Franklin

Mellick, James D.

Da Vinci's Dog

Woodcut, Ink on Mulberry

Paper

\$2,000

Union

Mellick, James D.

Fur Missile

Carved and Turned Cherry and

Airbrushed Acrylic

\$2,500

Union

Mintz, Charles

Ohio Guide - Taborville

Photography

\$900

Cuyahoga

Moody, Audrey

Got Soap?

Oil

\$450

Franklin

Morrett, Melanie

Perfect Love

Drypoint Etching

\$225

Greene

Morrett, Melanie

Secret Garden III
Monotype Printmaking
NFS
Greene

Morrett, Melanie

Synergized
Monotype Printmaking
\$650
Greene

Morris, Kristin

Harpy
Ceramic Sculpture
\$950
Franklin

Morrison, Anne

3.20.23 Portrait on Blue
Black and White Pencil on
Acrylic Toned Paper
\$380
Cuyahoga

Murray, Jennifer Nicole

Aunt Olive's Quilt
Acrylic on Canvas
\$24,500
Franklin

Nelson, Ardine

Transitory States 2167
Photography
\$2,000
Franklin

Nesbitt, Donna

The Gleaners
Oil
\$400
Franklin

Paolucci, Christina

Alum Creek
Photography
\$900
Franklin

Paolucci, Christina

Upper Old Man's Cave
Falls
Photography
\$1,500
Franklin

Parkinson-Holtrey, Jo Ann

State Fair
Acrylic on Board
\$850
Franklin

Petrill, Dawn

Transformation
Acrylic and Mixed Media on
Wood Panels
NFS
Franklin

Philippidis, Evangelia

Sisters and Daughters
Scratchboard
\$3,000
Franklin

Pilbeam, James

Farm Girl X
Photo
\$180
Franklin

Pilbeam, James

The Other Side
Photo
\$180
Franklin

Potts, Kyndall

Rebecca
Acrylic on Canvas
\$575
Fairfield

Potts, Kyndall

Sunny
Acrylic on Canvas
\$850
Fairfield

Pribojan, Diane

Pink Clouds
Acrylic on Panel
\$200
Medina

Pribojan, Diane

Summer Light
Acrylic on Panel
\$125
Medina

Rebele, Ann

Leftover Paint
Art Quilt
\$2,200
Delaware

Regensburger, Jeff

American Landscape 2023
#39
Oil on Paper
\$400
Franklin

Rienzo, Paul

Kingdom
Acrylic
\$3,000
Hamilton

Robinson, Brittany

Skin Impression 6:48
Digital Photography
\$175
Franklin

Roggenkamp, Priscilla
Family Separation Series
29 34
Collagraph Print
\$250
Stark

Roggenkamp, Priscilla
Family Separation Series
29 42
Collagraph Print
\$250
Stark

Romano, Holly
Garden Paradise
Lumen Solargram Cameraless
Photograph
\$1,500
Franklin

Rosenberg, Melinda
Twisted Series
Stick, Paint on OSB, Plywood
and Barn Wood
\$6,000
Franklin

Ruffini, Franco
Net Zero
Metal: Copper
NFS
Franklin

Ryan, Christine Guillot
L'aventure de ma Mère
[n.1]
Linocut Print on Rice Paper with
Pastel
\$480
Franklin

Sargent III, John A
The Question Persists
Oil on Canvas
\$18,000
Cuyahoga

Schanberger, Francis
Polystyrene Plate No. 4,
Recto
Photography, Silver Gelatin Print
\$400
Montgomery

Schillig, Beth
Love Along the Blue Ridge
Fiber
NFS
Franklin

Schindler, Karen
Carnivore Cafe
Mixed Media Ceramic and Nuno
Felt
\$350
Franklin

Sharma, Neera
Horse on a Windy Day
Silk Dyes on Pure Silk Fabric
\$650
Franklin

Shichinohe, Ayuka
Just Keep Them Alive
Oil Paint
\$2,200
Franklin

Silverman, Ann
Cotton and Conversations
Mixed
\$700
Franklin

Simmons, Nancy
Clear Creek
Watercolor over Teabags
\$425
Fairfield

Slobodien, Brook
Lotus Bowl
Porcelain, Celadon Glaze
\$185
Franklin

Smith, Claire
Orange Boy/Reflected
Waterproof Canvas, Polyfill,
Wood, and Found Glass
\$2,800
Franklin

Smith-Mansell, Roxanne
Bat Tessellation
Watercolor Pencil, Watercolor
\$900
Franklin

Smithson, Kathryn
Jeri's Hawk
Colored Pencil
\$500
Franklin

Snyders, Jim
Multitasking
Photography
\$165
Delaware

Sostrom, Ben
Shrine to a Stranger
Wood, Porcelain
\$350
Franklin

Sowders, Jennifer
Emergence
Watercolor on Yupo
\$900
Hancock

Sowders, Jennifer
Riverbend Reprise
Acrylic on Panel
\$2,700
Hancock

Sowders, Jennifer

Shop Talk

Watercolor and Ink on Yupo

\$850

Hancock

St. John, Jack

Dream of Debris and Fungi

Mixed Media on Paper

\$1,500

Cuyahoga

Stanley, Brooke

Satyr and the Fawn

Intaglio Print

\$200

Franklin

Staub, Michelle

Natasha

Hand Embroidery

NFS

Clermont

Steele, Judith

Casting Condor

3 Color Monoprint + Collagraph

\$535

Franklin

Steele, Judith

Casting Crane

3 Color Monoprint + Collagraph

\$535

Franklin

Steele, Judith

Casting Egret

3 Color Monoprint + Collagraph

\$535

Franklin

Steele, Judith

Casting Flamingo

3 Color Monoprint + Collagraph

\$535

Franklin

Steele, Mark

Ohio '72

Photography

\$200

Franklin

Steffanni, Edward

Hole in Tree

Etching with Watercolor

\$450

Wood

Steffanni, Edward

Somewhere Over Ohio

Color Lithograph

\$750

Wood

Stichweh, David

Floating Leaf Cluster

Cyanotype

\$400

Franklin

Strickland, Gene

Robot Dinosaur Series

#132

Digital Illustration on Inkjet

Photo Canvas

\$250

Franklin

Suver, Gale

After the Leaves Fall

Oil on Canvas

\$650

Delaware

Swihart, Sue

It's Better Upside Down

Gouache, Watercolor, Ink

\$1,175

Franklin

Takacs, Judy

Ban Heartbeat Bills

Oil on Canvas with Collage

NFS

Cuyahoga

Takacs, Judy

Portrait of Joy

Oil on Canvas with Gold Leaf

\$8,000

Cuyahoga

Takada, Kaname

Double Walled Bowl - 5816

Earthenware

\$475

Franklin

Thompson, Melodie

In Maude's Clover Garden

Oil on Birch Panel

\$4,000

Delaware

Threats Fairley, Mizion

Induced Sleep

Pencil

\$1,950

Franklin

Trout, James

The Recipe

Acrylic on Board

NFS

Franklin

Veldey, Elizabeth

Beach Walk Triptych

Oil on Panel

\$950

Delaware

Veldey, Elizabeth

Unfinished Projects - Aqua

Oil on Panel

\$700

Delaware

Vilshanetskaya, Margarita

Abstract

Fiber/Mixed Media

NFS

Franklin

Vogel, Barbara

Talle Bamazi

Wand-Scanned Portrait Printed
on Silk Fabric Frame**\$1,000**

Franklin

Ward, Mary Jane

Mikka

Oil on Panel

\$650

Franklin

Weaver, Kristina

Baby Birds and Gummy

Worms

Mokuhanga Print

\$75

Franklin

Weaver, Kristina

Tiamat

Color Reduction Print

NFS

Franklin

Wehausen, Ernst

Mae's Market

Photography

\$250

Franklin

Wesner, Linda

Ohio Corn 3

Colored Pencil

\$1,000

Delaware

White, PeterFeathers & Petals (Blue
Var.)

Silkscreen

\$500

Franklin

White, Peter

Lay Your Eyes Upon Me

Silkscreen on Vellum

\$250

Franklin

White, Peter

Living Deliciously

Relief/Linocut

\$250

Franklin

Whiteside, Beverly

Flowers for Clotilda

Mixed Media

NFS

Franklin

Wiley, Sierra

Series 2

Acrylic on Canvas

\$1,500

Franklin

Williams, Brian

Night-Fighter

Graphite and Charcoal Powder
on Paper**\$700**

Franklin

Wilson, Rodger

Book, Cards in Box

Letterpress

\$150

Franklin

Wilson, Rodger

Stone#1

Lithography

\$1,200

Franklin

Wilson, Rodger

Stone#2

Lithography

\$1,200

Franklin

Winters, Donna

Congregation

Photography

\$575

Franklin

Wolfrum, Gina

Reflections of the Forest

Acrylic Mixed-Media, Gemstone
Series**\$3,000**

Defiance

Wolkan, Lawrence

Column of Ohio Color

Acrylic

NFS

Delaware

Wood, Richard

Architectural Detail

Digital Photography

\$350

Franklin

Woodrow, Julie

Alerted

Ceramics

\$2,200

Union

Woodrow, Julie

Toska

Ceramics

\$2,200

Union

Workley, Elaina

A Moment Between Past
and Progress, Divided

Relief, Chine-Collé

\$475

Franklin

Workley, Elaina

A Ritual Gathering of the
Self

Relief, Intaglio, Image Transfer
Monoprint

\$525

Franklin

Young, Tony

King Marsh Vase

Ceramics

\$1,100

Marion

Young, Tony

RIOT Shark

Ceramics

\$1,400

Marion

Zimmer, Evie

Chiffon

Oil on Canvas

\$3,600

Cuyahoga

Zimmer, Evie

Reflections

Oil on Canvas

\$2,800

Cuyahoga

Zimmer, Evie

Wonderlust

Oil on Canvas

\$12,500

Cuyahoga

Professional Division Awards

Best of Show

2023 Professional \$2,000

Evie Zimmer, *Wonderlust*

2nd Best of Show

2023 Professional \$1,400

Craig Fisher, *Requiem for Homero*

3rd Best of Show

2023 Professional \$1,000

Kathy McGhee, *Mullein_Verbascum thaspus*

Juror's Choice Award

2023 Professional \$600

Susanna Harris, *Fading*

Christine Depiro-Abbott, *Preparing for the Day, 4/7*

Ohio Arts Council Awards

2023 Professional \$400

Casey Bradley, *Hand To Earth (Spiritus)*

Ken Coon, *Blue Single, Caboose*

Craig Fisher, *Heisenberg Cut*

Mark Hackworth, *Heart*

Sarah Hahn, *Joy*

Megan Henderson, *The Cave You Fear To Enter*

Mikelle Hickman-Romine, *Polyphemus Giant Silk Moth*

Ann Rebele, *Leftover Paint*

OAC Special Purchase Award

2023 Professional \$880

Julie Martin, *Mistaken Identity*

2023 Professional \$700

Elizabeth Veldey, *Unfinished Projects - Aqua*

Bareclay Studios Award

2023 Professional \$400

Jim Bowling, *Past Imperfect*

Connie Layne Memorial Award

2023 Professional \$100

Gregory Degroat, *The Lesson*

Glass Axis Award

2023 Professional \$200

Alexander Hartke, *Nergal (Mars)*

Hayley Gallery Award

2023 Professional \$100

Carrie Kunkle, *Gardenia*

Hazen-Taft Award

2023 Professional \$100

Audrey Moody, *Got Soap?*

Friends of the Cultural Arts Center Award

2023 Professional \$200

Melodie Thompson, *In Maude's Clover Garden*

Phoenix Rising Printmaking Cooperative Award

2023 Professional \$200

Edward Steffanni, *Somewhere Over Ohio*

Peggy R. McConnell Arts Center Award

2023 Professional \$250

Claire Smith, *Orange Boy / Reflected*

Collage of Women Artists Award

2023 Professional \$100

Heather Pedersen, *929*



Amateur Division

Juror Bio & Statement

Eliana Calle Saari is a Colombian-born artist whose award-winning work has been widely exhibited nationally and internationally. She earned a degree in Fashion Design from her hometown of Medellin before moving to the United States to continue her studies where she earned BA degrees in Art and Spanish from Otterbein University, followed by an MFA in Printmaking from The Ohio State University.

Her printmaking practice draws from traditional Colombian storytelling with its blend of evocative description and Magic Realism. Calle Saari creates series of monumental woodcuts printed on lush paper, diaphanous silk, and patterned cotton, as well as meticulous constructed artist's books that contain prints which intimately engage the viewer and evoke universal folkloric stories.

Calle Saari is a professional teaching artist and currently a faculty member in the Art Department at Ohio Dominican University and an adjunct professor at her alma mater, Otterbein University. Her work has been recognized through numerous solo exhibitions, awards, and residencies. In 2008, Calle Saari was awarded an Ohio Arts Council Artist-in-Residence Exchange in Dresden, Germany and, in both 2016, 2017, 2022 her printmaking won awards in the Ohio State Fair Fine Arts Exhibition.

As the juror for this year's Amateur division of the Ohio State Fair Fine Arts Exhibition, I cannot help but reminisce about my own journey as an artist. A little over twenty years ago, right here at the Ohio State Fair Fine Arts Exhibition, my work was being exhibited for the very first time in a non-academic setting. That experience holds a special place in my heart. Little did I know then that this annual event would become an integral part of my artistic career.

When I received the invitation to be the juror for this year's Amateur division, I was delighted. I knew that this would be an opportunity to witness the blossoming of beginners and those who create art purely for the joy it brings. The Amateur division represents a realm of untamed creativity, where individuals pour their hearts and souls into their artwork, unhindered by external pressures or expectations. It was particularly refreshing to see not only the quality of the work but also the sheer sense of freedom that emanated from each piece.

Throughout the jurying process, I was impressed by the quality of the submissions. The level of talent and dedication displayed by the artists in this division was inspiring. I must admit that it made my task quite challenging and humbling. The decision-making process was no easy feat, as each piece held its own unique charm and merit.

To those whose work has been selected for exhibition, I offer my heartfelt congratulations. Your talent and artistic expression have shone through, and your presence in this show is well-deserved. May this recognition fuel your creative spirit and propel you towards further success on your artistic journey. However, to those whose work was not chosen this time around, I want to emphasize the importance of perseverance and belief in your own artistic vision. Rejection can be disheartening, but it should never be a deterrent. I encourage you to continue believing in the power of your work. Keep creating, keep experimenting, and keep pushing the boundaries of your artistic abilities. Consider submitting your work again next year, explore local art shows, and seek out opportunities to showcase your talent.

It has been a pleasure, honor, and gift jurying this exhibition. I want to congratulate and thank all the artists for creating and allowing me to spend time with their work. Thank You.

Amateur Artist Directory

Allen, Gerry

From darkness into light
Photographic Print
\$300
Franklin

Anthony, Carl

Fine art bowl
Woodturning
\$185
Franklin

Balombin, Clare

Shingle Beach
Ceramics
\$95
Franklin

Batey, Natalie

Take a Seat
Acrylic Paint
NFS
Medina

Bigham, Jessy

Morning Chores
Photography
NFS
Preble

Bisht, Madhoolika

Is It Raining?
Watercolors
\$180
Franklin

Bonakoski, Charles

Good Day/Bad Day
Ceramic
NFS
Stark

Bova, Laura J.

Retreat
Acrylic, Monoprint, Drawing,
Collage on Paper
\$350
Franklin

Bova, Laura J.

Spinning
Monoprint, Gold Leaf, Collage
on Paper
\$350
Franklin

Bradford, Eden

Found Lid Exploration
Mixed Media
NFS
Licking

Bradford, Eden

Trash Print #2
Found Cigarette on Paper
\$200
Licking

Breker, Bethany

Weary Traveler
B&W Charcoal Drawing
NFS
Morrow

Brown, Tracy

Whispers of
Remembrance: Hold
Stoneware
\$800
Franklin

Canfield, Gwendolyn

Playing Truant
Acrylic on Wood
NFS
Franklin

Canter, Marcia Lang

Bi
Ceramics
\$250
Franklin

Canter, William Richard

Willow
Wood and Stone
NFS
Franklin

Cartwright, Carrie

Exploring Brandywine Falls
Photography
\$85
Delaware

Chaffin, Carla

Snow Faery Levitation
Acrylic
NFS
Pickaway

Chu, David

Hiding My True Self
Photography
\$200
Delaware

Chunko, Joseph

Shadows
Photography
\$200
Franklin

Corcoran, Susan

The Room

Oil

NFS

Franklin

Creekmore, John

5

Illustration

\$300

Greene

Crowell, Cate

Disregard the Craving

Ceramic

NFS

Delaware

Curran, Addison

315, 33, 62, 5th

Ceramic

\$1,000

Franklin

Darrah, Sara

Fall Colors Mosaic

Glass Mosaics

\$400

Greene

Daugherty, Mackenzie

Checkerboard

Watercolor & Ink

\$125

Franklin

Day, Sue

Flor Roja

Digital Photography

\$175

Franklin

Dorrian-Lenzotti, Anne

Mi Angel en un Frasco

Bead Embroidery

NFS

Franklin

Dubanowich, Tom

Integrity

Watercolor

NFS

Delaware

Farmer, Sarah

The Grass is Always

Greener

Oil

NFS

Franklin

Finney, Angela

Be the Light

Fabric Construction (Not a Quilt)

NFS

Franklin

Finney, Angela

Coshocton County Fair

Drypoint Etching with Chine

Colle

\$900

Franklin

Finney, Angela

Murphin's Ridge 1

Monotype

\$400

Franklin

Finney, Angela

Murphin's Ridge 2

Monotype

\$400

Franklin

Finney, Angela

The Artist

Monotype

\$400

Franklin

Gaynor, Linda

Pterobird

Forged and Welded Steel, Found

Object

\$1,500

Lucas

Gedert, Kellie

PawPaw Leaves

Cyanotype

\$300

Franklin

Gedert, Kellie

Solo But One

Cyanotype

\$75

Franklin

Gedert, Milo

Add

Photography

\$75

Franklin

Gonzalez-Bartoli, Rebecca

Morning Coffee

Acrylic Paint on Canvas

\$500

Franklin

Gustafson, Glenn

Dragon's Egg

Ceramics

\$75

Franklin

Haines, Hilary

The Emerald City Skyline

Photography

\$200

Franklin

Harris, Charles

Bright Site

Oil

\$200

Franklin

Hartranft, Avery

Impressions
Gouache, Chalk Pastel
\$350
Delaware

Heacock, Heidi

Emerald Isle
Acrylic, Modeling Paste
\$450
Franklin

Heitzenrater, Jessica

A Change of Fate
Lithography & Silkscreen
NFS
Union

Heitzenrater, Jessica

Caeneus in the Mourning
Fields
Relief Print
NFS
Union

Henry, Paul

What You Expect
Graphite
\$750
Franklin

Herman, Jennifer

Fallen Branches
Oil on Canvas
\$950
Franklin

Herman, Jennifer

Story
Oil on Canvas
\$800
Franklin

Hooper, Jeff

Clear Skies
Oil
NFS
Logan

Howland, Rachelle

Tied
Polaroid
NFS
Franklin

Hughes, Maxwell

Octopus Plate
Polymer Clay, Acrylic Paint,
Twine
NFS
Hamilton

Hunyadi, Sarah

Journey
Mixed Media
\$500
Franklin

Jackson, Jeff

Bolt
Steel
\$3,500
Erie

Jackson, Jeff

Tellus
Steel
\$6,000
Erie

Johnson, Corey

Maine Beach with People
BW
Photography
\$300
Delaware

Johnson, Corey

Maine Beach with Trees
Photography
\$300
Delaware

Kathleen, Kat

Cozy
Mixed Media
\$50
Franklin

Kathleen, Kat

Go Away
Mixed Media
\$75
Franklin

Krivicich, Greg

Fragile Forrest
Etching, Hand Press
\$750
Franklin

Krivicich, Greg

Gpa Krivicich Triptych
Linocut, Hand Press
\$450
Franklin

Krivicich, Greg

Linear Lunar Moon
Mixed Media, Acrylic Painting,
Relief Print
NFS
Franklin

Lawhead, Sierra

American Sign Language
Printmaking
\$275
Delaware

Lawrence, Gabrielle Alicia

Just a Touch
Colograph on Rice Paper
\$200
Cuyahoga

Lawrence, Gabrielle Alicia

Waiting for the Uffizi to
Open

Colored Pencil

NFS

Cuyahoga

Malek, Rachel

Cow

Paper and Charcoal

NFS

Delaware

Malek, Rachel

Woodland Creatures

Clay

NFS

Delaware

McManamon, Geraldine

East Fifth Avenue

Oil on Canvas

\$600

Franklin

McManamon, Geraldine

Looking Forward

Oil on Canvas Board

NFS

Franklin

McManamon, Geraldine

Mom and Slugger

Oil on Canvas

NFS

Franklin

Medley, Therese

Ms. Roxy

Glass Tile

\$2,000

Delaware

Mentzer, Rachel

At the Flats

Collagraph

\$100

Lorain

Mentzer, Rachel

Familia

Drypoint

\$100

Lorain

Mentzer, Rachel

Golden Eagles

Collagraph Chine Collé

\$100

Lorain

Mentzer, Rachel

Into the Woods

Drypoint Chine Collé

\$100

Lorain

Merz, Bill

Nuts for Fries

Photo

\$120

Hamilton

Merz, Bill

Steampunk AirFryer Basket

Table Light

\$500

Hamilton

Morbitzer, Grace

Veggies

Linocut Print on Paper

\$150

Franklin

Naugle, Alexandra

In Moonlight

Charcoal

NFS

Greene

Nicodemus, Tara

Into the Light

Acrylic

\$2,600

Franklin

Nicodemus, Tara

Reverence

Acrylic

\$2,600

Franklin

Olson, Lesley

Miss Riddle

Mixed Media on Board

\$300

Franklin

Pedersen, Heather

929

Acrylic

\$1,500

Cuyahoga

Perdue, Tim

Musicians In Monochrome

- Bass

Black & White Photographic

Print

\$150

Franklin

Pierce, Carol

Short North

Oil

NFS

Franklin

Pierce, Carol

Vermont Farmers Market

Oil

NFS

Franklin

Posey, Kurtis

Crab Apples and a Hot
Pepper

Color Pencil

\$1,250

Fairfield

Posey, Kurtis

Springtime

Watercolor

\$450

Fairfield

Potts, Jordan

Smile

Photography

\$120

Franklin

Pramik, Rosalie

Pink and Yellow Wallpaper

Painting

\$50

Franklin

Raubenolt, Amy

Pink Chrysanthemum

Silk Painting

\$300

Franklin

Razek, Kara

Walnut Woods

Oil on Panel

\$225

Franklin

Reckless Simmons, Marti

Ohio Summer

Acrylic

\$500

Delaware

Reidinger, Eric

Tagged Gymnasium

Photography

\$200

Franklin

Ridenour, Sarah

Miami

Acrylic Paint

\$600

Franklin

Robek, Ashleigh

Please Touch Me

Textiles

\$2,000

Delaware

Sadic, Adin

Digital Reflection

Bronze

\$2,500

Franklin

Schmidt, Scarlett

Hand cup and bowl set

Ceramic

NFS

Delaware

Shedenhelm, Max

"The Discerning truth"

Photographic Print

\$125

Madison

Shedenhelm, Max

"The Prayer"

Photographic Print

\$125

Madison

Spencer, Patsy

Red Floral

Acrylic / Collage

\$250

Franklin

Stone, Samantha

Purple Smoke

Watercolor, Gouache, Ink

\$200

Fairfield

Sutton, Bradley

Other Things Come Our
Way

Acrylic on Canvas

\$3,500

Franklin

Sutton, Bradley

Was This Your Dream or
Mine

Acrylic on Canvas

\$280

Franklin

Ullom, Hayli

I Am a Ridiculous Man

Colour Pencil and Pastel

NFS

Logan

Vance, Blaine

Eyemouth

Digital Painting

\$80

Franklin

Wahlund, Chase

Expression of Identity

Mixed Media with Acrylic Paint
on Canvas

NFS

Delaware

Wahlund, Chase

Irrational & Insane

Acrylic Paint on Canvas

NFS

Delaware

Wallace, David
Winter Portal
Photograph on Metal
\$400
Franklin

Wallace, Erin
Iris
Encaustic Painting
\$250
Franklin

Zaleha, Shaylyn
Rainbow of Emotions
Colored Pencil on Paper in
Homemade Wooden Frame
NFS
Clark

Amateur Division Awards

Best of Show

2023 Amateur \$1000
Rachel Mentzer, *Golden Eagles*

2nd Best of Show

2023 Amateur \$700
Jessica Heitzenrater, *A Change of Fate*

3rd Best of Show

2023 Amateur \$500
Sierra Lawhead, *American Sign Language*

Juror's Choice Award

2023 Amateur \$400
Addison Curran, *315, 33, 62, 5th*
Eden Bradford, *Found Lid Exploration*

Ohio Arts Council Award

2023 Amateur \$250
Rachelle Howland, *Tied*
Jeff Jackson, *Bolt*
Rachel Mentzer, *At the Flats*
Angela Finney, *Be the Light*

83 Gallery Award

2023 Amateur \$100
Kat Kathleen, *Go Away*

Bareclay Studios Award

2023 Amateur \$300
Rachel Malek, *Woodland Creatures*

Friends of the Cultural Arts Center Award

2023 Amateur \$150
Sarah Ridenour, *Miami*

Tara Nicodemus, *Into the Light*

Glass Axis Award

2023 Amateur \$200
Sarah Darrah, *Fall Colors Mosaic*

Wild Goose Creative Award

2023 Amateur \$600
Tracy Brown, *Whispers of Remembrance: Hold*

Ohio Pastel Art League Award

2023 Amateur \$100
Hayli Ullom, *I Am a Ridiculous Man*

Phoenix Rising Printmaking Cooperative Award

2023 Amateur \$100
Greg Krivicich, *Fragile Forrest*

ROYGBIV Gallery Award

2023 Amateur \$100
Anne Dorrian-Lenzotti, *Mi Angel en un Frasco*

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