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Pastel painting en plein air since 2002.

Recognition:

- Featured in "Pastel Journal", May/June 2010
- "Best of Worldwide Landscape Artists: 2010", Kennedy Publications, 2010
- Selected invitee, "Door County Invitational Plein Air Competition, Exhibition & Auction", 07/09
- Featured artist "Art As Response", CreateBetterPaintings.com 07/08
- Honorable mention, "HHAL National Exhibit", Hilton Head SC 05/08
- Featured in "Jack Richeson's Small Works", book 2008
- Workshop awarded by Scottsdale Artist's School, 01/08
- "Jack Richeson's Artist Choice", exhibition book due late 2008
- "Jack Richeson's Fine Art Series Vol. I, Plein Air New Mexico", book 2006
- "Paint the Hocking Hills Plein Air Competition", Ohio, Honorable Mention, 09/06

Show History:

- "Mackerel Sky Invitational Exhibition" Mackerel Sky Gallery, East Lansing MI • Aug-Sept/2010
- "Door County Plein Air Festival" Link Gallery, Fish Creek, WI • Aug-Sept 2009
- "Door County Plein Air Festival Exhibit & Auction", Fish Creek, WI • 07/09
- "Long Beach Island Foundation", Long Beach, NJ • 07/09
- "Pastel Painters of Maine National Pastel Exhibition", Saco, ME • 06/09
- "Fine Arts League of Cary National Exhibition", Cary, NC • 06/09
- "International Association of Pastel Societies National Exhibition", Ventana Gallery, Santa Fe, NM • 06/09
- "Emerald Springs National Exhibition", Springfield, OR • May-June 09
- "Jewels in the Landscape: Delicacy of Form, Color & Spirit" Mackerel Sky Gallery, East Lansing, MI • Feb-March 2009
- "Connecticut Pastel Society Renaissance in Pastel 2008", CT • 10/08
- "Northeast National Juried Pastel Exhibition", Old Forge, NY • April-May/08
- "National Juried Exhibition", Hilton Head, SC • 04/08
- "National Juried Pastel on Paper Exhibition", Wichita, Kansas • March-April 2008
- "Midland Art Association National Exhibition", Midland, Texas • 03/08
- "Curated Plein Air Exhibition", Museum of Art, Springfield, OH • 11/07
- "Wetland Jewels: Plein Air Landscapes", solo exhibition, Lansing MI • May-June 2007
- "Ohio Plein Air Society: Plein Air Ohio", Lima, OH • 08/06
- "Coleoptera: Watercolor Beetles", Banyan Gallery, Lansing, MI • 04/06
- "Plein Air New Mexico National Invitational & Juried Show", Santa Fe, NM 12/05

"Beautiful Japanese Maples", First Gentleman's Office, State of Michigan • Oct-Nov 2005

"Pastel Society of Oregon National Juried Show", Roseburg, OR • 09/04

"Lansing Art Gallery Member Juried Show", Lansing, MI • July/August 2005

"Power of Color: Pastels", Trillium Gallery, East Lansing, Michigan • 10/02

"Abstract Power of Pastels", Todd Mack Gallery, Lansing, MI • 10/01

"Plastic Cameras: Launching toycamera.com", Lansing, MI, October 1998

Professional Affiliations:

Great Lakes Pastel Society

International Association of Pastel Societies

The Degas Pastel Society, juried membership

Galleries:

Chelsea River Gallery, Chelsea, MI

Warm Springs Gallery, Warm Springs and Charlottesville VA1

Training:

Lorenzo Chavez • Pastel En Plein Air • Tucson March 2008

Ken Cadawallader, OPS • Portrait • GR MI 2007

Susan Ogilvie, PSA • Landscape • Roseburg OR • Oct 2003

Bill Hosner, PSA • Pastel En Plein Air • Romeo MI • June 2003

Jim Markle, PSA • Pastel Painting • Lowell MI • May 2003

Larry Blovits, PSA • Making Pastels • GR MI 2002

Education:

• Associates Degree in Applied Science, Photographic Technology Lansing Community College • Lansing Michigan • 1985

• Course work Interdisciplinary Humanities: Philosophy, Sociology, Journalism 95-96

• Professional development in Fine Art Reproduction, Commercial Photography, Computer Graphics, Ethics, Visual and Cognitive Psychology, SIGGRAPH 1994/99

Professional Activities:

• "Spark Art II; Continued" Presentation to AP Art Class, Haslett, MI • 05/2010

• "Older Than the Tube: A History of Pastels", Peninsula School of Art, Fish Creek WI • 07/09

• "Pastel Introduction: Materials and Techniques", Williamston, MI • 04/09

• "Pastel En Plein Air Workshop", Williamston, MI • 04/09

• "Spark Art; Presentation For Youth", Haslett, MI • 03/09

• Pastel Plein Air One-day Workshops "Paint the Mississippi", Lacross WI • 08/08

• Advertising photographer for Lansing State Journal 2002-2005

• Plein Air Presentation to the Mid-Michigan Art Guild • 09/05

• Adjunct Faculty, electronic illustration, design, technology, Art Design & Multimedia Department, Lansing Community College • Lansing Michigan • 97-01

• Electronic Illustration and Interface Design, Denali Software LLC, Okemos Michigan • 1997-2000

• Staff photographer Lansing Community College 90-97

• Instructor for Michigan Technology University Summer Youth Program 90-95, Photography

Institutional Collectors

St. Joe Hospital • MI

Susan Bandes, Kresge Art Museum Director • MI

Gayle M. Gyure • OH

Jane Zynda • Larry Max • MI

Lansing Community College Juried "Art On Campus" Juried Purchase Program, 2007

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Jack Bergeron, Applied Technology/Art Dept. Chair. Lansing Community College • MI

Don Leduc and Susan Coley • MI

Brad Rakowski • MI

Steve Stauff • Brian Mavis • MI

Mark Ritzenheim, Steven Wilenski, MDR • MI

Ron Mayka • CO

Damita Zweiback • MI

Sharon Wood • MI

Linda Peckham • MI

Jaime Paredes • MI

Deb Huxtable • Chris Rietz • MI

Brian Huggler • MI

Tim Bogar • MI

Patrick O'Brian, Kevin Reeves • MI