

DAN SMITH

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EDUCATION: MFA in Painting, Drawing Minor, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC, 1987 - 1990
BFA in Painting, Drawing Minor, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC, 1974 - 1978

WORK EXPERIENCE: Freelance Artist, Illustrator and Photographer, since 1978

Additional Professional Work: Studio Art and Humanities Instructor/Assistant Professor, 1990 - 2003, including: VCU (Virginia Commonwealth University) Richmond, VA; Hampton University, Hampton, VA; University of Richmond, Richmond, VA; Thomas Nelson Community College, Hampton, VA; The Visual Arts Center, Tidewater Community College, Portsmouth, VA; The Governor's School for the Arts, Old Dominion University, Norfolk, VA; Art Instructor, Claflin College, Orangeburg, SC. Staff Photographer/Darkroom Technician, S.C. State Museum and Graduate Assistant/ Instructor, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC, 1987 - 1990

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS/PROJECTS:

One Person Exhibitions

- ***Manifested Destiny: A Reinterpretation of Daniel Boone***; Turchin Center for the Visual Arts, Appalachian State University, Boone, NC, August - November 2010
- ***InCarNation: The Hampton Roads 400 - A Reinterpretation of John Smith***; Charles H. Taylor Arts Center, Hampton, VA, 2007
- ***Colored by Nature: Paintings by Dan Smith***; Wilkes Art Gallery, North Wilkesboro, NC, 2006
- ***Extended Sites 2000-My R ME***; D.C. Arts Center, Washington, DC, 2001
- ***Dan Smith Paintings and Photographs***; Southern Lights, Greensboro, NC, One Person Exhibit, 1997
- ***InCarNation***; Tidewater Community College's Visual Arts Center, Portsmouth, VA, 1996
- ***Dan Smith Portraits***; The Frame Shop & Gallery, Newport News, VA, 1996
- ***Dementia***; 409 Gallery, Norfolk, VA, 1996
- ***Extended Sites***; Anderson Arts Council, Anderson Arts Center, Anderson, SC, 1995
- ***Dan Smith Retrospective***; The Florence Museum, Florence, SC, 1992
- ***Confronting Faith***; Havens Gallery, Columbia, SC, 1992
- ***Dan Smith: Recent Works***; The Keturah, McCormick, SC, 1991
- ***Dan Smith Paintings and Photography***; Fine Arts Center of Kershaw County, Camden, SC, 1991
- ***Dan Smith Paintings and Photography***; Havens Gallery, Columbia, SC, 1991
- ***Mind/Matter***; McKissick Museum, Columbia, SC, 1990

Invited Group Exhibitions

- ***Supersize Me***; Caldwell County Arts Center, Lenoir, NC, 2007
- ***The 1st Annual Books & Brushes Exhibition***; Lenoir-Rhyne College Library, Hickory NC, 2004
- ***Faculty Focus***; Anderson Gallery, VCU (Virginia Commonwealth University), Richmond, VA, 2003
- ***The Taos National Choice Watercolor Honor Exhibition***; Taos Art Museum, Taos, NM, 1999
- ***The Ninth Annual National Juried Exhibition***; Focal Point Gallery, City Island, NY, Two Person Winners' Exhibit
- ***Remnants: Artista Vista Siteworks***; Congaree Vista, Columbia, SC, 1995
- ***The Alumni Anniversary Exhibit***; McKissick Museum, Columbia, SC, 1992
- ***Faces of the Homeless***; The Center Place, Columbia, SC, Two Person Exhibit, 1992
- ***South Carolina Expressions***; The Columbia Museum of Art, Columbia, SC, 1992
- ***The University of South Carolina Annual Alumni Association Exhibition***, Columbia, SC, 1991

- **USC Professors' Choice**; McKissick Museum, Columbia, SC, 1990
- **Lewis and Clark Group Exhibit**; Lewis and Clark Gallery, Columbia, SC, 1990
- **The AIS Annual Invitational**; The AIS Building, Columbia, SC, 1989

Juried Exhibitions

- **The Halpert Biennial**; Turchin Center for the Visual Arts, Appalachian State University, Boone, NC, Juried, 2007
- **Plein Air Painting in Caldwell County**; Caldwell County Arts Center, Lenoir, NC, 2006
- **Upland: Landscape Interpretations**; Waterworks Art Gallery, Salisbury, North Carolina, 2005
- **The Biennial**; Peninsula Fine Arts Center; *Newport News, VA, 2nd Place Award from Philip Pearlstein, 2003*
- **The Biennial**; Peninsula Fine Arts Center, *Newport News, VA, 2001*
- **The Philadelphia Watercolor Society's 100th Anniversary Juried Exhibition of Works on Paper**; The Philip and Muriel Bernan Museum of Art at Ursinus College, College Park, PA, 2000
- **The 21st Virginia Watercolor Society Annual Juried Exhibition**; Piedmont Arts Association Martinsville, VA, Crestar/Sun Trust Bank, Award, 2000
- **BACA 15th National Juried Exhibition**; Berkeley Art Center, Berkeley, CA, 2000
- **Water Media X**, Sangre de Cristo Arts Center, Pueblo, CO, 2000
- **By George!** Target Gallery, The Torpedo Factory, Alexandria, VA, 2000
- **Arizona Aqueous XIV**; Santa Cruz Valley Arts Association, Tubac Center for the Arts, Tubac, AZ Award, 1999
- **A Moment in Time: A Photography Exhibition**; Fredericksburg Center for the Creative Arts Fredericksburg, Virginia, 1999
- **Nude '99**; Lexington Art League, Lexington, Kentucky, 1999
- **Juried 1998**; Peninsula Fine Arts Center, Newport News, VA, Sculpture Award from Eleanor Heartney, 1998
- **American Watercolorists of 1998**; The Stage Gallery, Merrick, NY, 1998
- **The 19th Virginia Watercolor Society Jurored Exhibition**; The Arts Center of Portsmouth Museums, Portsmouth, VA, 1998
- **The Taos National Exhibition of American Watercolor IV**; Taos Art Museum, Taos, NM Juried, Award of Excellence, 1998
- **173rd Annual Exhibition**; National Academy Museum, New York, NY, 1998
- **The California Watercolor Association's 30th Open National Exhibition**; Academy of Art San Francisco, CA, 1998
- **Tidewater Art Association Miniatures**: The Hermitage, Norfolk, VA, Juried; 1997, The Hermitage, Norfolk, VA, Juried, 1998
- **Bay Days**; Charles Taylor Arts Center, Hampton, VA; Award of Excellence from ?, 1997
- **Tidewater Art Association Portfolio**; Old Dominion University; Norfolk, VA, 1997
- **Shockoe Bottom Arts Center Exhibition**; Shockoe Bottom Arts Center, Richmond, VA Juror's Choice Award, 1997
- **The Value of Light and Dark**; Twentieth Century Gallery, Williamsburg, VA, 1997
- **Triennial '95**; South Carolina State Museum; Columbia, SC, 1995 and **Triennial '92**
- **S. C. State Fair Exhibition**; Columbia, SC, Juried, Open Media Award; 1993, Most Imaginative Use of Media; 1991, First Place Professional Photography; 1990, Artists for Artists
- **Piccolo Spoleto Juried Exhibition**; Charleston Visitor Center, Charleston, SC, 1994
- **The South Carolina Watercolor Society 17th Annual Juried Exhibition**; Anderson Arts Council, Anderson Arts Center, Anderson, SC, 1994
- **Shelby Artist League Annual Exhibition**; Shelby Junior College, Shelby, NC, Award, 1993
- **Rocky Mountain National Watercolor Exhibition**; Foothills Art Center, Golden, CO, Award from Janet Fish, 1993
- **River Place Festival Exhibition**; Roe Coach Factory, The Peace Center, Greenville, SC, Award, 1993; 1992, Best of Show; 1991, Best of Show

- ***Recycled Ideas***; Cravens Arts Council and Gallery, Inc., New Bern, NC, 1993
- ***17th Watercolor Art Society - Houston International Exhibition***; Transco Gallery, Houston TX, Award, 1993
- ***15th Florence Museum Exhibition***; Florence Museum, Florence, SC, Award, 1993
- ***48th National Colorado Springs Art Guild Exhibition***; Colorado Springs Art Guild Gallery Colorado Springs, CO, Award, 1993
- ***Southern Visions***; York County Museum, Rock Hill, SC, 1992
- ***Hoyt Institute of Fine Arts National***; Hoyt Institute, New Castle, PA, Juried, Purchase Award, 1992
- ***Springs Mills Annual Exhibition and Traveling Show***; Lancaster, SC, Award, 1991; Award, 1989
- ***The South Carolina Watercolor Society's 14th Annual Juried Awards Exhibition and Traveling Show***; South Carolina State Museum, Columbia, SC, Award, 1991
- ***The Anderson County Arts Council 16th Annual Juried Exhibition***; The Anderson County Arts Council, Anderson, SC, Award, 1991
- ***The AAC 15th Annual Juried Exhibition***; The Anderson Arts Council, Anderson, SC, 1990
- ***The South Carolina Crafts Association 9th Annual Juried Awards Exhibition***; South Carolina State Museum, Columbia, SC, 1989
- ***The South Carolina Watercolor Society's 12th Annual Juried Awards Exhibition and Traveling Show***; South Carolina State Museum, Columbia, SC, Award, 1989
- ***The 11th Annual Florence Museum of Art Exhibition***; Florence Museum, Florence, SC, 1989
- ***The 38th Annual Guild of South Carolina Artists Juried Exhibition and Traveling Show***; Spartanburg Arts Center, Spartanburg, SC, Award, 1989

Additional Projects

- ***From Oakwood to the Universe – A 75th Anniversary Tribute to Oakwood Elementary School***, Hickory, NC (*55 x 9 ft. mural*), 2008
- ***Wordsmith***; The District of Columbia Commission on Arts and Humanities 7th Avenue, Sculpture Garden, Washington, DC (performance), 2000
- ***One Shot: Dialogues***; Claflin College, Orangeburg, SC (multi media performance), 1994

GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS:

Innovative Artist Grant, United Arts Council of Catawba County, North Carolina (2007); InCarNation: The Hampton Roads 400, North Carolina Regional Artist Grant (2006); The First Peoples Summer Institute for Educators, Virginia Museum of Fine Arts (2003); Passport to India Summer Institute for Educators, Virginia Museum of Fine Arts (1998); Artist Project Grant, South Carolina Arts Commission, Columbia, SC (1993-4) Artist Development Grant, South Carolina Arts Commission (1992-3)

COLLEGE COURSES TAUGHT:

American Civilization and Culture; Art History; Communications and Presentation; Design (Beginning and Intermediate); Drawing (Beginning and Intermediate and Advanced); Figure Drawing; Introduction to the Humanities; Introduction to the Fine Arts; Painting (Beginning , Intermediate and Advanced); Photography (Beginning , Intermediate and Advanced); Printmaking; Western Civilization and Culture (Ancient to Contemporary)

PUBLICATIONS:

- *The William and Mary Review*. The College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, VA. 1997.
- "A Reconstruction and the Post Civil War Era," *American Civilization and Culture from Reconstruction to the Modern Era*, Claflin College, Orangeburg, SC. 1995.
- "The Age of Discovery," *American Civilization & Culture*, Volume I. Claflin College, Orangeburg, 1994