Ceca Cooper Bio

Ceca Cooper holds a BFA in Art and BS in Art Education from the University of Houston, and an MFA in painting from University of South Dakota. She is currently Associate Professor of Art at the University of Sioux Falls where she teaches drawing and painting. Ceca has been teaching for the better part of the last 30 years.

As well as an educator, Ceca is a working artist and has exhibited her work regionally and nationally. In 2000, she was one of 24 out of 600 artists accepted into New American Paintings, juried by art historian and critic, Klaus Kertess.

Ceca's current work is a series of mixed media pieces on wood panel. She combines photographs that she took from her travels throughout Europe while on sabbatical in 2015, and combines them with paint, asphalt, metal and other materials.

Ceca is married with 5 children, two dogs and a cat.