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Education

<b>University of North Texas</b>	<b>2006-2009</b>
MFA in Painting and Drawing	Denton, TX
<b>William Woods University</b>	<b>2002-2006</b>
BFA in Studio Art	Summa Cum Laude Fulton, MO

Selected Solo Exhibitions

2022	<i>Primed</i>	Moody Gallery, Houston, TX
2021	<i>Sarah Williams</i>	George Billis Gallery, Westport, CT
	<i>Southeast of Home</i>	George Billis Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
2020	<i>Interstate Phantoms</i>	Blue Gallery, Kansas City, MO
	<i>Twilight Towns</i>	Andrea Schwartz Gallery, San Francisco, CA
	<i>Off-ramp Communities</i>	Moody Gallery, Dallas, TX
	<i>Rural Routes</i>	Talley Dunn Gallery, Dallas, TX
2019	<i>Sarah Williams</i>	George Billis Gallery, New York, NY
2018	<i>Home-Place</i>	Scarlow's Gallery, Casper, WY
	<i>Every Nowhere</i>	Andrea Schwartz Gallery, San Francisco, CA
	<i>Night Lands</i>	University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, MO
	<i>Speed Trap Towns</i>	George Billis Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
2017	<i>Blanketed</i>	Blue Gallery, Kansas City, MO
	<i>Unseen America</i>	Moody Gallery, Houston, TX
	<i>Sarah Williams</i>	George Billis Gallery, New York, NY
2016	<i>Heartland</i>	Round Gallery; Jacksonville State University, Jacksonville, AL
	<i>Area Codes</i>	Talley Dunn Gallery, Dallas, TX
2015	<i>Flyover Territory</i>	George Billis Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
	<i>City Limits</i>	McMurtrey Gallery, Houston, TX
2014	<i>Peripheral 36</i>	Sinclair Gallery, Northwest College, Powell, WY
	<i>Glow</i>	Mildred Cox Gallery, William Woods University, Fulton, MO
	<i>Midwest Noir</i>	Nicolaysen Art Museum, Casper, WY
2013	<i>Blacktop Country</i>	George Billis Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
	<i>30 Miles Between</i>	McMurtrey Gallery, Houston, TX
	<i>Remote America</i>	Art Museum of Southeast Texas, Beaumont, TX
2012	<i>Homeward</i>	Blue Gallery, Kansas City, MO
	<i>County Line</i>	McMurtrey Gallery; Micro Space, Houston, TX
	<i>Nightfall</i>	Marty Walker Gallery, Dallas, TX

Selected Group Exhibitions

2021	<i>The Grace Collects Women Artists</i>	The Grace Museum; Abilene, TX
	<i>The Cityscape Show XI</i>	George Billis Gallery; Los Angeles, CA
	<i>Dreams and Their Edges</i>	Curated by John Seed for "I Like Your Work"; Virtual Exhibition
2019	<i>Passing Through</i>	Tyler Museum of Art, Tyler, TX
	<i>Getting Real</i>	Strohl Art Center; Chautauqua Institution, Chautauqua, NY
	<i>Out of Town</i>	Andrea Schwartz Gallery, San Francisco, CA

2018	<i>Wonder Wall</i>	Blue Gallery, Kansas City, MO
	<i>Target Texas: What Inspires</i>	Art Museum of South Texas, Corpus Christi, TX
2017	<i>Cityscape Show VII</i>	George Billis Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
	<i>As Is: Rural Realism</i>	The Grace Museum; Abilene, TX
	<i>Art Palm Spring Fair</i>	George Billis Gallery; Palm Springs, CA
2016	<i>Wonder Wall</i>	Blue Gallery, Kansas City, MO
	<i>Texas Contemporary Art Fair</i>	Moody Gallery/Texas Contemporary Art Fair Dallas, TX
	<i>40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Exhibition</i>	Moody Gallery, Houston, TX
	<i>Palm Springs Art Fair</i>	George Billis Gallery/Palm Springs Art Fair Palm Springs, CA
	<i>Dallas Art Fair</i>	Talley Dunn Gallery/Dallas Art Fair, Dallas, TX
	<i>New American Paintings</i>	Elmhurst Art Museum, Elmhurst, IL
2015	<i>Destination Unknown</i>	Talley Dunn Gallery, Dallas, TX
	<i>The Real Show</i>	The Old Jail Art Center, Albany, TX
	<i>Dallas Art Fair</i>	Talley Dunn Gallery/Dallas Art Fair, Dallas, TX
	<i>MSU Biennial Faculty Show</i>	Brick City Gallery; Missouri State University, Springfield, MO
2014	<i>Wonder Wall</i>	Blue Gallery, Kansas City, MO
	<i>The Cityscape Show IV</i>	George Billis Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
	<i>Homeward Bound: An American Pictorial</i>	Fowler-Kellogg Art Center, Chautauqua Institution, Chautauqua, NY
	<i>Night Music</i>	Trudy Label Fine Art, Naples, FL
	<i>Seven</i>	McMurtrey Gallery, Houston, TX
2013	<i>Object, Object!: A Selection</i>	Helmuth Projects, San Diego, CA; Curators: John Oliver Lewis and Jessica McCambly
	<i>Amy Blakemore and Sarah Williams</i>	The Gallery at UTA; The University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, TX

#### Awards

2021	Department of Art and Design Travel Grant; Missouri State University; Springfield, MO
2020	Department of Art and Design Travel Grant; Missouri State University; Springfield, MO Castle Hill Truro Center for the Arts; Artist in Residence at Edgewood Farm; Truro, MA *canceled due to pandemic The Studios of Key West Artist Residency, Key West, FL
2019	Missouri State University Research Sabbatical; Springfield, MO
2016	Millay Colony for the Arts Residency; Austerlitz, NY
2015	Willapa Bay Artist in Residence; Oysterville, WA Summer Faculty Fellowship; Missouri State University; Springfield, MO
2013	Department of Art and Design Travel Grant; Missouri State University; Springfield, MO College of Arts and Letters New Faculty Summer Research Fellowship Missouri State University; Springfield, MO Ucross Foundation Artist Residency Program Participant; Clearmont, WY

#### Publications

2021	<b><u>The Southampton Review</u></b> ; p 159-165, Volume XV Issue 28 <b><u>Friend of the Artist</u></b> ; p 272-275, Volume 13 Darren Jones, <b><u>ARTFORUM</u></b> ; "Critics' Picks" April 26, 2021 <a href="https://www.artforum.com/picks/sarah-williams-85556">https://www.artforum.com/picks/sarah-williams-85556</a>
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- 2020 Lauren Moya Ford, **Glasstire**; "Painting from Rural Roots: An Interview with Sarah Williams", November 7, 2020  
<https://glasstire.com/2020/11/07/painting-from-rural-roots-an-interview-with-sarah-williams/>  
**Create! Magazine**; p 162-165, Winter 2020 Issue 19
- 2019 **American Art Collector**; p 112-113, June 2019 Issue 164
- 2017 **American Art Collector**; p 66-67, March 2017 Issue 137
- 2016 **The Southern Review**; Spring 2016 Edition  
**Parcel**; Spring 2016 Edition
- 2015 **New American Paintings**; No 119, Midwest Issue
- 2011 **New American Paintings**; No. 96, Western Issue
- 2010 **Houston Chronicle**; p E8, Thursday February 11, 2010
- 2009 **Dallas Modern Luxury Magazine**; p 56, December 2009 issue
- 2008 **Houston Chronicle**; p E2, Friday August 15, 2008  
**CAA News**; volume 33, number 1, January 2008,
- 2007 **Fishwrap**; volume 4, number 2, summer 2007, Institute for Small Town Studies; Fairfield, IA

### Activities

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| 2018      | Artist Panel Discussion                                  | Art Museum of South Texas, Corpus Christi, TX                  |
|           | Artist Lecture   | University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, MO                |
| 2017      | Artist Lecture   | Moody Gallery, Houston, TX                                     |
|           | Artist Lecture   | The Grace Museum, Abilene, TX                                  |
| 2016      | Artist Lecture   | Jacksonville State University, Jacksonville, AL                |
|           | Visiting Artist  | Jacksonville State University, Jacksonville, AL                |
| 2014      | Visiting Artist  | Northwest College, Powell, WY                                  |
|           | Gallery Talk   | Northwest College, Powell, WY                                  |
|           | Gallery Talk   | William Woods University, Fulton, MO                           |
|           | Gallery Talk   | Nicolaysen Art Museum, Casper, WY                              |
| 2013      | Gallery Talk   | University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, TX                |
| 2013      | Gallery Talk   | McMurtrey Gallery, Houston, TX                                 |
| 2010      | Panelist member for the Here. There & Beyond Exhibition; | Dallas Contemporary Gallery, Dallas, TX                        |
|           | Gallery Talk   | Houston's Looking At Art Group; McMurtrey Gallery, Houston, TX |
| 2009-2010 | Member of 500X Gallery Artist Co-op                      | 500X Gallery, Dallas, TX                                       |
|           | Treasurer for 500X Gallery Artist Co-op                  | 500X Gallery, Dallas, TX                                       |

### Work Experience

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| 2018-current | Associate Professor | Missouri State University, Springfield, MO |
| 2012-2018    | Assistant Professor | Missouri State University, Springfield, MO |
| 2009-2012    | Adjunct Faculty     | University of North Texas, Denton, TX      |
| 2010-2012    | Adjunct Faculty     | Brookhaven College, Dallas, TX             |
| 2012-2012    | Adjunct Faculty     | Austin College, Sherman, TX                |
| 2009         | Adjunct Faculty     | Richland College, Dallas, TX               |
| 2007-2009    | Teaching Assistant  | University of North Texas, Denton, TX      |