



# KATIE HOFACKER

Artist/ Arts Facilitator

## PROFILE

Artist and Arts Facilitator working to create innovative art in my own practice as well as implementing arts programming to individuals in my community.

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## EDUCATION

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### **Columbus College of Art and Design**

1997-2001 BFA with a focus on painting  
Awarded \$20,000 scholarship  
Awarded \$3500 Ben Richmond artist scholarship

### **The Ohio State University**

2001-2003 MAS

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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### **Adjunct Art Instructor The Ohio State University**

2002-2003

I facilitated instruction of two art history classes in the Arts Department.

### **Instructor, The Columbus Idea Foundry**

2015-2019

I created and implemented 4 different arts classes at the Foundry, until this program was shut down due to the pandemic.

### **Creative Foundations Resident Artist**

2017-2018

I created and facilitated arts instruction and activities aimed at serving adult artists with disabilities. I organized several gallery shows featuring the work of the artists. I also created a T shirt line featuring the work of our artists.

### **Friendship Village Columbus**

2018-present

I work as the art coordinator for Friendship Village Columbus, a senior living community. I have helped our resident artists win multiple awards, and facilitated the showing of their work at various locations. I have created and implemented several arts programs at Friendship Village.

### **Katie Hofacker Art Fine Artist**

2015- present

2016 I was awarded the title of Featured Artist at the 2016 Ann Arbor Summer Art Fair, where my work was featured on the festival's memorabilia such as t shirts, tote bags, and posters.

2016 I was awarded 1<sup>st</sup> place in the Charvin Acrylics competition through Jerry's Artarama.

2016 I was awarded 3<sup>rd</sup> place in the best of show awards at the Ann Arbor Summer Art Fair.

2016 I was awarded 3<sup>rd</sup> place in the best of show awards at the Delaware Arts Festival in Delaware OH.

2017 I was awarded 3<sup>rd</sup> place in the best of show awards at the Levis Commons Fine Art Fair in Toledo OH.

2018 I was awarded a continuing artist grant through the Greater Columbus Arts Council.

2019 I was awarded 3<sup>rd</sup> place in the best of show awards at the Shaw Fine Art Fair in St Louis MO.

2020 I was awarded a Big Idea grant to bring my senior art boxes out into the community through the Greater Columbus Arts Council.

## SKILLS

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\*Creating innovative new art using a variety of mediums

\*Experience showing my work at a variety of venues, including public spaces, galleries, and festivals around the country

\*Creating and facilitating arts programs for adults with disabilities and older adults

\*Writing and applying for a variety of grants