

NEIL CALLANDER

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EDUCATION

- 2006 MFA | Mason Gross School of the Arts, Rutgers University, New Brunswick NJ
- 2005 Artist in Residence | Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, Skowhegan ME
- 2003 BFA | Indiana University, Bloomington IN
- 2002 Advanced Drawing | Renaissance Seminar | Indiana University, Florence, Italy

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2017 - Present Assistant Professor of Art, Painting & Drawing | School of Art, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville AR
- 2012 - 2017 Assistant Professor of Art & Foundation Coordinator | Mississippi State University, Starkville MS
- 2010 - 2011 Assistant Professor in Painting & Drawing (Term) | Hite Art Institute, University of Louisville, Louisville KY
- 2011 - 2012 & '07 - '10 Lecturer | Hite Art Institute, University of Louisville, Louisville KY
- 2007 - 2012 Lecturer | Indiana University Southeast, New Albany IN
- 2005 - 2006 Teaching Assistant | Mason Gross School of the Arts, Rutgers University, New Brunswick NJ

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2019 *New Paintings* | Goose Barnacle Gallery, Brooklyn NY
- 2015 *Amass* | Arkansas State University, Jonesboro AR
- 2014 *Less is More or Less* | Goose Barnacle Gallery, Brooklyn NY
- Less is More or Less* | Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green OH
- 2011 *Basement Paintings* | Kentucky School of Art, Louisville KY
- Basement Living* | Goose Barnacle Gallery, Brooklyn NY

SMALL GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2017 *FULL HOUSE: Neil Callander, Adrienne Callander, Finn Callander & Dale Heath*
Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College, Gautier MS
- 2016 *Real Situations/Made Realities: Recent Paintings by Neil Callander, Russell Horton and Marc Roder*
(Juried by William Bailey) | Washington Art Association, Washington Depot CT
- 2013 *New Associations* | McComas Gallery, Mississippi State University, Starkville MS
- 2006 *First Look: New Jersey Emerging Artists Series* | New Jersey Center for Visual Arts Summit NJ

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2020 *Still Life Exhibition* | Nicholls State University, Thibodaux LA (upcoming Feb.)
- My Studio* | Wright State University, Dayton OH
- 2019 *Inhabit (Juried)* | MANIFEST Gallery and Drawing Center, Cincinnati OH
- My Studio* | Alabama Center for the Arts, Decatur AL
- Figure Drawing and Portrait Painting* | Art Ventures, Fayetteville AR

- My Studio* | First Street Gallery, New York NY
- Distance* | Dorsky Gallery (Curated by Steve Locke & Betsy Alwin), New York NY
- 2018 *UArk School of Art Faculty Exhibition* | University of Texas at Tyler, Tyler TX
- Artists and Children* | Edwardsville Art Center, Edwardsville IL
- UArk School of Art Faculty Exhibition* | Walker Stone House, Fayetteville AR
- Drawing The Curtain* | First Street Gallery, New York NY
- Veils* | There, New York NY
- The Unstilllife* | University of Mississippi Museum of Historic Houses, Oxford MS
- 2017 *2017 USM National Juried Painting Exhibition* | University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg MS
- Sketch* (Juried) | MANIFEST Gallery and Drawing Center, Cincinnati OH
- Red Clay Survey* (Juried by Gerry Bergstein) | Huntsville Museum of Art, Huntsville AL
- This Now, More Than Ever* | SFU Galleries Burnaby, Simon Fraser University, Vancouver BC
- 2016 *Tapped* (Juried) | MANIFEST Gallery and Drawing Center, Cincinnati OH
- Schema* (Juried) | MANIFEST Gallery and Drawing Center, Cincinnati OH
- Night Sun* (Curated by Philip Jackson) | Southside Gallery, Oxford MS
- Summer Landscape Show* | Southside Gallery, Oxford MS
- 2015 *Patterns of Regeneration* (Curated by Carla Hanzal) | New Gallery of Modern Art, Charlotte NC
- CAAD Faculty Exhibition* | Visual Art Center, Mississippi State University, Starkville MS
- Expatriates* (Juried) | MANIFEST Gallery and Drawing Center, Cincinnati OH
- Art of Painting* (Juried by William Bailey) | Washington Art Association, Washington Depot CT
- Magnitude Seven* (Juried) | MANIFEST Gallery and Drawing Center, Cincinnati OH
- Art of the South* (Juried by Wayne White) | Memphis College of Art, Hyde Galleries, Memphis TN
- Contemporary Portraits* (Juried by Anne Harris) | Water Street Studios, Batavia IL
- The Suburb's Eyes: Picturing the Sprawl* | Indiana University South Bend, South Bend IN
- The Dam Show* | Reservoir Art Space, Brooklyn NY
- Momenta Art Spring Benefit* | Momenta, Brooklyn NY
- 2014 *Mississippi Invitational* | Mississippi Museum of Art, Jackson MS
- Red Clay Survey* (Juried by Susanna Coffey) | Huntsville Museum of Art, Huntsville AL
- On the Edge: Looking Forward* | Artists' House, Philadelphia PA
- CAAD Faculty Exhibition* | Depot Gallery, Mississippi State University, Starkville MS
- 2013 *Tapped* (Juried) | MANIFEST Gallery and Drawing Center, Cincinnati OH
- Fresh Paint* (Juried) | MANIFEST Gallery and Drawing Center, Cincinnati OH
- Residents Exhibition* | Gullkistan Residency for Creative People, Laugarvatn Iceland
- CAAD Faculty Exhibition* | Depot Gallery, Mississippi State University, Starkville MS
- 28th Annual Positive/Negative* (Juried by Michael Ray Charles) | Slocumb Galleries, East Tennessee State University, Johnson City TN
- 2012 *OH + 5* (Juried) | The Dairy Barn Arts Center, Athens OH
- Bluegrass Biennial* (Juried) | Morehead State University, Morehead KY
- Pygmalion's 40th Anniversary Exhibition* | John Waldron Art Center, Bloomington IN
- 2011 *Observed* (Juried) | MANIFEST Gallery and Drawing Center, Cincinnati OH
- Art Auction* | Louisville Visual Arts Association, Louisville KY
- The Original Makers Club* | Bittners Gallery, Louisville KY
- Paint Snob Invitational* | Fine Arts Center Gallery, Arkansas State University, Jonesboro AR
- Water Tower Regional Juried Exhibition* | Louisville Visual Arts Association, Louisville KY
- Skowhegan Alumni Exhibition* (Juried) | 92Y Tribeca, New York N

- 2010 *Cabaret Life Drawing* | Proof at 21C Museum Hotel, Louisville KY
Water Tower Regional Juried Exhibition | Louisville Visual Arts Association, Louisville KY
Faculty Exhibition | Barr Gallery, Indiana University Southeast, New Albany IN
- 2009 *Art of the Everyday* | The Greenwich, Cincinnati OH
- 2008 *Paint Snob Invitational* | McLennan Community College, Waco TX
Faculty Exhibition | Barr Gallery, Indiana University Southeast, New Albany IN
Doppelganger | Mason Gross Gallery, New Brunswick NJ
- 2007 *Juried Exhibition* | Provincetown Fine Arts Work Center, Provincetown MA
- 2006 *Fresh Meat/Young Blood* | The Shore Institute of Contemporary Arts, Long Branch NJ
MFA Thesis Exhibition | Mason Gross Gallery, New Brunswick NJ
- 2005 *Spectrum: Works on Paper* | Hogar Collection, Brooklyn NY
Faculty and Student Show | Mason Gross Gallery, New Brunswick NJ
- 2004 *First Year MFA Exhibition* | Mason Gross Gallery, New Brunswick NJ
NSAL Award Winners Exhibition | National Society of Arts and Letters Walden Arts Center, Bloomington IN
- 2003 *BFA Thesis Exhibition* | SOFA Gallery Indiana University, Bloomington IN
Exposure | John Maize Gallery, Indianapolis IN

INVITED LECTURES

- 2018 Visiting Artist Lecture and Graduate Critic | Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville IL
- 2017 Visiting Artist Lecture | Park University, Kansas City MO
- 2016 Visiting Artist Lecture and Critic | Nicholls State University, Thibodaux LA
- 2015 Visiting Artist Lecture and Critic | Arkansas State University, Jonesboro AR
- 2014 Visiting Artist Lecture and Demo | Texas Tech University, Lubbock TX
Visiting Artist Lecture, Graduate Critic and Juror | Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green OH
Visiting Artist Lecture and Graduate Critic | The University of Mississippi, Oxford MS
- 2013 Visiting Artist Lecture and Critic | The University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg MO
- 2012 Visiting Artist Lecture and Critic | Boston University, Boston MA
Visiting Artist Lecture and Critic | University of North Carolina Pembroke, Pembroke NC
Visiting Artist Lecture | Mississippi State University, Starkville MS
Visiting Artist Lecture and Critic | University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, Dartmouth MA
Visiting Artist Lecture and Graduate Critic | University of Arkansas, Fayetteville AR
Visiting Artist Lecture | Southeast Missouri State University, Cape Girardeau MO

SHORT TERM ENGAGEMENTS

- 2018 Presenter | SECAC, Birmingham AL
- 2017 Presenter | FATE National Biennial Conference, Kansas City MO (accepted but cancelled due to weather)
Gallery Talk | Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College, Gautier MS
- 2013 Resident Artists Lecture | Gullkistan Residency for Creative People, Laugarvatn Iceland
Panelist, "Event & Environment" | Mississippi State University, Starkville MS
- 2011 Panelist, "Grad School Experience Symposium" | Bellarmine University, Louisville KY
Gallery Talk and Critic | Kentucky School of Art, Louisville KY
Visiting Artist | Cincinnati Art Museum, Cincinnati OH
- 2010 Juror, Photographic Alliance, "8 Hour Shoot-out" | University of Louisville, Louisville KY

ARTIST RESIDENCY

- 2020 ARTWEEK | Fairfield Porter estate, Great Spruce Head Island, ME
- 2013 Resident | Gullkistan Residency for Creative People, Laugarvatn Iceland
- 2005 Artist in Residence | Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, Skowhegan ME

RELATED EXPERIENCE

- 2018 – present Organizer | Figure Drawing and Portrait Painting Sessions, Art Ventures, Fayetteville AR
- 2015 – 2016 Faculty Sponsor | Open Figure Drawing Sessions, Mississippi State University, Starkville MS
- 2011 – 2012 Instructor | Children Free Art Classes, Louisville Visual Arts Association, Louisville KY
- 2010 – 2012 Studio Manager | Undergraduate Studios (OMOS), University of Louisville, Louisville KY
- 2010 – 2012 Instructor | Cabaret Life Drawing, 21C Museum Hotel, Louisville KY
- 2010 Faculty Representative | Student Art League, University of Louisville, Louisville KY
- 2006-2007 Studio Assistant | Jeff Koons LLC, New York NY
- 2005-2006 EPA Liaison | Rutgers University, Mason Gross School of the Arts, New Brunswick NJ

AWARDS & MEMBERSHIPS

- 2018 - present Member | ZEUXIS (An association of still life painters), New York NY
- 2017 Finalist | Grand Jury Prize, MANIFEST Creative Research Gallery and Drawing Center
- Third Place Award | INPA 7, MANIFEST Creative Research Gallery and Drawing Center
- Third Place Award | 2017 USM National Juried Painting Exhibition, University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg MS
- 2015 Visual Artist Fellowship | Mississippi Arts Commission, Jackson MS
- 2014 Merit Award | Red Clay Survey, Huntsville Museum of Art, Huntsville AL
- Winner and Runner-Up | Creative Quarterly 36, New York NY
- Finalist | State of the Art: Discovering American Art Now, Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art, Bentonville AR
- 2013 ORED Research Grant | Mississippi State University, Starkville MS
- 2012 First Place Award | INPA 2, MANIFEST Creative Research Gallery and Drawing Center
- Best in Show | Bluegrass Biennial, Morehead State University, Morehead KY
- 2011 – 2012 Member | Zephyr Gallery, Louisville KY
- 2007 Nominee | Louis Comfort Tiffany Foundation
- Finalist | Provincetown Fine Arts Work Center
- 2006 Paul Robeson Award for Emerging Artists | Rutgers University
- 2005 Full Fellowship | Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture
- 2004 Grand Prize Winner in Visual Arts | National Society of Arts and Letters
- 2003 Deans Award for Excellence in Painting | Indiana University
- Evelyn Glaser Award for Excellence in Painting | Indiana University
- 2002 Harry S. Engel Scholarship for Painting and Drawing | Indiana University
- Deans Award for Excellence in Painting | Indiana University
- 2000 Faculty Scholarship | Indiana University
- 1999 Eagle Scout | Boy Scouts of America, Troop 115

RECORD OF PUBLICATION "Neil Callander's Timeless Variations on Painting", Hyperallergic Weekend (hyperallergic.com) November 2nd 2019.
International Painting Annual 9, Manifest Press, Cincinnati OH. Expected publication Spring 2020.
Manifest Exhibition Annual Season 10, Manifest Press, Cincinnati OH. Published 2018. p. 37, 74.
International Painting Annual 7, Manifest Press, Cincinnati OH. Published 2018. p. 34-39.
"Tapped, Texas & Minnesota at Manifest Gallery" AEQAI (aeqai.com). December 17th 2016.
"Things to Do in Connecticut", The New York Times, New York NY. April 9th 2016.
"Interview with Neil Callander", MW Capacity (mwcapacity.wordpress.com). March 25th 2016.
"Uptown exhibition puts nature in a new light", The Charlotte Observer, Charlotte NC. October 26th 2015.
Mississippi Invitational (Exhibition Catalog), Mississippi Museum of Art, Jackson MS. Published 2014.
CQ36, Creative Quarterly: The Journal for Art & Design, New York NY. Published 2014. p. 3, 16.
"New Associations", The Reflector, Starkville MS. Published 2013.
One 3 - The Manifest Prize (Exhibition Catalog), Manifest Press, Cincinnati OH. Published 2013.
International Painting Annual 2, Manifest Press, Cincinnati OH. Published 2012. p. 30-35.
"Observed: a Review by Cole Carothers", AEQAI (aeqai.com). December 15th 2011.
New American Painting, Book #70, Open Studio Press, Boston MA. Published 2007. p. 171.

COLLECTIONS John Yau and Eve Aschheim, New York NY
Thomas Nozkowski and Joyce Robins, New York NY
Zimmerli Art Museum, Rutgers University, New Brunswick NJ
Rutgers Center for Innovative Print and Paper Collection, New Brunswick NJ
SOFA Gallery, Indiana University, Bloomington IN