

Sean Sauer

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Education

- 2001 MFA Painting, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
- 1994 BFA Painting, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago

Solo Exhibitions (Selected)

- 2022 *Sean Sauer Paintings and Drawings*, Cerulean Arts Gallery, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2021 *Sean Sauer Paintings and Drawings*, Cerulean Arts Gallery, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2018 *Sabbatical Exhibition*, Madeline Cohen Gallery, Community College of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2010 *Paintings from Ireland*, Madeline Cohen Gallery, Community College of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2008 *Sean Sauer Paintings and Drawings*, Madeline Cohen Gallery, Community College of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA
- 2001 *MFA Thesis Exhibition*, SOFA Gallery, Bloomington, IN
- 1999 *Space and Emotion*, Contemporary Art Workshop, Chicago, IL

Group Exhibitions (Selected)

- 2022 *Annual National Juried Exhibition*, Juried by Anne Harris, Prince Street Gallery, New York, NY.
- 2022 *Annual National Juried Exhibition*, Juried by Clintel Steed, First Street Gallery, New York, NY.
- 2021 *Alumni Exhibition*, Grundwald Gallery of Art, Eskenazi School of Art, Architecture + Design, Bloomington, IN.
- 2021 *Annual National Juried Exhibition*, Juried by Sangram Majumdar, The Prince Street Gallery, New York, NY.
- 2020 *Annual National Juried Exhibition*, Juried by Susan Lichtman, The Prince Street Gallery, New York, NY.
Cerulean Arts' 8th Annual Juried Exhibition, Juried by Ying Li, Cerulean Arts Gallery, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2020 *Annual Faculty Exhibition* (Participated every year since 2004), Community College of Philadelphia
- 2018 *Cerulean Arts' 6th Annual Juried Exhibition*, Juried by Patricia Traub, Cerulean Arts Gallery, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2015 *Group Exhibition*, Hamilton & Arronson Galleries, University of the Arts, Philadelphia, PA
Art @ Soul 50th Anniversary Gala Event Exhibition, Community College of Philadelphia
67th Annual Juried Exhibition, Woodmere Art Museum, Philadelphia, PA
- 2006 *Group Exhibition*, Gross McCleaf Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
- 2004 *Faculty Exhibition*, Delaware College of Art and Design, Wilmington, DE
- 2003 *Faculty Exhibition*, Delaware College of Art and Design, Wilmington, DE
- 2002 *Industrial Power and Beauty*, Lake County Convention Bureau, Hammond, IN

- 2001 *MFA Annual Painting Exhibition*, SOFA Gallery, Bloomington, IN
- 2000 *MFA Annual Painting Exhibition*, SOFA Gallery, Bloomington, IN
- 1999 *Sound Performance*, The Butchershop Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1998 *Group Exhibition*, The Butchershop Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1994 *Religious Icons*, 4th Floor Gallery, The School of The Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL

Awards

- 2020 Honorable Mention Recipient, Cerulean Arts 8th Annual Juried Exhibition, Cerulean Arts, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2019 Excellence in Teaching Award for Service to Students, Community College of Philadelphia
- 2001 Anthony Moravec Overseas Fellowship to Florence, Italy, Indiana University
- 1999 First Year Graduate Assistantship, Indiana University
- 1992–94 Merit Scholarships, The School of The Art Institute of Chicago

Residencies

- 2010 The Ballinglen Arts Foundation, Ballycastle, County Mayo, Ireland. Attended residency with Jeffrey Reed a returning fellow

Publications and Reviews

- 2022 Studio Visit Magazine, Volumes 49 & 50, The Open Studios Press
- 2021 Exhibition Review, The School of the Art Institute website, October 2021, <https://www.saic.edu/alumni>
- 2021 “Exhibition Review” School of the Art Institute of Chicago Magazine, October 1, 2021. <https://www.saic.edu/magazine/spring21>
- 2021 Chris Bell, “Look for the Abstraction in the Real: Alum Sean Sauer at Cerulean Arts”, Fnewsmagazine, March 17, 2021. <https://fnewsmagazine.com/2021/03/sean-sauer-at-cerulean-arts>
- 2018 Carol Taylor-Kearney, “Humans and Animals and Environs, Oh My!: Cerulean Arts 6th Annual Juried Exhibition, *WhatsArt Blog* (blog). July 18, 2018. www.taylor-kearneyarts.com
- 2007 Edith Newhall, “A Savory Reduction,” *Philadelphia Enquirer*, Philadelphia, PA, February 2, 2007
- 2001 New American Paintings, *MFA Annual*
Tom Rhea, “Blueprints for a Ruin,” *Bloomington Independent*, Bloomington, IN, April 5, 2001
Herald Times, Indianapolis, IN, April 8, 2001
- 1993 Tanya Bricking, “Mural Puts School in Natural Setting,” *Cincinnati Enquirer*, Cincinnati, OH, August 26, 1993

Professional Experience

- 2022 Instructor, Landscape Painting Seminar, Penn Studio School, Philadelphia, PA
- 2022 Instructor, Landscape Painting Seminar, Cerulean Arts Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
- 2007– Associate Professor, Drawing, Design, Painting, Community College of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA
- 2004–07 Visiting Lecturer, Drawing and Design, Community College of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA
- 2004 Adjunct Instructor, Foundation Design, Community College of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA
- 2003–04 Adjunct Instructor, Foundation Drawing, Delaware College of Art and Design, Wilmington, DE

- 2001–03 Adjunct Assistant Professor, First Year Program, The School of The Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 2001 MFA application review panel, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
- 2000–01 Associate Instructor. Foundation Design, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
- 1999 Graduate Assistant, Sculpture Department, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
- 1998–03 Mural and decorative painter, Christiaan Pretorius Studios, Chicago, IL
- 1996–98 Department Head, Painting, Big City Sets, Chicago, IL
- 1995–96 Set painting and construction, Ron Gard Ltd., Chicago, IL

Artist Lectures/Presentations

- 2022 Lecture/Presentation, Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA
- 2022 Visiting Critic, Painting Marathon Critiques (invitation from Clintel Steed), New York Studio School, NY, NY
- 2021 Lecture/Presentation, Cerulean Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
- 2020 Lecture/Presentation, Western Connecticut State University, Danbury, CT
- 2020 Lecture/Presentation, College of Lake County, Grayslake, IL
- 2018 Sabbatical Exhibition Lecture, Community College of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA
- 2007 Lecture/Presentation, Undergraduate critiques, Maryland College of Art and Design, Baltimore, MD
- 2004 Lecture/Presentation, Delaware College of Art and Design, Wilmington, DE
- 2001 Lecture/Presentation, The School of The Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 1998 Lecture/Presentation, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL

Curatorial Projects

- 2022 Juror, Penn Wood High School Art Exhibition, William Penn School District, Lansdowne, PA

Gallery Affiliations

Cerulean Arts Gallery, Philadelphia, PA