

Jon Ashcraft
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EDUCATION

Master of Fine Arts in Painting + Drawing, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2021

Visual Arts Management Certificate, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2021

(Studied with John Sabraw, Julie Dummermuth, David LaPalombara, Melissa Haviland, Duane McDiarmid)

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Painting, University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, Texas, 2012

(Studied with Sedrick Huckaby, Stephen Lapthisophon, Marilyn Jolly, John Hartley)

AWARDS AND HONORS

Graduate Recruitment Scholarship, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2018-2021

Graduate Assistantship, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2018-2021

Expo 2017 Recipient Award, 500X Gallery, Dallas, Texas, 2017

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Art Dallas Inc. Dallas, Texas. 2022-Present

Design

(Digital Designs and Research for Raising Canes)

Installation.

(Artwork for private collections)

Fabrication

(Fabricated ceramics, fabric sculpture, acrylic paintings)

Artworks of Kansas City, Kansas City, Missouri, 2021-2022

Art Handling

(Installation for various Private and Public Art Collections)

Fabrication of Crates, Slip Cases, Custom Boxes.

Crating of Artwork

(University of Missouri at Columbia, MO, Private, Public Art Collections)

Installation/Deinstallation Box Truck Experience

Painting + Drawing Mentorship Program, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2019-2021

Mentor to Painting + Drawing Undergraduates.

Assisted and provided studio visits to undergrads under my mentorship.

Exhibition Fabricator, Kennedy Museum of Art, Athens, Ohio, 2019

“Reflective Objects: Collectors and Their Collections.”

Fabrication of Plinths, Tables, Pedestals.

Art installation, Art handling

Studio Assistant to John Sabraw, Athens, Ohio, 2019

Assisted in the production of artwork.

Prep, Setup, and distribution of pigments onto canvas.

Gallery Assistant, Ohio University Art Gallery, Athens, Ohio, 2018-2019

Art Installation, Art Handling, Packaging, Storage of Artwork.

Gallery Assistant, Cris Worley Fine Arts, Dallas, Texas, 2017-2018

Art installation, Art Handling, Packaging, Acquisitions.

Assisted in the sale of artworks.

Provided additional assistance during the Dallas Art Fair to Cris Worley Fine Arts.

Studio Assistant to Simeen Farhat, Dallas, Texas, 2017-2018

Bookkeeping and Records, Organization of tools and materials.

Assemblage and installation of artwork.

Gallery Attendant, Ft. Worth Modern Museum of Art, 2015-2018

Observed public interactions with the collections of the Ft. Worth Modern Art Museum.

Provided security detail in relation to collections during events, parties, exhibitions.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE (Instructor of Record)

Beginning Drawing: Texas Christian University, Ft. Worth, Texas, 2022-Current

Develops fundamental skills and techniques in drawing with emphasis on creative expression, perception, and composition.

Beginning Painting: Color, Theory, Form, Content, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2020-21

Develops fundamental skills and techniques in painting with emphasis on creative expression, perception, and composition.

Beginning Drawing: Theory, Form, Content, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2020

Develops fundamental skills and techniques in drawing with emphasis on creative expression, perception, and composition.

Visual Art in Practice and Theory: Critical Perspectives, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2019

Emphasizes the historical and theoretical contexts and approaches that inform the production and analysis of visual culture.

OTHER TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Art Instructor, Ft. Worth Independent School District, Ft. Worth, Texas, 2017

Grade Level: Middle School 6th-8th
of Art Lessons, Classroom Management, Block Scheduling.

Substitute Art Instructor, Arlington Independent School District, Arlington, Texas, 2016-2017
Grade Level: Elementary through High School K-12th
Implementation of Art Lessons, Classroom Management, Block Scheduling.

EXHIBITIONS (Solo shows)

2021

Death, Death, Death, Trisolini Gallery, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio

EXHIBITIONS (Group shows)

2023

A Path Less Traveled, Keijzers Koning Gallery, Dallas, Texas
Brush Muscle Presents, PRP Gallery, Dallas, Texas
Member Show, The MAC, Dallas, Texas
Chaos Show, Ro2 Gallery, Dallas, Texas
Hands Show, DVD Gallery, Dallas, Texas
150 Years/150 Artists, Ft. Worth Contemporary Arts, Ft. Worth, Texas
Under the Rugg, 4DWN, Dallas, Texas

2022

Political Storm, Online Show, Las Lagunas Gallery, Laguna Beach, California
Faculty Show, Moudy Gallery, Texas Christian University, Ft Worth
Chaos, Ro2 Gallery, Dallas, Texas
Refuge, The MAC, Dallas, Texas
Acid Mine Drainage Invitational, Majestic Gallery, Nelsonville, Ohio

2021

Run, Run Quiet, Plug Gallery, Kansas City, Missouri

2020

A Painting Exhibition, December Online Show, The In Art Gallery
13th National Exhibition, Majestic Gallery, Nelsonville, Ohio

2019

Twist-Ties, Weld House Gallery, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio
Fourteen Seconds, OU Art Gallery, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio
12th National Exhibition, Majestic Gallery, Nelsonville, Ohio
First of All, Trisolini Gallery, Athens, Ohio

2017

Expo Show, 500X Gallery, Dallas, Texas
A/T/M, GDT Art Gallery, Ft. Worth, Texas
Soda Heads, Grackle Art Gallery, Ft. Worth, Texas
Good Bones, GDT Art Gallery, Ft. Worth, Texas

2016

OPEN, GDT Art Gallery, Ft. Worth, Texas
100 For 100, Shipping and Receiving, Ft. Worth, Texas

2015

Twenty Something, Gallery 414, Ft Worth, Texas
The Exhibitionists, Shipping and Receiving, Ft. Worth, Texas

2014

For The Love of Artists, Kettle Art Gallery, Dallas, Texas
For The Love of Kettle, Kettle Art Gallery, Dallas, Texas
Holiday Presence, Kettle Art Gallery, Dallas, Texas

2012

Senior Exhibition, UTA Gallery, University of Texas at Arlington, Texas
Occupy Painting, Gallery West, University of Texas at Arlington, Texas

2011

Figuratively Speaking, Gallery West, University of Texas at Arlington, Texas

BIBLIOGRAPHY

Studio Visit Magazine, Vol. #39, The Open Studio Press

SKILLS

Power Tools

Miter Saw, Drill, Impact Drill, Palm Grip Sander, Drill Press, Nail Gun, Band Saw, Table Saw, Circular Hand Saw

Carpentry

Advanced Skill Set.

Fabrication

Plinths, Tables, Pedestals, Stretcher Bars, Crates, Slip Cases, Custom Boxes