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Jules Jones

b. 1991 Middletown NY, lives and works in Franklin County, MA

Education

2016 University of Massachusetts Amherst, BFA in Studio Arts, Art History Minor, Amherst MA

2014 A.S. Graduation with Honors, Visual Arts, Greenfield Community College, Greenfield, MA, Painting and Drawing Concentration

Solo Exhibitions

2024 Divinities, Artspace Community Arts Center, Greenfield, MA

2023 Stay: Selected Works of Jules Jones, Anchor House of Artists, Northampton, MA

2023 Glued Down: Collage Paintings by Jules Jones, Hope and Feathers Framing and Printing, Amherst, MA

2022 *Jules Jones: About Face*, Anchor House of Artists, Northampton, MA

2022 Local Artist Display at the Green River Festival, Greenfield, MA

2022 *Featured Artist*, Greenfield Community Television, Greenfield, MA

2020 *Healing Bodies*, Digital Exhibition, Augusta Savage Gallery, UMass Amherst, Amherst MA

2018 *Face Forward*, Nina's Nook Turners Falls, MA

2017 *Untitled Painting Show*, Aeble NY, Hudson NY

2017 *Featured Artist*, Vibe Jewels New York Boutique, Hudson NY

2016 *Wet Paint: A BFA Thesis Exhibition*, Herter Art Gallery, UMass Amherst, Amherst MA

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2026 Out of the Darkness, Art for the Soul Gallery, Springfield, MA
- 2025 Wildflower Alliance Peer Community Art, Anchor House of Artists, Northampton, MA
- 2025 Forward, Artspace Community Arts Center, Greenfield, MA
- 2024 Thrive: Beyond Surviving, Taber Art Gallery, Holyoke Community College, Holyoke, MA
- 2023 Narrative Portraiture, William Blizzard Gallery, Springfield College, Springfield, MA
- 2023 Liberated Spaces: Queer and Trans Comfort in the Places We Call Home, Student Union Gallery, UMass Amherst, Amherst, MA
- 2022 Local Artist Display at the Green River Festival, Greenfield, MA
- 2022 Spring Outlook Community Art Show, Elusie Gallery, Easthampton, MA
- 2021 *Primordia*, Madhouse Multi-Arts, Greenfield, MA
- 2021 *Urgent Unity, Unprecedented Healing, Reflections from Covid*, You + Me Gallery Greenfield, MA
- 2021 *Our Truth Our Power, A Survivor Arts Exhibition*, (digital), Survivor Arts Collective, Easthampton, MA
- 2020 *Pushing the Envelope: Art in the time of Pandemic*, Pulp, Holyoke, MA
- 2020 *Looky Here 2020: A Juried Group Show*, Looky Here, Greenfield MA
- 2019 *Greenfield Community College Student Art Show*, Massachusetts State House, Boston, MA
- 2017 *Hands on Love Pop-up Exhibition*, Bushwick Open Studios, The Living Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
- 2017 *Glitter Queer As F*ck Art Show*, Eastworks, Easthampton, MA
- 2017 *Nasty Woman Art Exhibit and Fundraiser*, Barnes Gallery, Leverett Crafts and Arts, Leverett, MA
- 2016 *Postage Required: A Mail-Art Exhibition*, Vermont Center for Photography, Brattleboro, VT
- 2016 *Othering Biennial Juried Show*, Berkshire Arts Association, Lichtenstein Center for the Arts, Pittsfield, MA
- 2016 *Art Amassed*, Warner Babcock Institute for Green Chemistry, Wilmington, MA
- 2016 *Music and Diversity Call and Response: Legends of Blues and Jazz Portrait Exhibition*, Caribbean Literary & Cultural Center, Brooklyn Public Library
- 2015 *University of Massachusetts Student Artists Reception*, La Napoule FR

Awards and Grants

2025 Valley Creates Capacity-Building Cohort Grant through Assets for Artists and the Community Foundation of Western Massachusetts

2024-25 Valley Arts Mentors Mentorship Program, Mentor

Artist Residencies

2019 Lazuli Artist Residency, Corinth VT, August-September

2018-19 Chalk Hill Artist Residency, Healdsburg, CA, December-January

Permanent Collections

2025 Wildflower Alliance Anemone Peer Respite, Holyoke MA

2024 Wildflower Alliance community centers, Holyoke MA, Springfield, MA

2016 Turners Falls High School, Turners Falls, MA

2016 Private Collections- NY, CT

2014,'13 Greenfield Community College

Publications

2026 The Catalyst, Crip Futures, Fortuna Major Press

2017 Creativ Paper independent magazine/website, March Issue

2017 Studio Visit Magazine, Volume Thirty-Six, pg. 94

2016 mOthertongue, a multi-lingual journal of the arts, volume xxi

2013 The Drawing Team, Live Art Magazine

Work Experience

- 2026 Field Teacher, Art and Education Programs, Mass Audubon Arcadia Nature Sanctuary, Easthampton, MA
- 2025 Valley Arts Mentors Mentorship Program, Mentor, Western Mass
- 2023 Collage Painting workshop at Resilient Community Arts, Eastworks, Easthampton, MA
- 2022 Collage Paintings with Jules Jones Workshop, instructor, Eastworks, Easthampton, MA
- 2021 Collage Art Workshop, instructor, Looky Here, Greenfield, MA.
- 2014 Art Group Assistant, Franklin County Sherriff's Office, Greenfield, MA
- 2014 Exhibition Co-Organizer, *Inside Art: An Exhibit of Painting and Poetry by men incarcerated at the Franklin County Sherriff's Office*, Greenfield, MA