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artist statement

At both the beginning and end of the day, the art I make is about figures, faces and places. Growing up the son of a carpenter and a touch-typist, I learned early to make things with my hands. In my teens, I studied at the Art Students League of New York; got into, and dropped out of, The Cooper Union; and went on to life as a lawyer.

I took up painting 7 years ago to transition from litigating to creating. My passion is sketching, painting and rendering people and their portraits. I use oils, acrylics and charcoals to create vivid and memorable likenesses on canvas, board and paper.

Influenced by Rembrandt, Van Gogh, and Chuck Close, I aspire to be a portrait painter of substance and import, capturing the exchange between me and my sitters to make lasting works of collectible realism to be passed down through generations to come.

work experience

2008-present

Fine Arts Painter, Ithaca, NY

1992-2008

Attorney and Counselor at Law, New York City & Ithaca, NY

1983-1992

Bailiff, NY State Unified Court System, New York, NY

education

1976

The Art Students League of New York, New York, NY

1979-1980

The Cooper Union, Irwin S. Chanin School of Architecture, New York, NY

selected painting exhibitions

Mar. 2011

CAP ArtSpace, *Good Evening, Hockey Fans!*, solo show, Ithaca, NY

Oct. 2009

and their allocation, group show, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY

Aug. 2009

Moosewood Restaurant, solo exhibit, Ithaca, NY

July 2009

gimme! espresso shop, *10 x 10 x 10*, solo exhibit, Trumansburg, NY

Mar. 2009

WSKG TV, group show, Ithaca / Corning / Cooperstown, NY

Oct. 2008

CSMA Arts for All Marathon, group show, Ithaca, NY

Apr. 2008

Lamoreaux Landing Vineyards, solo exhibit, Lodi, NY

Jan. 2008

gimme! espresso shop, solo exhibit, New York, NY

Nov. 2007

Anthony Brunelli Gallery Anniversary, group show, Binghamton, NY

Sep. 2006

gimme! espresso shop, solo exhibit, Brooklyn, NY

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publications . reviews

- 2010 *360 Magazine, The Commons Issue, Spring 2010, Cover Art & Illustration*
2009 *Poets & Artists, The Self-Portrait Issue, September 2009, Contributor*
2008 *The New York Times, City Room (blog), A Reader's Drawing Board of*
Governors, Dec. 5, 2008 (& Dec. 6, 2008 newsprint edition), Contributor
2008 *Ithaca Times, Portraits of Music, by Arthur Whitman, April 30, 2008*
2007 *Ithaca Times, Home, on canvas, by Arthur Whitman, October 17, 2007*
2007 *Ithaca Times, Summer Ithaca, June 13, 2007, Cover Art*

grants & awards

- 2011 *Peoples' Choice Selection, Ithaca Festival Paint Off*
2010 *Judges' Selection, Ithaca Festival Paint Off*
2009 *Honorable Mention, 2-Dimensional Category, WSKG-TV Art Competition*
& Auction
2008 *NYFA Business of Art MARK '08, Ithaca & NYC, NY, Seminar Participant*

representation

presently seeking gallery representation

collections

New York State Museum
Cornell University
various private collections