# **Adrianna Speer**

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### **Curriculum Vitae**

**Education** 

2017 MFA Louisiana Tech University2012 BFA Louisiana State University

**Professional Employment & Teaching History** 

2024-Present Visiting Assistant Professor of Studio Art Louisiana Tech University

Courses: 2D Design, Drawing I, Drawing II, Color Theory & Design,

Communication Skills I

2024 Emergency Temporary Faculty University of Louisiana at Lafayette

Courses: Design I & Drawing I

2021-2023 Adjunct Visual Arts Faculty University of Louisiana at Lafayette

Courses: Design I, Drawing I, Advanced Drawing: Formal

Conceptual Development

Adjunct Faculty South Louisiana Community College Courses: Survey of the Arts I & Survey of the Arts II

2021 Adjunct Painting & Drawing Faculty Louisiana State University

Courses: 2Dimensional Design & Drawing I

2019-2021 Adjunct Faculty of Foundations Rocky Mountain College of Art +

Design, Denver, CO

Courses: Seminar: Methods of Inquiry, Topics in Color, Introduction

to Drawing, Observational Drawing

2017-2018 Curatorial Fellow Ogden Museum of Southern Art 2016, 2018 Foundations Instructor Belvoir Terrace, Lenox, MA

2015-2017 Graduate Instructor of Record Louisiana Tech University

Courses: Introduction to Drawing, Communication Skills

2014-2017 Graduate Teaching Assistant Louisiana Tech University

Courses: Introduction to 3D Design, Introduction/Intermediate/Advanced Painting, Introduction to Materials, Color Theory & Design, Introduction

to Drawing

#### **Solo Exhibitions**

2025 (forthcoming) Textures of Rebirth Louisiana School for Math, Science & Arts

2024 Painting en Plein Air: Acadiana & Abroad, Dean's Gallery, University of

Louisiana at Lafayette

2017 Horizon Firehouse Gallery, Baton Rouge

Horizon Louisiana School for Math, Science & Arts

Horizon Louisiana Tech University

2016 Palette Cleaning Paintings Parish Press

12 Foot Feature The Frame of Mind

2014 These Were Not Our Decisions 7Elements

#### **Juried Exhibitions**

\*denotes an award

2025 Baker National 2025, Holt-Russel Gallery, Baker University, KS; Juror:

Trish Van Osdel

Unusual Views, Rhode Island Watercolor Society, Pawtucket, RI; Juror:

Michele Poirier Mozzone

Landscapes of the Southeast, Red Springs Artspace, NC; Jurors: Jeffery

and Irina Geller \*Honorable Mention

2024 7<sup>th</sup> Louisiana Biennial: National Juried Exhibition, LATech, Ruston, LA;

Juror: Laura Blereau Curator of Exhibitions at the Newcomb Art Museum of

Tulane University in New Orleans

2023 Landscapes: Serene and Savage, MVA Gallery, Bethlehem, PA

Marksville Plein Air, Avoyelles Parish Arts Council, LA; Juror: Wangling Chou Professor of Art at Louisiana Christian University \*Honorable

Mention

Plein Air Plus: Eighth Annual National Juried Competition, Long Beach

Island Foundation of the Arts, NJ

Plein Air @ Altitude: Third Annual Plein Air Competition, Fraser Valley

Arts, CO

All About Women, Marin Society of Artists, San Rafael, CA Shape/Form/Structure, SITE:BROOKLYN, New York City, NY

2022 EXTINCTION: Save the Planet Gallerium Art Exhibitions International

The Unknown Nature of Being Tubac Center of the Arts, AZ \*Merit Award

Undomesticated Gallery One, WA

ABSTRACT Art Show International \*Finalist Award Landscapes and Seascapes Las Laguna Art Gallery, CA

2021 Throughlines: Contemporary Drawing Indianapolis Art Center, IN

ABSTRACT Art Show International \*Finalist Award

2020 CONGRUENCE Juror: Bridgette Mayer Gallery, I Like Your Work

Summer Group Exhibition

#### **Group Exhibitions & Invitationals**

2025 She/Her/We, Bry Gallery, University of Louisiana at Monroe

2024 Annual Faculty Exhibition, Louisiana Tech University

2023 QUARTERLY Winter Exhibition Dab Arts Co.

Painting History, One Stroke at a Time Beauregard Gallery, LA

St. Bernard Plein Air River House Art Gallery, LA

2022 Food for Thought San Fernando Valley Arts & Cultural

Center, Online

Shadows-on-the-Teche Plein Air Paint Out & Exhibition, LA

2021 PAINT 2021 Silvermine Galleries, CT

Small Works Jag Gallery, FL

May Group Art Show Jones Gallery, MO

6x6x2021 Rochester Contemporary Art Center, NY

2016 LA Tech University School of Design Exhibition Louisiana

School for Math, Science, and the Arts, LA LANDSCAPES Lincoln Into Art, Gettysburg, PA Landscape: A Sense of Place SITE: BROOKLYN, NY

2015 From Here and From There Upstairs Gallery, LA

CODA Enterprise Center Gallery, LA

2014 Abstract Sanctuary Verum Ultimum Gallery, Portland, OR

## **Lectures, Residencies & Workshops**

2026 (Forthcoming) Artist in Residence, Apapacho: CDMX Residency, PROArtes Mexico

2025 (Forthcoming) Artist in Residence, Virginia Center for the Creative Arts

Artist in Residence, Rural Residency for Contemporary Art, Italy

2024 Artist in Residence Padula Art Center, Italy

Artist in Residence Château d'Orquevaux International Artists &

Writers Residency, France

Plein Air Workshop, Acadiana Center of the Arts, Louisiana

2021-2022 Critique & Event Facilitator All SHE Makes, virtual 2020 Observational Drawing Instructor Avenida Lakewood

Teaching Art Online Workshop for K-12 Teachers

2018 Artist in Residence Taleamor Park Artist Residency

2018-2019 Life Drawing Ogden Museum of Southern Art After Hours

2017 Visiting Artist Lecture Horizon, Louisiana School for Math, Science

& Arts

2016 Visiting Artist Lecture Landscapes, the University of Louisiana at

Monroe

Visiting Artist Lecture What Makes a Good Sketchbook?,

Louisiana Tech University

2013 Artist in Residence Burren College of Art, Ireland

Artist in Residence Atelier de la Rose, France

#### **Publications**

2025 Divide Magazine, Issue 13

2023 QUARTERLY, Winter Issue & Exhibition, Dab Arts Co.

Hold The Gravy Podcast: Episode 23, Apple Podcasts

2022 The Book of Arts: Extinction, Gallerium Art Exhibitions International

2019 Grounded DARIAmag.com

2017 Measuring the Infinite Pelicanbomb.com

#### **Awards & Grants**

2024 The Denis Diderot Grant Château d'Orquevaux

The Emerging Artist Grant Château d'Orquevaux

Excellence in Teaching, South Louisiana Community College Applying the QM Rubric Quality Matters Online Education

2018 Assistantship Taleamor Park Artist Residency

2014-2017 Graduate Teaching Assistantship Louisiana Tech University

## **Community Development & Service**

2021

2024 Guest Instructor, Watercolor Landscape Workshop, Lincoln Parish

Library, LA

Co-Coordinator, Louisiana Tech University School of Design Saturday

Sketches

Founder, Acadiana Plein Air Society (APAS), LA Guest Judge, Paint Out, Teche Plein Air, LA Artist, 40West Arts District Lakewood, CO

2019-2020 Artist, 40West Arts District Lakewood, CO

2016 Guest Judge, 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Earvin Ryland Youth Art Festival, Kiwanis Club

of Ruston

2015-2016 Guest Artist, Art. Create. Discover. Communicate. (AC/DC) Kids

Featured Artist, Off The Wall Silent Auction and

Fundraiser, The Masur Museum of Art

2014-2015 Featured Artist, Mary Bird Perkins-Our Lady of the Lake Cancer

Center Silent Auction Fundraiser, The Belle of Baton Rouge Casino

## **Affiliations, Committees & Memberships**

2023-2024	Teche Plein Air National Juried Competition, LA
	Newburyport Art Association, MA
2021-2022	International Baccalaureate Examiner Visual Arts
	Talented & Gifted Visual Arts Program Evaluator Louisiana
2020-2024	Acadiana Center for the Arts (ACA)
	Hilliard Art Museum
	Southeastern College Art Conference
2019-2021	Denver Art Museum
2018-2021	The Clyfford Still Museum
2017-2019	Ogden Museum of Southern Art
2015-2017	The College Arts Association (CAA)
2014-2017	North Central Louisiana Arts Council
2014-2016	The Artist Alliance, Louisiana Tech University

#### **Collections**

2009-2012

Château d'Orquevaux Artists & Writers Residency, France Black Bayou National Wildlife Refuge, Monroe, Louisiana Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority Baton Rouge, Louisiana Trenton Interiors & Co. Ruston, Louisiana Karl and Kay Malone Private Collection

The Painter's League, Louisiana State University

The Remington Hotel Suite and Spa Shreveport, Louisiana Sue Paperie Ruston, Louisiana Wooden Haven Furniture Co. Baton Rouge, Louisiana

# **Technical Expertise**

Adobe Creative Suite
Microsoft Office Suite
Public Speaking
Research & Writing
Developing Academic Coursework & Curriculum
Moodle, Canvas, LMS
Traditional & Contemporary 2D Visual Art Practices
Gallery & Museum Preparation & Installation
Museum Curatorial Processes
Past Perfect
Building Panels & Stretching Canvases
General Woodworking and 3D Processes
Mac & Windows Operating Systems
Wood Shop Safety
Professional Artist Practices