ANDREA HUPPERT

Biography

A native of Baltimore, I have studied at the Maryland Institute College of Art, The Towson Fine Art School, Harford Community College and with a variety of professional instructors.

My early painting style was traditional realism rendered in oil but eventually I chose to explore the possibilities of watercolor and began exhibiting my work professionally in 1984.During this period I gained acceptance into many juried competitions and won numerous awards. While an active member of several watercolor societies I also helped establish and run a co-operative gallery in Baltimore for four years.

In 1996 watercolor led to mixed media as I began to destroy and re-purpose unresolved paintings and add layers of collage. These collages evolved into wall-hung dioramas that incorporated painted papers and fabrics, found objects and small, hand-built sculptures which I continued to explore until 2003.

After an extended hiatus, I resumed two-dimensional painting primarily in acrylic with some mixed media. This body of work was on exhibit at Fleckenstein Gallery in Baltimore for 5 years.

Currently I am painting in encaustic and energized by the unpredictability and luminosity of this new medium.

I have worked as a muralist/decorative painter since 1995 and continue to do so now on a limited basis

Work Experience

- 1970-1983 Taught oil painting privately and through Balto. Co. Parks & Recreation
- 1984-1988 President, Watermark Gallery
- 1988-1990 Consultant, Katzenstein Custom Framing and Gallery
- 1991 Watercolor instructor, Mitchell School of Art
- 1991-2001 Independent Painting and Exhibition
- 1995-1998 Mural Painter, Valley Craftsmen, Ltd.
- 1999-2002 Independent Contractor- Murals and Custom Designs, Twin Diamond Studios
- 2002-2006 Andrea Huppert Fine Art, Murals and Custom Designs

2006-Present Mural Painter Olney Decorative Painting

Mural Projects

While working for Valley Craftsmen, mural projects were completed for clients such as The U.S. Mint, Brooks Robinson, The Masonic Temple and Trump Marina Hotel Casino, N.J.

Commissioned Independent Murals

- 2001 AND U.S.A. Corporation, Baltimore, MD.
- 2002 Mercy Medical Center Pediatric ER, Baltimore, MD.

- 2003 Ma Maison Assisted Living, Perry Hall, MD.
- 2004 St. Joseph Medical Center NICU, Towson, MD.

Residential Murals (Short List)

- 2001 Mr. & Mrs. Alan R. Marani, Baltimore, MD.
- 2002 Mr. & Mrs. Albert R. Marani, Wilson Pt., MD.
- 2003 Dr. & Mrs. Ira Fedder, Stevenson, MD.
- 2004 Dr. Carol Zaminsky, Lutherville, MD.
- 2005 Dr. & Mrs. Harvey Schonwald, Reisterstown, MD.
- 2006 Mr. & Mrs. Calvin Clemons, Perry Hall, MD.

Selected Exhibitions

- **2014** May 3 Jun 22, "Delaplaine Annual Juried Exhibition", Delaplaine Arts Center, Frederick, MD. (Juror: Margaret Winslow)
- 2013 Jun 8 Jul 26, "TAC 6th Anniversary Juried Exhibit", TAC Gallery, Towson, MD. (Joror: Leslie King- Hammond) AWARD of MERIT

Jun 29 - Jul 31, "The Big Show", Creative Alliance, Baltimore, MD.

- Sep 14 Oct 26, "Naturally Inclined" Two Artist Show, Fleckenstein Gallery, Baltimore, MD>
- <u>2012</u> May 11 Aug 13, "TAC 5th Anniversary Juried Exhibit", TAC Gallery, Towson, MD. (Joror: Jordan Faye Block) **AWARD of EXCELLENCE**
- **2003** Apr 11 May 18, "26th Annual Art On Paper Juried Exhibit", MFA Gallery, Annapolis, MD. (Juror: Linda Simmons, Corcoran Gallery of Art)
- 2002 Feb20 -Mar 22, "NAMI First Annual Mask Competition", Baltimore Museum of Industry, Baltimore, MD. (Various Jurors) AWARD - Most Creative
 - Nov 7 -Dec 14, "Obsession, Addiction, Passion" Juried Show, Creative Alliance, Baltimore, MD. (Juror: Rebecca Hoffberger)

<u>2001</u>

Sep 30 - Oct 31, "Two Artist Show", Pearl Gallery, Baltimore, MD.

Feb 10 - Mar 15, "One Person Show," Howard County Community College, Columbia, MD.

2000

Sep 6 - Oct 3, "One Person Show," Donna's Café - Mt. Vernon, Baltimore, MD.

Jun 1 - Jun 30, "One Person Show", Theatre Project Fonda Gallery, Baltimore, MD.

- Feb 7 Mar 17," B.W.S. Group show, Baltimore City Hall, Baltimore, MD. (Juror:Carolyn Gawarecki), Honorable Mention.
- Jan 14 Feb. 25, "2000 Views Millennial Exhibition", Howard Co. Center for the Arts, Ellicott City, MD.

<u>1999</u>

- Sep. 28 Oct. 30, "Transitions" Big Show '99, Fells Pt. Creative Alliance, Baltimore, MD.
- Aug. 25 Oct. 3, "Group Show", Quiet Waters Park, Annapolis, MD.
- May 5 Jun. 27, "Realism & Beyond", Mill River Gallery, Ellicott City, MD.
- Mar. 4 Mar. 29, "Laurel Art Guild, Open Juried Exhibition", Montpelier Cultural Art Center, Laurel, MD. (Juror: Doreen Bolger) **2nd Place.**

<u>1998</u>

- Dec. 14 Jan. 25, "Baltimore: A Cultural Landscape"; City Hall Courtyard Galleries, Baltimore, MD.
- Nov. 28 Dec. 28, "Group Show", Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond, Baltimore, MD.

Nov. 8 - Dec. 31, "Visions Surreal & Serene", Invitational, Pearl Gallery, Baltimore, MD.

Sept. 28 - Oct. 25, "Journeys 1998", Adrian's Book Café, Fells Point MD.

June 10 - July 10, "A Celebration of the Arts in Maryland - Power Objects in the Here and Now", Government House, Annapolis, MD. (Jury: Chris Brownawell, Ron Roberson, Millie Shott, Chezia Thompson Cager.

1997

- Oct. 18 25, "Sixth Annual Lotta Art Show & Benefit", School 33 Art Center, Balto., MD.
- Sept. 27 Oct. 28, "Big Show '97, Home", Vagabond Theatre, Fells Point, MD.
- Sept. 21 Nov. 16, "M.F.A. Fall Juried Exhibition.", M.F.A. Gallery, Annapolis, MD.
- Aug. 2 28, "B.W.S. Juried Show", Federal Reserve Bank, Balto., MD. (Juror: Burnice Kish) **1st Place**
- May 14 June 28, "4th Annual Regional Juried Show" Galleries at Savage Mill, Savage, MD. (Juror: Tex Andrews)
- Mar. 9 Apr. 15, "One Person Show", Delaplaine Gallery, Mt. St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg, MD.

<u>1996</u>

- Oct 24 Nov 23, "M.F.A Fall Juried Exhibition," M.F.A. Gallery, Annapolis, MD. (Juror: Gary Sangster) Best in Show<u>1996</u>
- Oct 3 Nov 2, "The Big Show 96: Collaborations" Fells Pt. Creative Alliance (Mobile w/ M.J. Oelke)

Sept. 8 - Oct. 20, "One Person Show," Gallery Unicorn, Towson, MD.

July 1 - July 28, "One Person Show," Gibson Island Gallery, Gibson Island, MD.

- May 19 Jan 20, "M.F.A. SPRING JURIED EXHIBIT," M.F.A. Gallery, Annapolis, MD (Juror:John Sills) Honorable Mention
- Mar 21 Apr 26, "TWO ARTIST SHOW," Tuttle Gallery, McDonogh, MD

Feb. 4 - Feb 25, "P.W.S. MEMBER SHOW," York Art Assn, York, PA

Dec. 27 - Jan. 26, "BWS GROUP SHOW," Hoffberger Gallery, Baltimore, MD.

<u>1995</u>

- Dec. 5 Dec. 29, "PATUXENT ART LEAGUE JURIED EXHIBITION," Montpelier Cultural Arts Center, Laurel, Md (Juror: Joe Mayer) Merit Award
- Oct. 5 Oct. 27, "TWO ARTIST SHOW," Community Center Gallery, Essex Community College, Baltimore, MD
- Oct. 2 Dec. 1, "THE MCDONOGH INVITATIONAL," Baltimore Life Gallery, Owings Mills, MD Honorable Mention
- Sep. 9 Nov. 8, "B.W.S. JURIED EXHIBITION," Federal Reserve Bank, Baltimore, MD
- Aug. 23 Oct. 2, "GROUP SHOW," Arts Club of Washington, Washington, D.C.
- Aug. 13 "ONE PERSON SPECIAL EXHIBITION," McCormick-Holt Center for the Arts, Baltimore, MD
- Jul. 20 Aug. 30, "GROUP SHOW," Roper Gallery, Frostburg State University, Frostburg, MD (Juror: Dustin Davis) **Honorable Mention**
- Apr. 10 May 27, "MID-ATLANTIC REGIONAL WC EXHIBITION," Johns Hopkins Turner Auditorium, Baltimore, MD (Jurors: Dean Mitchell, Marilyn Hughey Phillis)
- Apr. 3 June 2, CHESEPIUC, MOTHER OF WATERS," Baltimore Life Gallery, Owings Mills, MD
- Mar. 18 Apr. 16, "TAOS NATIONAL EXHIBITION OF AMERICAN WATERCOLOR," Bareiss Gallery, Taos, NM (Juror Warren Taylor)
- Mar. 9 Apr. 16, "ART ON PAPER NATIONAL EXHIBITION," M.F.A. Gallery, Annapolis, MD (Juror Frank Gettings)
- Feb. 27 Mar. 31, "GROUP SHOW," Lawrence Gallery, Alexandria, VA
- Jan. 8 Jan. 29, "B.W.S. JURIED EXHIBITION," Washington County Museum of Art, Hagerstown,MD (Juror: Joe Mayer)