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NICK BLOSSER

BORN

1958 Columbiana, OH

resides and works as an artist in Johnson City, TN and teaches at Milligan College

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2021 *Walking*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR
- 2017 *Exteriors*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR
- 2013 *Nick Blosser: New Paintings*, Nelson Fine Art, Johnson City, TN
- 2011 *Outside-In*, Johnson City Area Arts Council Gallery, Johnson City, TN
- 2010 *Inside the Edge of the Woods*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR
- 2008 *Off-Road*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR
- 2005 *New Paintings*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR
- 2003 *From Here and There*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR
- 2002 *Landscape Paintings*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR
Nick Blosser, Recent Paintings, College Of The Ozarks, Jones Gallery, Lookout, MO
- 2001 *Out-of-Doors*, Adam Baumgold Fine Art, New York, NY
Nick Blosser, Signature Gallery, Johnson City Area Arts Council, Johnson City, TN
- 1999 *New Paintings*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR
Eastern Tennessee State University, Slocumb Gallery, Johnson City, TN
- 1998 *Paintings*, Adam Baumgold Fine Art, New York City, NY
Recent Paintings, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR
- 1997 *Paintings*, Adam Baumgold Fine Art, New York City, NY
- 1995 *Nick Blosser: Paintings*, Adam Baumgold, Fine Art, New York City, NY
- 1994 *Every Living Thing*, Jamison/Thomas Gallery, Portland, OR
Paintings, Houghton College Art Gallery, Houghton, NY
- 1993 *Out-Of-Doors With Eyes Half-Shut*, Jamison/Thomas Gallery, Portland, OR
New Paintings, Mount Vernon, Nazarene College Art Gallery, Mount Vernon, OH
- 1992 *Paintings*, McMahan Student Center, Milligan College, TN
New Paintings, Jamison/Thomas Gallery, Portland, OR
- 1989 Spaces Gallery, Cleveland, OH
Bowling Green State University Art Gallery, Bowling Green, OH
- 1987 Contemporary Art Workshop, Chicago, IL
Olin Gallery, Kenyon College, Gambier, OH
United Christian Center Gallery, Columbus, OH
- 1980 Hopkins Hall Gallery, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2021 *Walking*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR
- 2020 *River*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR
- 2019 *IT'S SUMMER!*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR
- 2018 *Along the Edge*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR
- 2017 *Dislocation*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR
- 2016 *A Stand of Pine in a Tilled Field: 21 Years at PDX*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR

2015 *Nature, Robots and Elvis*, Milligan College Art Gallery, Milligan College, TN
4 x 4, invitational group exhibit, Johnson City Area Arts Council Gallery, Johnson City, TN

2014 *I Never Complained About the Past: New Work / New Year*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR

2010 - 2013 Art in Embassies, U.S. Department of State, Libreville, Gabon

2008 *Road Works*, Adam Baumgold Gallery, New York, NY

2007 *true bearing*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR

2005 Nick Blosser, Dan Drage, and Evan Longfield, Johnson City Area Art Council, Johnson City, TN

2004 *Wood Work*, J.G. Contemporary, New York, NY

2003 *First Tennessee Bank Show*, Carroll Reece Museum, Annual Juried Show, Johnson City, TN
Appalachian Art Show, regional juried exhibit, Renaissance Center, Kingsport, TN, Award Winner

2002 *Selections: Gallery Artists*, Adam Baumgold Gallery, New York, NY

2001 *Double Vision*, Adam Baumgold Gallery, New York, NY

2000 *Observation/Revelation: Plants & Insects through the Lens of Art*, Prichard Art Gallery,
Sun Valley Art Center, Sun Valley, ID
Physical Manifestation, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR

1998 *New Paintings*, Adam Baumgold Fine Arts, New York, NY

1997-8 *Land and Body*, traveling invitational at 3 Florida Universities: University of Florida, Gainesville,
University of Central Florida, Orlando, University of North Florida, Jacksonville

1997 *Gallery Artists*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR
Geography and Spirit, Sun Valley Center for the Arts and Humanities, Sun Valley, ID
A group landscape invitational, Rudolph Poissant Gallery, Houston, TX

1996 *Gallery Artists*, PDX CONTEMPORARY ART, Portland, OR
Invitational+, Adam Baumgold Fine Art, New York City, NY
Chicago Art Fair, Navy Pier, Chicago, IL
Works on Paper, The Armory, New York City, NY

1995 *After 15 Years of Business*, Final Show of Jamison/Thomas Gallery, Portland, OR
The Flower Show, Jamison/Thomas Gallery, Portland, OR
First Tennessee Bank Show, Carroll Reese Museum, East Tennessee State University, Johnson City, TN

1993 *25th Anniversary Alumni Exhibition*, Hopkins Hall Gallery, Ohio State University, Columbus, OH
New Regional Painting II, Moody Gallery of Art, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL

1992 *In-Outsiders From the American South*, Montgomery Biennial-Montgomery Museum of Art, Montgomery, AL

1991 *Landscape: Three Views*, Jamison/Thomas Gallery, Portland, OR

1989 *Two Person Show*, Emily Davis Gallery, The University of Akron, Akron, OH

1988 *Figurative Painting*, Contemporary Art Workshop, Chicago, IL
Drawing Our Own Conclusions, Fort Hayes School for the Arts Gallery, Columbus, OH, invitational

1987 *Annual Ohio Governor's Residence Collection*, by invitation

1986 *Two Person Show*, Houghton College Gallery, Houghton, NY
Two Person Show, Michael Allen Gallery, Columbus, OH

1985 *The American Academy In Rome*, Rome, Italy, Fellows Annual Exhibition

1984 *Drawing Exhibition*, The American Academy in Rome
Fifth Floor Gallery At Lazarus, Columbus, OH

1983 *Ohio Selections*, Dayton Art Institute, Dayton, OH
Animism: Four Ohio Artists, The Watertower, Louisville, KY
Two Person Show, Artreach Gallery, Columbus, OH
Group Exhibition, Gallery 200, Columbus, OH

1982 *Four Young Painters*, Municipal Center Gallery, Upper Arlington, OH
Eighth State Annual Painting, J.B. Speed Museum, Louisville, KY
Columbus Art League Juried Exhibition, Columbus Museum of Art, Columbus, OH

1981 *Two person Show*, Gallery One, Columbus, OH

1980 Group Juried Exhibition, State Office Tower, Columbus, OH
The United Christian Center Juried Exhibition, Columbus, OH

AWARDS

1991-92 National Endowment for the Arts Individual Fellowship, \$20,000
1987-88 National Endowment for the Arts Individual Fellowship, \$5000
1984-85 Rome Prize Fellowship in Painting - year long residency award
1983-84 Ohio Arts Council individual fellowship in painting, \$5000

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2007 Duford, Daniel, "true bearing at PDX," Artweek, Oct, 2007
2005 DeLuca, Andie, "Nick Blosser at PDX," PORT, July 16
2003 "Tennessee Quiet," The Oregonian, September 26
2001 Johnson, "Nick Blosser," The New York Times, March 30
"Nick Blosser; Out-of-Doors," Adam Baumgold Gallery, show preview, March
2000 "On View, Contemporary Landscapes," New York, July 24
Friedman, Ann, "Observation/Revelation: Plants and Insects through the Lens of Art," Sun Valley Center for the Arts, March
1998 "Art of the Pacific Northwest," Artnews, March
1993 Gragg, Randy, "'Out-of-Doors' Paintings Evoke Northwest Feel," The Oregonian, June 18, p. 30
1992 Morris, Gregg, "Fresh Weekly," Willamette Week, March 12 - March 18
Duckler, Garrick, "Art," Willamette Week, March
Gragg, Randy, "Landscapes Reach to Core of Feeling," The Oregonian, March 12
Gragg, Randy, "Jamison/Thomas Gallery," The Oregonian, March 5
1989 "Blosser's Art on Show in Ohio," Mount Vernon Ohio News, February 9
Bomann, Mleke H., "The Imaginative Art of Nick Blosser," Kenyon College, January
1988 Constable, Lesley, "Show Draws Visual Conclusion," Columbus Dispatch, August 14
1987 "Blosser's Work Included in Governor's Exhibit," Mount Vernon Ohio News, February
1982 Reverman, Brian, "Poetic Places," Columbus Art, July