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Eric O'Dell at Liberty Hall Studios



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Currently *Associate Professor of Art*, Mercer University, Macon, Georgia.

Previously *Curator of Exhibitions and Collections*, Museum of Arts & Sciences, Macon Georgia.

Selected Solo Exhibitions

Incident on Second Street,

featured exhibit for the artist in residence, GAEA annual meeting, Macon, Georgia 2014

Another Line in the Field of Time

567 Gallery, Macon, Georgia 2010

Walking Dream

Middle Georgia College, Peacock Gallery, Cochran, Georgia 2009

Work/Love

Wesleyan College, Macon, Georgia 2008

Long Time Coming

Visual Arts Center of Northwest Florida, Panama City, Florida 2007

County Line Allied Arts, Milledgeville, Georgia 2006

Eric O'Dell

Macon Arts Gallery, Macon, Georgia 2005

Open Studio in conjunction with Macon's First Friday events, ~8 Fridays/year at Contemporary Arts Exchange, Macon, Georgia 2001 - 2018

Selected Group Exhibitions

The Chair Show

Madison Morgan Cultural Center, Madison, Georgia 2020

Art of the South

juried by Wayne White, Memphis College of Art-Hyde Gallery, Memphis, Tennessee 2015

Illuminated Terrain

621 Gallery, Tallahassee, Florida 2015

Arts Exchange featuring members of the Contemporary Arts Exchange, Tubman Museum, Macon, Georgia 2014

Emerging Artists

Museum of Arts and Sciences, Macon, Georgia 2014

Turn, Turn (w/Roger Jamison) Allied Arts, Milledgeville, Georgia 2014

Forces at Play (w/Brian O'Dell), the Firehouse Gallery, Louisville, Georgia 2011

A New Day by Two (w/Gary Blackburn) Oconee Cultural Arts Gallery, Watkinsville, Georgia 2007

The artist is represented in several private and corporate collections. He is also represented in the permanent collection at the Museum of Arts and Sciences in Macon, Georgia.

Selected Publications

Becky's Dream (painting) featured on the cover of the program guide for the annual conference program for Georgia Arts Education Association annual meeting (October 2 - 5) 2014

Last Year's Lessons (painting) featured on the cover of *The 11th Hour*, October 1 - 15 edition

Last Year's Lessons (painting) featured on the cover of *The Muse*, Museum of Arts and Sciences newsletter, February - April edition 2014

Original cover art for *Nineteenth-Century American Women Write Religion: Lived Theologies and Literature*, Edited by Dr. Mary McCartin Wearn, published by Ashgate Publishing Limited 2014

Preface/Special Thanks and Essay: "Corrine Colarusso" from the catalog for the exhibition *Painters' Reel*, published by the Museum of Arts and Sciences, Jan. 2009

Wolverine, Art Appreciation Marvel Publishing, Inc., edited by John Rhett Thomas, printed Oct. 2009

William Segal acknowledgements from the catalog for the exhibition, published by the Museum of Arts and Sciences, Oct. 2009

Selected Awards

Nominated for **Best Local Artist** *The 11th Hour annual Best of Macon Reader's Choice Awards* 2015 - 2017

Best Local Artist

The 11th Hour annual Best of Macon Reader's Choice Awards 2013 & 2014

Best Painting Winter Arts Festival, Middle Georgia Art Association, Macon, Georgia 2001

Best of Show Valdosta National Works on Paper Juried Exhibition, Valdosta State University, Valdosta, Georgia 1996

Other highlights

Reflections on our Collection blog, Museum of Arts and Sciences, August 9, by Curator of Art Kristy Edwards, featuring the painting *1982*, acrylic on canvas, 30 x 24 inches 2020

Relief Fund for Georgia Artists Program, Judith Alexander Foundation, awarded \$500 in support of artists and their studio practice 2020

May 21, featured in the art blog **Wall Breakers** with the article *Southern Reflections: Eric O'Dell's Works of Art* by Mehreen Shahid 2014

TEDx speaker, Cox Capital Theater, Macon, Georgia 2012

Featured by Sean Pritchard, **"Consolidating Colors"** *The 11th Hour*, cover article, May 4, 2012

Interview with Josephine Bennett, along with Ken Burns on the exhibition **William Segal**, broadcast nationally January 29 on *Morning Edition* and *All Things Considered* 2010

Steve Marcotte, **County Line Exhibit on Display** The Union-Recorder 1-10-2006