Steve Breerwood

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Education

2004 - 2006 Florida State University Tallahassee, FL

MFA in Painting and Drawing

1997 - 2002 Nicholls State University Thibodaux, LA

BA - Painting, Photography

Profession

Jul. 2016 – Present University of Central Oklahoma Edmond, OK

Adjunct Professor of Art

Aug. 2018 – Present Oklahoma City Community College Oklahoma City, OK

Adjunct Professor of Art

Jan. 2016 – Dec. 2018 Redlands Community College El Reno, OK

Adjunct Professor of Art

Aug. 2007 – April, 2013 University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma Chickasha, OK

Assistant Professor of Art

May, 2006 – Aug. 2007 Florida State University Tallahassee, FL

Adjunct Instructor

Visiting Artist Lectures

December 04, 2018, Oklahoma Contemporary, Oklahoma City, OK

Gave a public Artist Talk to gallery visitors in conjunction with the annual ArtNow exhibit.

February 15, 2018, Melton Gallery, Oklahoma City, OK

Gave a public Artist Talk to gallery visitors in conjunction with my solo show, Mindscape.

October 08, 2013, Ameen Gallery, Thibodaux, LA

• Gave a public Artist Talk to gallery visitors in conjunction with my solo show, *In First Person*.

April 03, 2009, Nicholls State University, Thibodaux, LA

 Invited to give an hour long presentation of my artwork and concepts for the Jubilee Liberal Arts Festival at NSU.

March 13, 2009, Mainsite, Norman, OK

Gave a public Artist Talk to gallery visitors in conjunction with my solo show.

Sept. 28, 2005, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL

 Invited by associate professor Paul Rutkovsky, head of the painting and drawing department at Florida State University, to talk about my work for his Drawing II class.

Exhibitions, Awards, Grants, and Publications

- 2018 2019 Oklahoma City Five of my paintings were included in the annual ArtNow exhibit and Oklahoma Contemporary from November 15th to January 18th. Two of my works were sold.
- 2018 **Edmond, OK** Exhibited my work in a solo show titled *Mindscape* at the Melton gallery from February 1st to February 22nd.
- 2017 **Oklahoma City, OK** An exhibition of my paintings titled *Nihilostalgia* ran from December 14th to January 9th, 2018 at the Individual Artists of Oklahoma gallery.
- 2016 **Tulsa, OK** "The Kiss Principle, Stupid," oil and acrylic on canvas, was exhibited in the *Concept:* Survey exhibition presented by the Oklahoma Visual Arts Coalition at the Hardesty Art Center. The painting was published in an official catalog of the show.
- 2014 **Dallas, TX** Participated in the *24 Hours in Creative Motion* artist lock-in and exhibition at Nerv Gallery. The lock-in began at 6:00pm Friday, December 12th. The opening reception began at 6:00pm Saturday, December 13th. Only work that had been started and completed during the event was eligible for entry. The exhibition ended on January 25th, 2015.
- 2013 **Thibodaux**, **LA** A solo show of my paintings titled *Steve Breerwood: In First Person* exhibited in the Ameen Art Gallery of Nicholls State University from September 23rd to October 18th.
- 2011 Chickasha, OK Completion of a public mural entitled *Universal Creativity* for the University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma. The work is on permanent display on the North facing exterior wall of Davis Hall.
- 2011 **Publication, Chickasha, OK** Front page article written by Rob Vollmar published in the August 20th edition of the Express- Star about my Davis Hall mural.
- 2010 **Chickasha, OK** A solo show of my paintings, entitled *An Inherent Condition*, exhibited from October 8th November 6th in the University of Arts and Sciences of Oklahoma Art Gallery.
- 2010 Publication: Art Focus Oklahoma did a cover story on my upcoming solo show, An Inherent Condition, in their September/ October edition. Tightrope Walking Backwards, oil on canvas, 2010, was printed in a full cover spread. To read the entire article, follow this link: http://www.issuu.com/ovac/docs/artfocus-septoct10
- 2010 **Oklahoma City, OK** *Hoard*, oil on canvas, exhibited at the 2010 *Momentum* completion for emerging artists, ages 30 and under. The annual exhibition was offered by the Oklahoma Visual Arts Coalition and ran from March 5th the 11th.
- 2009 **Thibodaux**, **LA** *Portrait of Christi and Sydney in Lived Perspective*, oil on canvas, exhibited in the Ameen Art Gallery for the Nicholls State University Faculty Invitational Art Show coinciding with the NSU Jubilee festival of Liberal Arts running from March 23 to April 3rd.
- 2009 **Norman, OK** Exhibited 15 pieces in a solo show at the Mainsite Gallery of Contemporary Art.

 The Show ran from February 13th to April 4th. Press: http://www.newsok.com/article/3349193
- 2008 **Oklahoma City, OK** Exhibited *Streaming*, oil on canvas, and *Self Portrait, 2007*, oil on canvas, in the *Know Thyself* show at the Independent Artists of Oklahoma gallery from September 17th to October 10th. The show and my painting, *Streaming*, received a review by John Brandenburg, art critic for *The Oklahoman* August 31st, 2008.

Press: http://newsok.com/article/3302772

2008 Oklahoma City, OK – Exhibited six pieces from my Human Resources series in the Corporatocracy show at the Independent Artists of Oklahoma gallery from August 15th to September 12th. The show and my painting Zoning, After Millet received a review by John Brandenburg, art critic for The Oklahoman – August 31st, 2008.

Press: http://newsok.com/article/3289954/

2007 / 2008 Chickasha / Lawton, OK – Jammed Baler, After Rivera, oil on canvas, won 3rd place in the 2007-2008 Seven State Biennial regional competition. The exhibition displayed from November 4th – December 7th at the USAO Art Gallery, then traveled to the Leslie Powell Gallery of Lawton, OK in January and February of 2008.

Press: http://www.usao.edu/news/releases/7StateArt07.html

- 2007 **Miami, FL** *Self Portrait, October, 2007,* exhibited in the 2007 Masters' Mystery Art Show to benefit the Master of Fine arts in Visual Arts program at Florida International University.
- 2007 **Interview** with Brendan Davis of Art Interview Online Magazine. Sample of the interview available online:

Press: http://www.art-interview.com/Issue 008/interview Breerwood Steve.html

- 2007 **Berlin, Germany** *Zoning, After Millet*, exhibited in the 2007 Art Interview International Awards Exhibit from January 19th 30th at Gallery 24/ Berlin.
- 2006 **Grant** Recipient of an Artist Enhancement Grant from the Florida Division of Cultural Affairs.
- 2006 **Berlin, Germany Awarded first place** in the Art Interview 6th International Online Artist Competition. Awards include an interview for the Art Interview website and the opportunity to exhibit my work in the Art Interview International Award Exhibition in 2007 at Gallery twenty-four in Berlin, Germany.

Winners: http://www.art-interview.com/CompetitionWinners/competition winners-006.html

- 2006 **New York, NY** *Maintenance, After Courbet*, oil on canvas, exhibited in the 12th Annual International Exhibition at the Soho20 Gallery, June 25th August 19th.
- 2006 **Chautauqua, NY** *Zoning, After Millet*, oil on canvas, exhibited in the 49th Annual Chautauqua National Exhibition of American Art June 25th to July 12th. **Awarded** an Anonymous Donor Award.
- 2005 **Ten works published** in the Arts and Culture section of Tallahassee magazine: September-October edition, Volume 28 Number 5.

References

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