

Janine Matthews

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Profile

Fine artist with 20 years' experience as a freelance painter, creator and muralist, working previously in the UK, Scotland, The French West Indies and the USA. Communication of visual ideas through the medium of paint, craft, fabric and wood craft. Active exhibiting artist recently relocated from the USA to the UK. Portfolio available on request.

Education

2020	Sotheby's USA , (online) Introduction to Curating
2019	Savannah College of Art and Design, (SCAD) , Savannah, GA, MFA, Painting (GPA 4.0)
2016	Virginia Commonwealth University, (VCU) , Richmond, VA. BFA Painting and Printmaking, Summa cum laude, University Honours (GPA 3.94)
2011 – 2013	Rocky Mountain College of Art and Design, (RMCAD) , BFA Painting
1982 – 1984	The Red Maids School , Westbury on Trym, Bristol, 2 A Levels 1 AS Level
1976 – 1982	La Retraite High School , Clifton, Bristol, 7 O'Levels Grades B – C, 1 GCSE Grade 1

Solo Exhibitions

2019	The Well Gallery , "A Family Legacy" Thesis Exhibition, Richmond, VA
2019	Jane Sandelin Gallery, Artworks , "Contemplating the Rabbit Hole", Richmond, VA
2017	First Friday Art Walk, West Broad Street , "Richmond After Dark", Richmond, VA
2016	Olio Restaurant , Richmond, VA
2015 - 2016	VCU Honors College , Richmond VA
2015	The Urban Farmhouse , Churchill, Richmond, VA

2013 **Belmar Library**, Lakewood, CO, "The Pleasure Principle Series"
2012 **Colorado Injury Care**, Denver CO

Group Exhibitions

2018 **First Universalist Unitarian Church**, Richmond, VA, "Gallery 53"
2017 **First Universalist Unitarian Church**, Richmond, VA, "Gallery 52"
2017- 2016 **Crenshaw House**, Department of Gender, Sexuality and Women's Studies, VCU, Richmond VA, *Liz Cranfield*, juror
2016 **The Depot**, Richmond VA, "Materie, Studies in Texture and Faecture", *Andrea Alvarez*, juror
2015 **Pop Up Art Exhibition**, Richmond VA, "Monsters are Sad Because They're Monsters"; *Ron Johnson* Juror
2015 **The Fishbowl**, VCU, Richmond, VA, "Interaction 47" *Reni Gower, Paloma Barhaugh-Bordas*, jurors
2013 **Philip J Steele Gallery**, RMCAD, Denver CO, "50th Student Show", *Courtney Lane Stell, Clark Richert* jurors
2012 **40 W Arts**, Lakewood, CO, "Inspire Exhibition"
2013 **First Universalist Unitarian Church**, Richmond VA, Richmond, "Gallery 48"
2011 - 2012 **Juice Communications**, Denver, CO

Bibliography

2016 VCU News, "Setting their sights: Meet eight remarkable students ready to make their mark on the world after graduation", May 10th 2016,
https://news.vcu.edu/article/Setting_their_sights_Meet_eight_remarkable_students_who_are_ready
2015 **Fishbowl Gallery**, "Interaction 47" Painting and Printmaking online publication, in conjunction with Interaction 47 Painting and Printmaking Exhibition, Fine Arts Building, VCU, Richmond, VA
2014 "So, You Want to go to Art School?" online publication, ISSU

Collections

Amazon Web Services Private Collection, Washington DC
Abdel Ahmad, Richmond VA
William Conkle, Richmond, VA
Carolyn and Ryan Henry, Denver Colorado
Elvin Jefferson, Richmond, VA

John and Sherry Larkin, Denver CO

Awards and Distinctions

- 2016 – 2019 SCAD Academic Honors Scholarship
SCAD eLearning Graduate Scholarship
SCAD Achievement Scholarship
- 2015 – 2016 VCU Berglund Honors Scholarship
- 2013 - 2014 Phillip J Steele Foundation: Gerald and Betty Ehrhart Memorial
Scholarship Award
- 2014 **Artworks**, Richmond VA. Juried all media show, May 2014 –
awarded 1st place in show. *Jeff Hall* juror
Artworks, Richmond VA. Juried all media show, April 2014 –
awarded 2nd place in show. *Lynn Murphy* Juror
- 2012 **Philip J Steele Gallery**, RMCAD, Denver, CO, "49th Student Show",
awarded 2nd place in Foundations Category, *Courtney Lane Stell*,
juror
- 2011 - 2013 RMCAD Artistic Scholarship

Commissions

- 2016 – 2017 **Capital Bike Trail mural**, The Alley @ 1910 East Main Street,
Richmond, VA. External wall mural and trompe l'oeil, 130 ft x 33 ft
Adventures in RVA, Richmond, VA, Logo formatting and painting of
a floor design