

Megan Lightell

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born

1979, Coshocton, OH

education

2000 BFA, Illustration, School of Visual Arts, New York, NY

solo exhibitions

2012 Zeitgeist Gallery, Nashville, TN
2010 Matre Gallery, Atlanta, GA
2009 "A Place Within," River Gallery, Chattanooga, TN
2008 "Sense of Place," Zeitgeist Gallery, Nashville, TN
2008 "A Quiet View," Aliya Linstrum, Atlanta, GA
2007 "Mystic Fields," Hanson Gallery, Knoxville, TN
2007 "Divided," Flying Solo, Nashville International Airport
2006 "New Works," Michael Orr Gallery, Columbus, OH
2005 "Landscapes," Belle Meade Gallery, Nashville, TN
2004 "New Beginnings," Michael Orr Gallery, Columbus, OH
2004 "Safe Places," Bockrath Gallery, Cleveland, OH
2003 "New Paintings," Michael Orr Gallery, Columbus, OH
2000 solo exhibition at Pomerene Center for the Arts, Coshocton, OH

group exhibitions

2012 "Southern Artists Paint Southern Scenes," Anne Irwin Fine Art, Atlanta, GA
2012 "Guest Work," Ann Long Fine Art, Charleston, SC
2012 "Landscapes," Art Access Gallery, Bexley, OH
2012 "Exhibit Your Symptom," Zeitgeist Gallery, Nashville, TN
2011 "Art After Hours," Terrazzo (Zeitgeist Gallery), Nashville, TN
2011 "Inspired by Coshocton," Johnson-Humrickhouse Museum, Coshocton, OH
2011 "Shifting Perspectives," Art Access Gallery, Columbus, OH
2011 "16th Anniversary Show," Matre Gallery, Atlanta, GA
2010 "Fresh Air," Matre Gallery, Atlanta, GA
2009 "Art in Open Spaces," Terrazzo/Zeitgeist, Nashville, TN
2009 "Draw!" Linstrum + Matre Artworks, Atlanta, GA
2008 "Dialogues: Painting," Zeitgeist Gallery, Nashville, TN
2007 "New Views," Aliya Linstrum Gallery, Atlanta, GA
2007 "Altered Vision," Nashville Public Library
2006 "Small Wonders," Aliya Linstrum Gallery, Atlanta, GA
2006 "New Works," Firewalker Gallery, Marshall, NC

2006 "Beauty," Joanna Burke at Pacific Design Center, Los Angeles, CA
2006 "Grillin & Chillin," Aliya Linstrum Gallery, Atlanta, GA
2005 ARThouse [06] Atlanta, GA
2005 "New Landscapes," Michael Orr Gallery, Columbus, OH
2004 "Recent Works," Swanson Reed Contemporary, Louisville, KY
2002 "Standing Their Ground," Gallery of Franklin, Franklin, TN
2002 "Creating Spaces," Michael Orr Gallery, Columbus, OH
2001 Ohio Art League Annual Exhibition
2000 "Re-Evolution," Tribeca Arts Club, New York, NY

teaching/ lecture experience

- 2011 Landscape painting workshop, Pomerene Center for the Arts, Coshocton, OH
- 2003, 2007, 2011: Watkins College of Art and Design, Community Education Dept.
- 2002 Ohio University, guest lecturer
- 2000-2002 Artist-in-Residence, Pomerene Center for the Arts, Coshocton, OH

selected collections

Music City Center
The Art of Tennessee (Ayers collection at FirstBank)
Iberia Bank
Blackberry Farm
Vanderbilt University Medical Center
Fearing's at the Ritz-Carlton, Dallas
Martha Ingram
Kix and Barbara Brooks
Brown-Forman Group
The Turner Family Foundation
OMS Records
Coshocton Public Library

publishing

Bestselling open and limited edition fine art prints published by Encore Art Group/ Canadian Art Prints and Winn Devon

articles/ reviews/features

- "Wide Open Spaces," Critic's Picks, Nashville Scene, April 5, 2012, Joe Nolan
- "Zeitgeist Gallery Looks West with Megan Lightell's Dramatic Vistas," The Tennessean, April 1, 2012, Michelle Jones
- "Megan Lightell, Contemporary Tonalist," Nashville Arts Magazine, March 29, 2012, Daniel Tidwell
- "Variety Makes for Compelling Viewing," Columbus Dispatch, August 7, 2011, Amy Davis
- Featured on *Blog Cabin* 2009, DIY Network
- "Flying High," Southern Living Magazine, June 2007
- ABC's *Extreme Makeover Home Edition*, four paintings featured in the Hawkins home, October 2006
- "Summer Painter Becoming One for All Seasons," Columbus Dispatch, September 2006, Christopher Yates
- "Painter's Landscapes Reflect Versatility," Columbus Dispatch, March 2004, Christopher Yates
- "Land Lover," Cleveland Scene, January 2004, Nadia Michel
- "Landscapes Reveal Portrayer's Inner Self," Columbus Dispatch, April 2003, Christopher Yates
- CMYK vol. 15 featured artist