

# ALESSANDRA SULPY

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## EDUCATION

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- 2008-10      **Master of Fine Arts**, Painting  
Henry Radford Hope School of Fine Arts  
Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana
- 2003-08      **Bachelor of Fine Arts**, Painting Major, Art History Minor  
Maryland Institute College of Art (MICA)  
Baltimore, Maryland  
Graduated Magna Cum Laude
- 2007          Studio Art Centers International (SACI)  
Florence, Italy

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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- 2018-onwards      **Assistant Professor of Painting and Drawing, Winona State University, Winona MN**  
Teaching: Painting 1, Painting 2, Advanced Painting, Drawing 2, Advanced Drawing 1 (300 level) & Drawing 2 (400 level), Intro to Painting (Gen Ed), Special Topics: Anatomy for the Artist, Independent Studies, 6 credit summer 2019 course *Taste of Italy* co-taught with Prof. ChunLok Mah  
Future new courses taught (some beginning Spring 2019): Color and Composition (200 level), Contemporary Studio Practices (300 level), Body of Work (400 level), Abstraction/Representation (400 level)
- 2017-2018      **Painting and Drawing Instructor, full-time, Winona State University, Winona MN**  
Taught: Painting 1, Painting 2, Advanced Painting, Drawing 2, Advanced Drawing 1 (300 level) & Drawing 2 (400 level), Intro to Painting (Gen Ed), Special Topics: Anatomy for the Artist, Independent Studies, 6 credit summer 2018 course *Cities of Fairytales* co-taught with Prof. Danilo Bojic
- 2016-2017      **Lecturer of Foundation Arts, full-time, University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Charlotte NC**  
Taught: Drawing 1, Figure & Anatomy, Drawing 2  
Duties: Teaching in the Foundations and Drawing programs, Foundations Curriculum committee, overseeing student workers, advising Figure Drawing Club, new class preps, regular use of Canvas online system.
- 2014-2016      **Visiting Lecturer in Painting and Drawing (initially sabbatical replacement), full-time, Indiana University South Bend, South Bend IN**  
Taught: Fundamental Studio 2D, Painting 1, Painting 2, Painting 3, BFA Painting, Drawing 1, Drawing 2, Drawing 3, BFA Drawing, Fundamentals of Studio Drawing, Independent Studies in Painting and Drawing, Senior Capstone  
Duties: Co-managing the Painting and Drawing classes, rooms and supplies; library liaison; new

faculty search committee member; Upper Divisional review; student registration advisor; NASAD accreditation research; regular use of Canvas online system; coordinating student travel; participation in scholarship fundraiser; recruitment; new faculty mentor; creation of new syllabi.

2015           **Study.com Subject Matter Expert Lesson Writer, Art**  
2015           **Instructor - Portrait / Figure class, 8 weeks, South Bend Museum of Art**  
2015           **Instructor - Introductory Painting class, 8 weeks, South Bend Museum of Art**

2013-2014    **Visiting Assistant Professor of Art (sabbatical replacement) full-time, Winona State University, Winona MN**

Taught: Painting 1, Painting 2, Advanced Painting, Drawing 2, Advanced Drawing 1 (300 level) & 2 (400 level), independent studies in Painting and Drawing, Intro to Painting (Gen Ed)

Duties: Head of the Painting program; managing the Painting and Drawing classes, rooms and supplies; faculty advisor for both Independent Study and Senior Seminar Painting & Drawing students; faculty advisor to Art Club (including frequent travel with students); Watkins Gallery committee member; department-wide Portfolio Review; student registration advisor; student scholarship committee member; regular use of D2L; creating a new course (Intro To Painting) for WSU; creation of new syllabi.

2011-2012    **Instructor of Art, full-time, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, Edinboro PA**

Taught: Painting 1, Painting 2, Drawing 2, Drawing 1

Duties: faculty advisor to Drawing and Painting Club (including travel with students); co-founded Art Movie Nights; Student Painting Show co-juror; helped university achieve NASAD accreditation, creation of new syllabi.

2010-2011    **Visiting Assistant Professor of Art, full-time, Southern Utah University, Cedar City UT**

Taught: Drawing 1 and 3, Multi-disciplinary Drawing course created and taught in Florence, Italy

Duties: Zion National Park Artist Residency Committee, Art Insights participant (visiting artist lecture series); unofficially advising painting students; creation of new syllabi

2009-2010    **Associate Instructor, part-time, Indiana University, Bloomington IN**

Taught: Drawing 1, Fundamentals of Studio Drawing

Duties: general upkeep of facilities, creation of new syllabi

## SELECTED EXHIBITIONS AND LECTURES

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### 2019

*Driftless* (solo) | Rochester Art Center | Rochester, MN | 4/19 - 5/19

### 2018

*Store Facades* (solo) | Red Horse Gallery | Fountain City, WI | 5/18 - 6/17

*Non Memories of the Deuce & Bland Intruders* (solo) | Waterworks Art Center | Salisbury, NC | 6/18 - 8/17

*Faculty Show* | Watkins Gallery | Winona, MN | 11/18 - 12/17

### 2017

*Store Facades and Other Stories* (solo) | UNCC Rowe Upper Gallery | Charlotte, NC | 1/17

54th Annual Juried Competition | Masur Museum of Art | Monroe, LA | 3/17 - 7/17

CAA Education Committee produced podcast, discussing composition with Prof. Danielle Head |

Recorded summer, 2017 - will be released late 2018

<http://www.collegeart.org/news/category/caa-conversations/>

*Non Memories of the Deuce & Bland Intruders (solo)* | Milliken Art Gallery, Converse College | Spartanburg, SC | 8/17 - 9/17

*Locavore Juried Exhibition* | Rochester Art Center | Rochester, MN | 9/17-1/18

## 2016

*Harmony* | Indiana University Kokomo | Kokomo, IN | 2/16-3/16

*Artist Talk - Store Facades* | Niles Art Association | Niles, MI | 5/16

Emerging Educator Fellowship to 'ThinkTank 9 Citizen/Artist; Education and Agency', held by Integrative Teaching International and Hosted by Montana State University | Bozeman, MT | 6/16

*Urban Landscapes* | The New Bohemian Gallery | Brainerd, MN | 6/16-7/16

*Faculty Show Biennale* | UNCC Gallery | Charlotte, NC | 8/16-9/16

*Lore Degenstein Eighth Annual Figurative Drawing and Painting Exhibition* | Lore Degenstein Gallery, Susquehanna University | Selinsgrove, PA | 10/16 - 12/16

*Solo Show Invitation (TBA)* Lubeznik Center For The Arts 16-17 season

## 2015

*South Bend Selfie* | South Bend Museum of Art | South Bend, IN | 3/15-6/15

*Salon Show 2015* | The Gallery 4 | Pittsburgh, PA | 4/15 - 5/15

*National Juried Show, Juror Stephen Harvey* | First Street Gallery | New York City, NY | 6/15-7/15

*IUSB Faculty Show* | IUSB Art Gallery | South Bend, IN | 7/15 - 9/15

*ArtPrize* | Grand Rapids, MI | 9/15 - 10/15

*Artist Talk, Northern Indiana Artists* | South Bend Museum of Art | South Bend, IN | 9/15

*Lore Degenstein Seventh Annual Figurative Drawing and Painting Exhibition* | Lore Degenstein Gallery, Susquehanna University | Selinsgrove, PA | 10/15 - 12/15

*Work in Process - Artist Presentation* | IUSB | South Bend, IN | 10/15

*5th Annual Armstrong National 2D* | Armstrong State University | Savannah, GA | 12/15 - 1/16

*December Exhibition* | Mist Gallery | MistGallery.com | 12/15

*11th Annual Open Door* | Rosalux Gallery | Minneapolis, MN | 11/15 - 1/16

*SBMA Student/Faculty Exhibition* | South Bend Museum of Art | South Bend, IN | 12/15 - 1/16

## 2014

*Lore Degenstein Sixth Annual Figurative Drawing and Painting Exhibition* | Lore Degenstein Gallery, Susquehanna University | Selinsgrove, PA | 10/14 - 12/14

*IUSB Faculty Show* | IUSB Art Gallery | South Bend, IN | 9/14-10/14

*Store Facades (solo)* | Nelson Gallery | Lexington, VA | 7/14

*The Here There (with Some Sum Studios)* | Lyon Smith Gallery | Winona, MN | 1/14

*Store Facades + Artist Lecture (solo) + Collage Workshop* | Winona Art Center | Winona, MN | 1/14-2/14

## 2013

*Alessandra Sulpy: Visiting Artist Lecture* | MassArt | Boston MA | 3/13

*The 2013 Salon Show* | The Gallery 4 | Pittsburgh, PA | 4/13

*3 Rivers Art Festival Juried Visual Arts Exhibition* | Trust Arts Education Center | Pittsburgh, PA | 5/13

*Toys in the Attic (solo)* | The Gallery 4 | Pittsburgh, PA | 5/13

*Art RAW Pittsburgh - Kaleidoscope* | Cavo | Pittsburgh, PA | 6/13

*14th Annual Juried Show* | Nelson Gallery | Lexington, VA | 7/13

*Winona State University Faculty Show* | Paul Watkins Art Gallery | Winona, MN | 7/13-8/13

*Lore Degenstein Fifth Annual Figurative Drawing and Painting Exhibition - JUROR + Juror Lecture* | Susquehanna University | Selinsgrove, PA | 10/13-11/13

## 2012

*Alessandra Sulpy: Artist Lecture* | Edinboro University | 4/12  
*Contemporary Arts Center 23rd Annual Juried* | Contemporary Arts Center | Las Vegas, NV | 3/12 - 4/12  
*Customs House National Juried Exhibition* | Customs House Museum | Clarksville, TN | 5/12 - 8/12  
*To Toy with the Attic (solo) + Artist Lecture* | University of Rochester Hartnett Gallery | Rochester, NY | 9/12  
*Head and Tails (collaborative show with Danielle C Head), Samenwerken* | Grunwald Gallery, Indiana University | Bloomington, IN | 9/12  
*Lore Degenstein Fourth Annual Figurative Drawing and Painting Exhibition* | Lore Degenstein Gallery  
Susquehanna University | Selinsgrove, PA | 10/12 - 12/12

## **2011**

*Group Show Plus Five Artists (solo)* | Bountiful / Davis Art Center | Bountiful, UT | 1/11 - 2/11  
*SUU Faculty Show* | Braithwaite Gallery | Cedar City, UT | 2/11  
*14th National Juried Contemporary Exhibition 2011* | Western Colorado Center for the Arts | Grand Junction, CO | 5/11 - 6/11  
*Toys* | Annmarie Sculpture Garden and Art Center | Dowell, MD | 10/11 - 1/12  
*Lore Degenstein Third Annual Figurative Drawing and Painting Exhibition* | Lore Degenstein Gallery  
Susquehanna University | Selinsgrove, PA | 10/11 - 12/11  
*EUP Faculty Show* | Bruce Gallery, Edinboro University | Edinboro, PA | 12/11 - 1/11

## **2010**

*MFA Painting Show* | SoFA Gallery | Bloomington, IN | 01/10  
*Alessandra Sulpy's 'Bliss' (Solo)* | SoFA Gallery | Bloomington, IN | 03/10  
*Canvas Magazine's Fall Edition Reception* | Indiana University's Union | Bloomington, IN 47401 | 04/10  
*Alessandra Sulpy - Visiting Artist Lecture* | Art Insights | Cedar City, UT | 10/10

## **AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

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- 2018 SEMAC Advancing Artist Grant Recipient (\$5000)
- 2016 Juror, South Bend Museum of Art's Scholastic Art Awards
- 2015 Juror, South Bend Museum of Art's Scholastic Art Awards
- 2013 Juror, 2013 Lore Degenstein Fifth Annual Figurative Drawing and Painting Exhibition  
Successfully funded Kickstarter project for series "Store Facades"  
Member's Choice Award, 14th Annual Juried Exhibition, Nelson Gallery  
Grumbacher Art Instructor, Monroeville, PA  
Cover Design 'Beatles Radio Performances' by D. Sulpy
- 2012 Best in Show, Customs House Museum National Juried Exhibition, Customs House Museum  
Edinboro's Employee Recognition Award
- 2011 Best in Show, Toys, Annmarie Sculpture Garden and Art Center  
2nd Place, 2011 National Juried Contemporary Exhibition, Western Colorado Center for the Arts  
5th Place, Lore Degenstein 3rd Annual Figurative Drawing and Painting Exhibition,  
Susquehanna University
- 2010 Pygmalion's Art Store's Juried Art Show winner
- 2009 Grant in Aid, Indiana University  
President of The Fine Arts Graduate Student Association
- 2007 Seymour Mandelbaum Merit Scholarship  
SACI Scholarship
- 2006 Cover Design for 2 published books on the Beatles, both by D. Sulpy
- 2005 National Art Materials Trade Association (NAMTA) Foundation Scholarship
- 2004 M&T Bank Scholarship

2003 National Art Honor Society Scholarship & numerous MICA Grants/Awards  
ongoing Self-employed painter of commissioned and original pieces, over 500 paintings sold

### **COLLECTIONS / PUBLICATIONS / OTHER**

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Represented by Lark Art Gallery, Sedona, AZ  
Exhibiting at the Dot Shop in the South Bend Museum of Art  
2 Paintings on permanent display in the Office of Undergraduate Admissions at MICA  
Featured artist on Easely.io, a curated art website  
Featured in online arts magazine Dialogist (Volume 1 Issue 2)  
Short Listed (featured artist/show) in the Pittsburgh City Paper  
Featured in Issue III, Fresh Paint Magazine

### **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

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2016 Juror (Painting), Scholastic Art Awards, Ivy Tech College (South Bend, Indiana)  
2015 Juror (Painting), Scholastic Art Awards, Ivy Tech College (South Bend, Indiana)  
2014 Instructor (Collage workshop), Winona Art Center (Winona, Minnesota)