#### **AMANDA THEIS**

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### **EDUCATION**

2016 • Professional Development, Ingbretson Studios, Manchester, NH

2011 – 2015 • Diploma in Painting, Aristides Atelier, Seattle, WA

2010-2011 • Professional Development, Kamille Corry Atelier, Salt Lake City WA

2010 • Professional Development, D. Jeffrey Mims Studio, Southern Pines, NC

2002-2007 • BFA & BA in Art, Montana State University

## PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

- Founder of School of Atelier Arts (www.schoolofatelierarts.com)
- Co-Founder and President of The Da Vinci Initiative
- Education Director at The Art Renewal Center
- Co-President of the Washington Art Education Association
- Certified K-12 Art Educator

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

2019-present Educator and responsible for curriculum development, School of Atelier Arts

2014-2019 • Educator and responsible for curriculum development, The Da Vinci Initiative

2010-2014 • Free lance educator with non-profits to provide PD training for art teachers and classes for K-12 students

2009-2010 • Educator, K-8 Art, Gallatin Gateway School. Gallatin Gateway, MT

2007-2009 • Educator, K-12 Art, Harrison School, Harrison Montana

# **EXHIBITIONS**

November 2017 • Gallery 1261 • "Legacy Exhibit" • Group Show • Denver, CO

October 2016 • Rosen Gallery • "Aristides Alumni Show" • Group Show • Seattle, WA

March 2015 • Gage Academy of Art • "Gage Gala" • Group Show • Seattle, WA

June 2014 • Rosen Gallery • "The 21st Annual Best of Gage" • Group Show • Seattle, WA

May 2014 • Rosen Gallery • "Aristides Atelier Show" • Group Show • Seattle, WA

February 2014 • Rosen Gallery • "Hunched Bodies, Flushed Cheeks" • Group Show • Seattle, WA

November 2013 • Burien Community Center • "Vision 20/20 • Group Show • Seattle, WA

March 2013 • Yellowstone Art Museum • "45th Annual Art Auction" • Group Show • Billings, MT

May 2013 • Rosen Gallery • "Aristides Atelier Show" • Group Show • Seattle, WA

June 2013 • Rosen Gallery • "The 20th Annual Best of Gage" • Group Show • Seattle, WA

January 2012 • Studio 103 Gallery • "The Atelier" • Group Show • Seattle, WA

#### **AWARDS**

2014 Finalist • Art Renewal Center Salon

2013 First place in Drawing • Gage Academy of Art

2013 First Place Figure • Gage Academy of Art

2012 Gage Scholarship

2011 Foundation Scholarship Award • Gage Academy of Art

2007 Bronze Pencil Award for excellence in art education

2007 Award of Excellence • Montana State University, Presidential award given to one student from each college