

**Sean Oswald**  
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**Education**

- 2015 MFA in Fine Arts with emphasis in painting and drawing,  
College of Design, Art, Architecture, and Planning (DAAP),  
University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH
- 2012 Painting Atelier, Carriage House Art Studios, Studied with  
Garin Baker, Hudson River Valley, NY
- Art Students League, Studied with Max Ginsburg, New York,  
NY
- 2004- 2008 B.A. Art Education, Miami University, Oxford, OH  
Minor in Sociology(Criminology)

**Teaching Experience**

- 2019 -2021 Fine Arts Teacher at Live Oak Classical School in Waco  
Texas. Teaching studio art for G-3, through R-3 students in a  
classical Christian ecumenical school that relies on the  
Charlotte Mason pedagogical style.
- Adjunct professor of *Art Appreciation* at McLennan  
Community College, Waco, TX. Lecture on the appreciation  
of art by taking students through the great masters of the  
western tradition. Employ a dialogical method to help  
students interact with the visual language.
- 2018 Adjunct professor of Art Appreciation at McLennan  
Community College, Waco, TX
- Teaching Artist for Creative Waco's Mural Project  
*Artprenticeship*, Summer of 2018. Assisted high school

students in the ideation and creation of the mural downtown  
“1,000 Hopes for Waco.

Private Art Teacher, Specializing in Painting and Drawing,  
My Studio in Waco, TX

- 2016 Adjunct Professor, *Life Painting*, University of Cincinnati  
DAAP, Fall 2016
- Private Art Teacher, *Painting and Drawing*, Wave Pool  
Gallery, My Studio
- Instructor of Drawing, *DAAP Camps- intensive summer  
camp for high school prospective arts students*, University of  
Cincinnati DAAP, Summer 2016.
- Workshop Instructor, *Alla Prima Oil Painting*, Manifest  
Drawing Center, Summer 2016
- Adjunct Professor, *Intro Painting*, University of Cincinnati  
DAAP, Spring 2016
- 2015 Graduate Assistant, Instructor of Record, *Intro Painting*,  
University of Cincinnati, Spring 2014
- 2014 Graduate Assistant, Instructor of Record, *Basic Painting*,  
University of Cincinnati, Fall 2014
- Instructor of Record, *Basic Painting*, University of Cincinnati,  
Summer 2014
- 2013 Graduate Teaching Assistant, *Introduction to Contemporary  
Culture*, University of Cincinnati, Fall 2013
- 2009- 2013 Fine Arts Teacher, Talawanda High School, Grades 9- 12  
Effectively taught and managed six classes of 10-25 daily,  
including Upper Level Drawing and Painting, Senior Art  
Honors and several independent studies.
- 2012 Open Figure Drawing and Painting Proctor and Initiator,  
Oxford Community Arts Center, Adult Classes.

Initiated and led a weekly figure drawing and painting workshop at the Community Arts Center with regular attendees and rotating models. Managed payment, follow up and scheduling.

- 2008      Student Teacher, Aiken High School and Career Center,  
North College Hill, Cincinnati, Ohio
- Student Teacher, Fairfield Elementary School, Fairfield, Ohio
- Art Teacher, *Saturday Art Courses*, Oxford, Ohio

## Exhibitions

- 2021      *Divine Irresponsibility*, Solo show at “Cultivate7twelve”,  
March and April in Waco, TX. A selection of fifteen paintings  
ranging from large conceptual paintings on canvas, portraits  
executed in charcoal and pastel, and smaller gouache and  
watercolors done on paper and framed. Lecture on the work  
given 3/18/21.
- 2019      *Traditional Pictures*, Solo show at McLennan Community  
College, Waco, TX. A selection of florals, fruit still lives, and  
landscape paintings- emphasizing a discourse with the great  
tradition of Western art. Lecture on Truth, beauty, and  
goodness as the fundamental ideas of the work.
- 2018      *Meet the Oswald's*, Group show with Sean and Hilary  
Oswald, Cultivate7twelve, February, Waco, TX
- 2017      *Female Forms and Botanicals*, Cultivate7twelve, November  
and December, Waco, TX
- Portals*, ACS Gallery Curated by Sam Haring, June 16- July  
21, Chicago, IL
- Got Dressed in the Dark*, Divisible Gallery, Curated by Emil  
Robinson, March 3- 27 Dayton, OH
- Consecrate (Work About Preparation and Sanctity)*, Curated  
by Ben Norton, Yavapai College, Verde Art Gallery,  
Clarkdale, Arizona

- 2016 *Fiction (With Only Daylight Between Us) v.2*, Corridor Projects, Dayton, OH and Boecker Contemporary, Heidelberg, Germany
- RE/ Collections- Alumni Exhibition*, Hiestand Galleries, Oxford, OH
- Fresh American Art*, Gallery Art Me Today, St. Petersburg, Russia
- The Gospel According to St. Luke*, Oxford Community Arts Center. Oxford, OH (Solo Exhibition)
- New Paintings by Emil Robinson and Sean Oswald*, Shawnee State University, Portsmouth, OH
- 2015 *MFA Thesis Exhibition*, Contemporary Arts Center, Cincinnati, OH
- Oil on Canvas*, 840 Gallery, DAAP School of Art, Cincinnati, OH
- 2014 *Open Studio*, The Rare View Gallery, Victory Parkway Campus (UC), Cincinnati, OH
- Ars Memoriae*, Contemporary Arts Center, Cincinnati, OH
- Painting, Animated*, 840 Gallery, DAAP School of Art, Cincinnati, OH
- 17 Under 35*, Phyllis Weston Gallery, Cincinnati, OH
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Year MFA*, The Philip M. Meyers Memorial Gallery, Cincinnati, OH
- Pop Up*, Views on Vine, Cincinnati, OH
- NASAD*, 840 Gallery, School of Art, Cincinnati, OH
- 2013 *Pop Up*, Police Department, Cincinnati, OH
- Open Studios*, Scioto, Cincinnati, OH
- Trinity*, Pipeline Gallery, Cincinnati, OH (Solo exhibition)

*Ecclesiastes*, Oaks Community Church, Middletown, OH

## **Professional Experience**

- 2016                      Educational Director, *Wave Pool Contemporary Fulfillment Center*, Camp Washington, OH  
Lead and Initiate open Figure Drawing sessions, developed a drawing program between Wave Pool and Camp Washington Church of Christ for marginalized students, received grant funding for the program.
- Visiting Juror, Senior Thesis Show, Shawnee State University, Portsmouth, OH
- 2015- 2016              Freelance Painter, 3dx Scenic Studio,  
Painted and finished the surfaces of various types of materials with faux finishes for projects of clients such as *Crossroads "Awaited," Dreamworks, Scentsy, and Origami Owl Custom Jewelry*.  
Mixed color for accuracy and applied it with various types of painting tools including pneumatic gun, and hand tools.
- 2013- 2014              Gallery Assistant, Reed and Meyers Gallery, University of Cincinnati, Spring 2014
- Gallery Assistant, Reed and Meyers Gallery, University of Cincinnati, Fall 2013

## **Representation**

- 2020                      Cultivate 712 Gallery, 712 Austin Avenue, Waco, TX

## **Internships**

- 2009                      Student Ministry Intern, Cru, Miami University, Oxford, Ohio
- 2006-2009              Wilderness, Canoe-Portaging Excursion Leader and Physical Fitness Instructor, *Northwoods Project*, North Bay Ontario, Canada

2007 Undercover Drug Officer, H.I.D.T.A. (High Intensity Drug Trafficking Agency). Toledo Police Department, Toledo, Ohio

## Residencies

2017 Artist in Residence, Cultivate7twelve, Mini Artist in Residence, Waco, TX

2016 T.C. Steele State Historic Site, T.C. Steele Artist in Residence, Nashville, IN

2015 Vermont Studio Center, Scholarship and stipend, Johnson, VT

## Honors and Awards

2016 Manifest Bridge Scholarship Recipient, Manifest Gallery, Cincinnati, OH

2014- 2015 University Graduate Scholarship, Tuition Scholarship, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH

2013- 2014 University Graduate Scholarship, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH

## Archives

2016 *Ex Libris*, Archive of Creative Culture, Book on file "Voicing Creations Praise" by Jeremy S. Begbie, Wave Pool Contemporary Fulfillment Center, Camp Washington OH

## Publications

2021 *"Artist Sean Oswald draws on family and Friends In solo Show"*, Article written by Carl Hoover and published in the "Waco Tribune- Herald" on March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2021. The article was a part of promoting my solo show *Divine Irresponsibility* at Cultivate7twelve in Waco, TX during the months of March and April 2021. Link to the article below.  
<https://wacotrib.com/entertainment/arts-and-theatre/artist->

[sean-oswald-draws-on-family-friends-in-solo-show/article\\_fa638448-81ca-11eb-bc9e-d7e3f3b127a8.html](http://sean-oswald-draws-on-family-friends-in-solo-show/article_fa638448-81ca-11eb-bc9e-d7e3f3b127a8.html)

- 2020 *A Modern Revival*, Wacoan (Waco's Magazine), article by Kathleen Seaman. Originally published in September of 2020. This article is about the Schorlemer's home renovation and my murals — "The Views on the Brazos" — are featured in the article.
- 2016 *Gospel According to Sean Oswald*, Dayton City Paper, <http://www.daytoncitypaper.com>, by Emma Jarman, 22 March 2016.
- 2015 Fresh Paint Magazine Blog, August 16<sup>th</sup> 2015 Issue

## Lectures

- 2021 "Artist Talk" given on March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021 in accordance with the show *Divine Irresponsibility*. The lecture was called *The Pipe, the Pint, and the Cross*, I was interviewed by Fr. Matthew Aughtry at Cultivate7twelve in front of the work and it was recorded here.  
<https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=zpJu2akk8vU>
- 2018 Lecture in accordance with the show *Traditional Pictures*, Solo show at McLennan Community College, Waco, TX. A selection of florals, fruit still lives, and landscape paintings-emphasizing a discourse with the great tradition of Western Culture. Lecture on Truth, beauty, and goodness as the fundamental ideas of the work.
- 2013 Lecture, *Conspicuous Consumption and Conscientious Consumerism* (Written by Maria Seda-Reeder), University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH

## Private Collections

- 2020 Lindsay Anaruma, Washington DC
- 2019 Susannah Schorlemer, Waco, TX  
Heather Winkler, Indianapolis, Indiana

Dan and Heidi Oswald, Toledo, OH  
Geoff and Becca Schmidt, Cincinnati, OH  
Kyle and Andrea Morgan, St. Louis, Missouri

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| 2018            | Billy Jack Brawner, Waco, TX   |
| 2017            | Joanna Gaines, Waco, TX  |
| 2016            | Mike and Julie Amann Family Collection, Cincinnati OH<br>Dirk and Amy Hines Family Collection, Oxford OH |
| 2015            | Edge House Ministries, Cincinnati, OH  |
| 2014            | Sara Vance, Cincinnati OH  |
| 2013 and Before | Dean and Penny Oswald, Dearborn, Michigan  |