

Thomas F. Agran

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Education

- 2011 - 2013 *Master of Fine Arts (Painting)*
Indiana University, Eskenazi School of Art, Architecture + Design
Bloomington, Indiana
- 2005 - 2009 *BA (Studio Art with Honors)*
Grinnell College, Grinnell, Iowa

Teaching

- Spring 2019 *Basic Drawing, and Course Supervisor for Drawing Division*
University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa
- Grant Wood Art Colony, Public Art Residency*
University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa
- Drawing I and Studio Basics I*
Cornell College, Mt. Vernon, Iowa
- Fall 2018 *Basic Drawing*
University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa
- Spring 2018 *Advanced Painting (BFA/MFA course) and Life Drawing*
University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa
- Spring 2017 *Kocher Visiting Artist* at Coe College, Cedar Rapids, Iowa
- Spring 2016 *Life Drawing and Drawing I*
Coe College, Cedar Rapids, Iowa
- Fall 2016 *Drawing I and Painting I*
Coe College, Cedar Rapids, Iowa
- Spring 2015 *Drawing I*
Coe College, Cedar Rapids, Iowa
- Fall 2014 *Painting I, II, III, and Independent Advanced Students*
Coe College, Cedar Rapids, Iowa (½ semester, visiting position)
- Spring 2013 *F100 Drawing Foundations*
Instructor of Record, Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana
- Fall 2012 *F100 Drawing Foundations*
Instructor of Record, Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana

Community

- 2018 - Present Public Space One, *Board of Directors, Project Manager and General Contractor* for rehabilitation of two historic homes.
- 2018 - 2019 Any Given Child, *Advisory Board*
- 2018 - 2019 Artifactory, *Advisory Board*
- 2016 - 2019 Iowa City Public Library, *Art Advisory Committee*
- 2013 - 2020 City of Iowa City, *Historic Preservation Commission*

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Relevant Employment

Current	<i>Self employed, artist</i>
2017 - 2020	<i>Director of Public Art for the Iowa City Downtown District</i>
2015 - 2016	<i>Manager, UICCU Benchmarks Public Art Project</i> <i>Assistant Manager, ICDD Cosign Project</i>
August 2011 - May 2013	<i>Painting Woodshop Manager</i> Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana
August 2011 - May 2012	<i>Preparator / Installation Assistant</i> Grunwald Gallery, Bloomington, Indiana
August 2006 - January 2010	<i>Installation Assistant to Milton Severe, Director of Exhibition Design</i> Faulconer Gallery, Grinnell College, Grinnell, Iowa

Solo Exhibitions

2018	<i>Total Mixed Ration</i>	Art at the Y in Champaign, Illinois
2018	<i>Development Potential</i>	Memorial Union Gallery at Iowa State University in Ames, Iowa
2017	<i>Development Potential</i>	Marvin Cone Gallery at Coe College in Cedar Rapids, Iowa
2015	<i>Landscapes and Livestock</i>	Harcum Gallery at Wilmington College in Wilmington, Ohio
2013	<i>Total Mixed Ration</i>	Grunwald Gallery at Indiana University in Bloomington, Indiana
2012	<i>Postcards from Iowa</i>	RSVP in Iowa City, Iowa
2010	<i>Aerial Landscapes</i>	Campbell Steele Gallery in Marion, Iowa
2009	<i>Yield: New American Landscapes</i>	Edith Smith Gallery in Grinnell, Iowa
2007	<i>50112: New Landscapes</i>	Edith Smith Gallery in Grinnell, Iowa

Group Exhibitions

2019	<i>Landscape Invitational</i>	Olson Larsen Gallery in Des Moines, Iowa
2018	<i>Department of Animal Sciences Show</i>	Iowa State University in Ames, Iowa
2016	<i>Beyond the Prairie</i>	Cedar Rapids Museum of Art in Cedar Rapids, Iowa
2016	<i>Post-Plenty</i>	Times Club Gallery at Prairie Lights in Iowa City, Iowa
2016	<i>Small Works</i>	Dedee Shattuck Gallery in Westport, Massachusetts
2016	<i>Iowa Agricultural Art Award</i>	State Historical Museum in Des Moines, Iowa
2016	<i>Benjamin's Banquet</i>	Chait Galleries Downtown in Iowa City, Iowa
2015	<i>Small Works</i>	Dedee Shattuck Gallery in Westport, Massachusetts
2015	<i>Earth</i>	Dubuque Area Arts Collective in Dubuque, Iowa
2015	<i>'Scapes</i>	Radius Gallery in Missoula, Montana
2014	<i>The Art of Food</i>	Quad City Arts Gallery in Rock Island, Illinois
2014	<i>Iowa Agricultural Art Award</i>	State Historical Museum in Des Moines, Iowa
2012	<i>Lure of the Local</i>	Cedar Rapids Museum of Art in Cedar Rapids, Iowa
2012	<i>Iowa: Inspired by Landscape</i>	Old Capitol Museum in Iowa City, Iowa
2012	<i>MFA Group Show</i>	Grunwald Gallery in Bloomington, Indiana
2009	<i>Juried Art Salon</i>	Faulconer Gallery in Grinnell, Iowa
2009	<i>Annual Community Art Exhibition</i>	Community Art Center in Grinnell, Iowa
2007	<i>Eight</i>	Edith Smith Gallery in Grinnell, Iowa
2007	<i>Juried Art Salon</i>	Faulconer Gallery in Grinnell, Iowa
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Murals and Public Work

2021	City of Iowa City BLM Murals (<i>Project Consultant</i>)	Iowa City, Iowa
2020	Mill Mural	Iowa City, Iowa
2020	Coralville Arena Aerials	Coralville, Iowa
2020	UI Old Capitol Museums Mural	Iowa City, Iowa
2020	Head Start Preschool Community Mural	Iowa City, Iowa
2020	Hare Parlor Mural	Iowa City, Iowa
2020	Imagine Iowa Great Lakes Mural	Okoboji, Iowa
2019	IC Mural Project, (<i>Project Manager</i> for 3 murals)	Iowa City, Iowa
2019	Discerning Eye Parking Lot Mural	Iowa City, Iowa
2018	New Bo Mural	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
2018	IC Mural Project, (<i>Project Manager</i> for 5 murals)	Iowa City, Iowa
2018	Coexist UAY (<i>Project Manager</i> and Install Assist)	Iowa City, Iowa
2018	Facebook Data Center Mural	Altoona, Iowa
2018	Iowa City Letters	Iowa City, Iowa
2018	Goosetown/Northside Community Mural	Iowa City, Iowa
2018	Banditos Façade Mural	Iowa City, Iowa
2017	MidWestOne Bank Ben Summerwill Mural	Iowa City, Iowa
2017	Iowa City Farmers' Market Community Mural	Iowa City, Iowa
2017	Park Cedar Rapids Parkade Mural	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
2017	Iowa BIG Humans of CR Mural (<i>Mentor</i>)	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
2017	Coe College Marvin Cone Mural (<i>Mentor</i>)	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
2017	Greetings from Downtown Iowa City Mural	Iowa City, Iowa
2016	Washington Street Ribbon Participatory Installation	Iowa City, Iowa
2016	Veterans Memorial Building Mural	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
2015	New Pioneer Food Co-op Fence Mural	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
2015	UICCU Benchmarks	Iowa City, Iowa
2014	New Pioneer Food Co-op Façade Mural	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
2014	UICCU Benchmarks	Iowa City, Iowa
2013	New Pioneer Food Co-op Garden Mural	Iowa City, Iowa
2011	World Food Prize Hall of Laureates	Des Moines, Iowa
2008	Grinnell Veterans Memorial Mural	Grinnell, Iowa

Public and Institutional Collections

Cedar Rapids Museum of Art	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
Kirkwood Community College	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
Grinnell College Prairie Studies Collection	Grinnell, Iowa
Farm Credit Services	Omaha, Nebraska
Mercy Hospital	Iowa City, Iowa
Drake Community Library	Grinnell, Iowa

Awards

2018	Bravo Award for Community Service and Contributions
2016	Iowa Agricultural Art Award
2015	Dubuque Area Arts Collective Honorable Mention
2015	UICCU Benchmarks Juried Prize
2014	Iowa Agricultural Art Award
2009	Inez Henely 1914 Memorial Prize in Art
2009	Merit Award in Printmaking in the Grinnell College Juried Art Salon
2007	Best in Show in the Grinnell College Juried Art Salon
2007	Grinnell College Art Department Sophomore Prize