



NASHVILLE ART TEACHERS
BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

Nashville Art Teachers: Beyond the Classroom salutes the heroic efforts of teachers during the challenging circumstances of the COVID-19 pandemic. It features the work of elementary, middle, and high school art teachers working in Davidson County. Jurors narrowed over three hundred submissions from eighty teachers to this remarkable selection of thirty-three works, showcasing artists who are skilled in diverse media and emphasize a variety of themes. These artists share their observations, perceptions of the world around them, and personal stories through their art.

The exhibition is a companion to *Alma W. Thomas: Everything Is Beautiful*. Thomas (1891–1978) was an art teacher in a Washington, DC, public school for thirty-five years and became the first African American woman whose work was hung at the White House. By connecting these two exhibitions, we hope to underscore the importance of art teachers and celebrate their artistic contributions inside and outside the classroom.

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Artists

Trent Boysen	Fan Jiang	Erin Scobey
Jeff Clark	JC Johnson	Beth Seawell
Sara Eberhart	Lisa Bachman Jones	Jianna Shafer
Ted Edinger	Brenna Lloyd	Shayna Snider
Susie Elder	Janet Malone	Laura Sturgill
Sydney Ellison	Scott Mast	Kati Swieca
Diana Garigliano	Colleen McCormick	Brockman
Leigh Hardcastle	Metzger	John Toomey
Briena Harmening	Marti Profitt-Streuli	Anna Torrence
Jan Hatleberg	Troy Rexilius	Marty Welsh
Catharine Hollifield	Erin Rickelton	Jacolyn Wingo
Emily Holt	Stacie Robelia	

Jurors

Katie Delmez, senior curator, Frist Art Museum
Kim Dummons, associate professor,
Middle Tennessee State University
Samuel Dunson, associate professor,
Tennessee State University
Brian Jobe, executive director and cofounder, TriStar Arts

FRONT: Brenna Lloyd. *Endless Summer Nostalgia* (detail), 2021. Layered acrylic, pastel, and pencil on hand-stretched, raw canvas, 36 x 24 in. Courtesy of the artist.
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