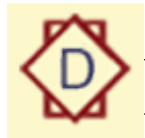


Desmond O'Hagan

Our October Meeting will feature a demo from well known Colorado artist Desmond O'Hagan who is also teaching our fall workshop October 6 & 7.



Desmond O'Hagan was born in Wiesbaden, Germany, and was raised in the United States. He enjoys working in several media including watercolor, acrylics, charcoal, pen-and-ink, and monotypes; but his primary focus is pastels and oils. He feels that experimenting with a variety of mediums has helped him appreciate many different forms of art. This in turn enhances his own work.



Constantly challenging himself has translated into a successful career in fine art encompassing several one-man shows and participation in group exhibitions across America including Denver Rotary Club's "Artists of America", Colorado Governor's Invitational Art Show, The Pastel Society of America, and the Salmugundi Club in New York City. O'Hagan has also participated in group exhibitions in Japan, China, and France. He is a Master Pastelist with the Pastel Society of America, and is listed in Who's Who in American Art and Who's Who in America. O'Hagan has won awards at the Pastel Society of America's annual shows in New York City including the Mrs. Pearl Kalikow Award, Hudson Valley Art Association Award, and the Connecticut Pastel Society Award. He has also won the George Innes, Jr. Memorial Award from the Salmagundi Club. At the 1999 International Association of Pastel Societies Exhibition held in Albuquerque, New Mexico, O'Hagan was awarded the Prix'd Pastel Award (Best of Show). In May 2005, he was inducted into the International Association of Pastel Societies' "Master Circle".

Don't miss this opportunity-beginning at 6:30 PM October 8.

Member News

Jude Tolar, Becky Way, Donna Branson and Jan Hutchinson will have a 4 woman show titled “4 Pairs of Eyes” at Adelante Gallery in Paseo beginning October 5 and running through the month of October.

OPS Members Becky Way, Shelly Henry, and Phyllis Baker all had work accepted in the OVAC Invitational 12X12 show held at 50 Penn Place September 28.

Opportunities for Shows

National Juried Exhibition: The Mitchell Gallery, St. John’s College, Annapolis, MD.

Less is More: Small Works in a Great Space.

- Now accepting entries in all media. · Cash awards. · Entry cost: \$40 for up to three JPEGs.
- Jurors: Joann G. Moser, Smithsonian American Art Museum, and Jack Rasmussen, Katzen Arts Center at American University, Washington, D.C.
- Submission deadline, February 28, 2013.

Link to the Prospectus <http://themitchellgallery.org/prospectus.php>

IAPS –Registration has begun for the IAPS 10th Biennial Convention which will be held June 6-9, 2013 in Albuquerque New Mexico. There are great opportunities for workshops led by well known artists including Desmond O’Hagan. For registration and more information go to the IAPS website.

Future Programs

November-Dale Martin Demo

2013 programs are not currently set. If you have an idea for a program or would like to demo, please speak up. OPS is your organization and it's important to have input from members on what you would like to see or not see as a program.

Check the OPS website for the latest updates on news and other interesting information-

2013 Dues are \$30 and payable to Oklahoma Pastel Society at either PO BOX 75696 Okla City OK 73147 or at the meeting.

www.okpastel.org

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2nd Monday of the Month
Will Rogers Garden Center
6:30 PM
No Meetings in December, June, July, August**

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**AWARDS. HE HAS ALSO BEEN FEATURED IN
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VISIT HIS WEBSITE
WWW.DESMONDOHAGAN.COM**

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