

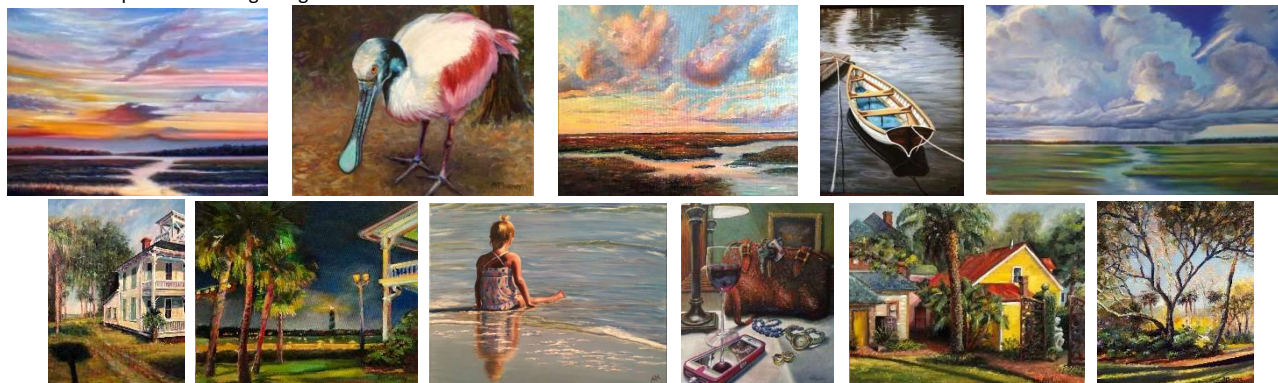


This award-winning NE Florida artist developed a love of place and an appreciation for natural wonders with inspiration from an adventurous travel agent mother, a DIY father, an artist babysitter and seeing impressionist paintings.

With a B.A. from the School of International Service at The American University with a minor in Environmental Studies, her perspective and creative side continued to intersect during a diverse professional career: addressing hazardous waste at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency; consulting for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers on Everglades restoration; launching the University of North Florida Environmental Center; educating youth and adults on the St. Johns River with SJRWMD; and assisting the North Florida Land Trust preserve special places. While a retail banking and marketing executive, she applied her craft to themed customer and associate events and murals for non-profits. Meanwhile her paintings began receiving awards. Now a full-time artist, she is featured at regional *plein air* events and galleries in Florida and Georgia.

Self-taught, working primarily in oil; seascapes, skyscapes and forests are inspired by her world travels and northeast Florida home and are often framed in rescued vintage frames. From vibrant vistas to iconic landmarks in Jacksonville and St. Augustine, her paintings continue to celebrate and inspire a sense of place and are now collected on four continents.

Painting in *plein air* allows the artist to capture vibrant colors and the play of light; celebrating those intricacies of nature the camera fails to see. This artist hopes her images resonate with viewers and trigger a fond memory; inspire them to champion environmental stewardship or nudge them to venture out and explore those wild spaces and living things that define their own hometown anew.



Exhibits & awards include:

Oil Painters of America: "34th Wet Paint" Herrig Manatee Arts Center (2025) - Bradenton, FL; "32nd Wet Paint" (2023) Reinert Fine Art Gallery - Charleston, SC

Florida Artists Group: "Art Beat St Pete" (75th 2025) - Eckerd College Nielson Gallery St. Petersburg, FL; "Florida Medley" (2024) - Alliance for Arts, Fort Myers, FL; "Art Max Jax" (74th 2024) - FSCJ-Wilson Center, Jacksonville, FL; "Art Rally" (73rd-2023) - Museum of Arts & Sciences, Daytona, FL; "Judges Choice" (2022) - Annette Howell Turner Center for Arts, Valdosta, GA; "Area 6 @FSCJ" (2022); "72nd Symposium" **AWARD** (2022), "71st Symposium" (2021) - Dunedin Fine Arts, FL

Coastal Camden Art League: "Annual Plein Air" **AWARDS** (2021-2025); "Artist of the Month" (2024) - St. Mary's, GA

Jacksonville Artists Guild: "Riverside Avondale Preservation (RAP) Art House" (2022-2025); "Water Works" **BEST IN SHOW AWARD** and "I See a Pattern Here" (2024) - Northpoint Dental; "Express Yourself" (2024) - FSCJ-Kent; "Pack Your Bags" (2024), "What's on Your Table" (2023), "Our Florida" & "Jax200" (2022) - Main Library/Nordstrom; "Where We Live" **AWARD** (2023) - Clay Co. Courthouse; "Out & About" (2023), "Sunshine in the South" (2021) - Jewish Community Alliance (JCA); "A Few Quiet Moments" (2021) - PVB Presbyterian Church; "Art-I-Facts" (2021) - JAX Airport-Sky Gallery

ART Center Cooperative: "New Horizons" **AWARD** (2025); "Summer Delights" (2023); "Wild Thing" (2023); "Spring" (2022) - Jacksonville, FL

Pines & Palms: "High Cotton" (**AWARD** 2024, **AWARD** 2020; 2019-2024), "Bloom into Art" (2023-2024); "Fall for Art" (2020-2022) - Thomasville, GA

St. Augustine Art Association: "Honors" invitational (2017-2025) "Out of Place" (2025); "Here and There" (2023-2025); "Lens of the Artist" (2024); "Reflections" (2024); "Art Galleries of St. Augustine" **BROCHURE COVER ARTIST** (2023-2024); "Plein Air" (**AWARD** 2023; **AWARD** 2021, 2017-2025); "Mix It Up" (2023); "Fall Members" **AWARD** (2022); "Monochrome" (2022); "Florida Wild" **AWARD** (2021); "Finding Peace" **AWARD** (2021); "Great Outdoors" (2021); "Miniature Marvels" (2017-2025); "Faces & Figures" (2021-2024, 2018); "This is My World" (2020); "Soak Up Summer" (2020-2023); "Canvas, Clay, Collage and Cutting Edge" (2020, **AWARD** (2017); "Black & White & Shades of Grey" (2019); "Fantastic Florida" (2018-2025, **AWARD** 2016)

Hofwyl-Broadfield Plantation: "Albert Fendig's Plein Air" (2021-2025) & Georgia tour - Horton Gallery, Brunswick, GA and Glynn Visual Arts, Golden Isles, GA

First Coast Plein Air Painters: "Captured in the Moment" (2025), "We Breathe Plein Air" (2024), "Scene Through Our Eyes" **AWARD** (2021) - Thrasher-Horne, Orange Park, FL; "Brush with Nature" (**PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARDS** 2022 & 2023; 2018-2025) - Jacksonville Arboretum & Gardens; "Outdoor Inspirations" **AWARD** (2024), "Ship to Shore" (2023); "Brushstrokes of Light" (2022) - Clay Co. Courthouse; "Summer Memories" (2023) - PASTA Gallery, St Augustine, FL; "Moments in Plein Air" (2023), "Fresh Looks" (2021), "Light in Landscape" (2019) - JCA Jacksonville, FL; "From River to Ocean" (2022-2023) St Johns Co. Rotunda; "Sky's the Limit" **AWARD** (2022) Mossman Hall - Melrose, FL; "Let Me Take You There" (2022) - Turner Center for the Arts, Valdosta, GA; "Primavera" (2021) - St Augustine Art Assoc.; "Impressions of Southeast" (2019) - Cultural Center of Ponte Vedra Beach, FL; FSCJ Wilson Center (2018) - Jacksonville, FL

Women Writing for (a) Change: "Justice for All" (2024); "Anthology" (2022); "Oceans" (2022); "Rivers" (2021) and publications

Annette Howell Turner Center: "RAC" & "Spring into Art" (2021-2023); "Artoberfest" **AWARD** (2022) **AWARD** (2020); "Doing Well, Thank You" (2020) - Valdosta, GA

Cummer Museum of Art and Gardens: live painting "20th North Florida Land Trust Gala" (2020) - Jacksonville, FL

FemArt: "Members" (2023); "Hair" (2023), "Joy" (2022) - The Nest Coworking - Jacksonville, FL; "Art with Heart" (2022) Adele Grage Cultural - Atlantic Beach, FL

Jacksonville Coalition of Visual Arts: "Florida Living" - Trends **AWARD** (2021); "Melting Winter" (2021) - JCA; "Celebration" **AWARD** (2019) - Cultural Center PVB

Other Galleries & Exhibitions: Larimer Arts Center (2025) - Palatka, FL; "Art Walk" - Visit Jacksonville, FL (2025) "Avondale Amplified" (2025) - Jacksonville, FL; "Louder than Fear" (2025) - Yellow House - Jacksonville, FL; Wekiva Paint Out "Quick Draw" (2022-2025) - Longwood, FL; La Venture Grove "resident artist" - Switzerland, FL; J. Gregory Fine Art - Jacksonville, FL; Joseph's Fine Art - St. Augustine, FL; W.B. Tatter Gallery - St. Augustine, FL; PVB Presbyterian Church Bethel Gallery (2022-2025) and Christ Episcopal Church (2025) - Ponte Vedra Beach, FL; "Elemental" and "Arboretum" (2020, 2021) - Word Revolt, Atlantic Beach, FL; "A Sense of Place" - Riverside Fine Arts Association - Jacksonville, FL; "Imagination Squared" - Museum of Contemporary Art (MOCA) and the SE Library, Jacksonville, FL

Stanton College Prep H.S.: drama scenic design (2014-2019) - Jacksonville, FL

Timucuan Parks Foundation: "Art in the Park" instructor (2019-2023); Timucuan native mural (2011) - NE Florida

St. Johns River Water Management District: water conservation poster (2005)

Sunshine Foundation: Dream Village murals & graphics for chronically and terminally ill children's families (1995-2015) - Loughman, FL

Ridge Art Association: juried exhibition **AWARD** (1996) - Winter Haven, FL

Polk State College: regional invitational **AWARD** (1995) - Winter Haven, FL