

I. Professional Credentials as an Artist

Nancy D. Hoover has had a varied career as an artist, teacher, medical and graphic illustrator, photographer, art gallery director, and muralist.

A long-time resident of Austin, Texas, her art appears in galleries nationwide as well as in personal collections and has been included in the Smithsonian Institute's catalog and in the Renwick Gallery in Washington, DC. Nancy has received national art awards, contributes her work to local charities, and is currently working on a number of projects, including a children's book.

She was the Art Director for the Girls' School of Austin (GSA) since the school's inception in 2002, retiring in 2022. During her 20 years with the school, she created a nationally-recognized art program; her middle school students (grades 7&8) at GSA received a number of National Awards in the Scholastic Art competition, including 2 American Vision Awards, 14 Gold Key Awards, and 5 Silver Key Awards, as well as more than 400 Regional awards. Nancy was named the Middle School Art Teacher of the Year by Scholastic in 2013.

While not working on her own art, she teaches art privately and mentors students working on their art portfolios for entry to fine arts academies and colleges.

MAJOR SHOWS AND EXHIBITIONS

2024	The People's Gallery juried exhibition, Austin City Hall, Austin, Texas
2023	The People's Gallery juried exhibition, Austin City Hall, Austin, Texas
2022	One-Woman Show, The Girls' School of Austin, Austin, Texas
2019	The People's Gallery juried exhibition, Austin City Hall, Austin, Texas – <i>People's Choice Award</i>
2019-2009	Group Show, Mexic-Arte Museum, Austin, Texas
2019-2013	One-Woman Show, The Girls' School of Austin, Austin Texas
2015-2003	Group Show & Exhibition – "Arthouse 5x7" (annual exhibition), Jones Center/Contemporary Austin Museum, Austin, Texas
2013-2010	One-Woman Show, in partnership with Flatbed Gallery, Austin, Texas
2006	One Woman Show, "Horse-Feathers," Quattro Gallery, Austin, Texas
2002	One Woman Show, "Pieces of Sky," Now and Zen Gallery, Austin, Texas
2000	One Woman Show, "Edibles," Jeffries, Austin, Texas
1998	Fiesta Laguna Gloria Show, Austin Museum of Fine Arts, Austin, Texas - <i>Best in Medium (3-D) Award</i>
1997-1995	Exhibiting Artist, Austin Museum of Fine Arts, Fiesta Laguna Gloria Show, Austin, Texas
1994	New Madrid Gallery, New Madrid, New Mexico (gallery show and ongoing exhibit)
1993	Morning Glory Gallery, Charleston, South Carolina (gallery show and ongoing exhibit)
1992	Featured Artist, Junior League of the Lehigh Valley, Allentown, Pennsylvania
1991	Jan Goin Gallery, Charleston, South Carolina (gallery show and ongoing exhibit)
1991	Official Poster Artist, Picolo Spoleto Festival, Charleston Carolina
1990	Conrad Gallery, Galveston, Texas (gallery show and ongoing exhibit)

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1989	One Woman Show, Possibilities Gallery, Martha's Vineyard, Massachusetts
1989-1987	Sanibel Gallery, Sanibel Island, Florida
1980	Lehigh Art Alliance, Juried Exhibition, Allentown, Pennsylvania
1979	Church Street Gallery, Macungie, Pennsylvania
1978	Buena Vista Fine Arts Festival, Lake Buena Vista (Disney), Florida
1978-1977	Winter Park Art Festival, Winter Park, Florida (<i>Printmaking Award</i> in 1997)
1978	Talisman Gallery, Laguna Beach, California

PUBLICATIONS, ILLUSTRATIONS, and MOVIE & TV CREDITS

2023	<i>A Time to Fly</i> , a book by Diann Boehm (illustrations and design)
2021	<i>Scout: Off and Running with Friends</i> , a book by Gerry Ellen (illustrations and design)
2021	Contributing Artist, <i>The Heart of Drawing: Stories and Images from Around the World</i> , a book and collection of self-portraits and the artists' stories, by Michael J. Strauss, Mags Phelan Stones, and Abrah Griggs
2019-2014	Published Articles for <i>Scholastic Art Magazine</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- 2023: "David Hockney: Space and Place"- 2022: "Graffiti/Street Art"- 2021: "Celebrity Portraiture"- 2020: "Yayoi Kusama"- 2019: "The Magic of Color"- 2018: Pepsi LIFEWTR Project- 2018: "From Expression to Emoji"- 2017: "Edward Munch – Express Yourself"- 2016: "The Ansel Adams Project"- 2015: "Degas – Drawing the Human Body"- 2014: "Matisse – Working with Color"
2016	Contributing Visual Artist to the movie, <i>Miles Ahead</i> [the story of Miles Davis]
2007	Contributing Visual Artist to the TV Series, <i>Army Wives</i>
1997	<i>Capitalines Magazine</i> , Austin, Texas (5 covers)
1997	<i>Afterlives</i> , a book by Deborah Hamilton Lynne (illustrations and design)
1996	<i>The Collection</i> , a book published by the Austin Junior League Cookbook, Austin, Texas (illustrations and design)
1975	<i>Physics, Energy, and Our World</i> , a textbook by Phillip Highsmith (illustrations)

RELATED ACTIVITIES

Present	Founder/Teacher, Portfolio Studio (advanced art program), Austin, Texas
2024-2018	Selected Judge – Rodeo Austin’s Youth Art Exhibition, Austin, Texas
2022-2002	Art Director, The Girls’ School of Austin, Austin, Texas
2015	Developer and Teacher - Landscape Painting Workshop, Umbria, Italy
2007-2006	Continuing Education in Art Program – Guest Artist & Instructor, San Angelo Fine Arts Conservancy
2004	Art Director – Children’s Advocacy Center, Austin, Texas
2004-1998	Art Director – Ronald McDonald House Annual Fundraiser
2002-2000	Selected Judge – Austin Museum of Fine Arts Show, Austin, Texas
1999	Art Director and Contributor– Taste of the Nation, Austin, Texas
1998	Art Director and Contributor– Children’s Advocacy Center Gala Event, Austin, Texas
1998 & 1996	Fiesta Laguna Gloria (logo design artist), Austin, Texas
1997	Art Director and Contributor– Taste of the Nation, Austin, Texas
1996 & 1995	Art Director and Contributor– Ronald McDonald House Annual Fundraiser, Austin, Texas
1995	Art Director and Contributor– Safe Place Gala Event, Austin, Texas
1995	Art Director and Contributor – Austin Children’s Museum, International Festival
1994	Recipient, “You Make a Difference Award” – Eanes Independent School District, Austin, Texas
1994	Art Director – “A Christmas Affair” – the Junior League of Austin
1994	Judge, Fiesta Laguna Gloria Art Festival, Austin, Texas

COLLECTIONS

- Hotel ZaZa, Austin, Texas
- Junior League of Austin, Texas
- Children’s Museum, Austin, Texas
- Society of the Arts, Allentown, Pennsylvania
- College of Charleston, Charleston, South Carolina
- President Gerald R. Ford Private Collection
- Michael and Susan Dell Private Collection
- Robert and Nancy Inman Private Collection
- Jim and Jane Atkins Private Collection
- Various Other Private Collections

MURALS

- The Girls' School of Austin, Austin, Texas
- Valley View Elementary School, Austin, Texas (two murals)
- Cedar Creek Elementary School, Austin, Texas

II. Personal

BACKGROUND

- All My Life: Artist
- 2002 – 2022: The Girls' School of Austin, Austin, Texas
Art Director, responsible for development and teaching of art programs for 150 students each year at The Girls' School of Austin, a private school for girls, grades K – 8th
- 1998 – Present: Personal Art Instructor
Developed and delivered personalized instruction in art – both individual one-to-one instruction and organized art programs for children and adults

EDUCATION

- Bachelor of Fine Arts, College of Charleston, South Carolina (with honors)
- Graduate Studies in Fine Arts, University of Georgia
- Graduate Studies in Fine Arts, University of Central Florida