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# **Solo Painting Exhibitions**

Mar 2018	Tangential Ruminations, Florida School of the Arts, Palatka, FL
Mar 2017	Christina Foard: Compressed Air, Florida Mining Gallery
Oct 2016	Christina Foard: Tangled Webs, University of North Georgia
May 2012	Foard: New Works, Cultural Council of Jacksonville, 2012 Featured Artist
Apr 2009	Foard: Transparency, Ponte Vedra Cultural Center, FL
Mar 2009	Foard: Aerial Viewpoints, Kent Gallery, Florida State College
Jan 2009	Foard: Fractal Parts, Flux Gallery, Jacksonville
Apr 1991	Foard: African Response, University of Cincinnati, DAAP Gallery

# **Group Painting Exhibitions**

May 2018	Flux Group Show, Lamar Dodd School of Art
Mar 2018	43rd Juried Exhibition, Lyndon House Arts Center, Athens, GA
Aug 2017	Spotlight 2017, Indigo Hotel Gallery, Curated by Didi Dunphy
Apr 2017	42nd Juried Exhibition, Lyndon House Arts Center
Nov 2016	Tiny Universe 2, Curated by Didi Dunphy, Indigo Gallery, Athens, GA
Jun 2016	Summer Pleasures, Thomas Deans Fine Art, Atlanta
Mar 2016	41st Juried Exhibition, Lyndon House Arts Center, GA
Apr 2015	8x2: Opposites Attract, Foard and Butler, Thomas Deans Fine Art, Atlanta
Mar 2015	Usual Suspects, 184 Project Space, Curated by Jesse McCloskey, NYC
Jan 2015	New Works New Year, Thomas Deans Gallery, Atlanta, GA
Dec 2014	21 and Counting, The Painting Center, Chelsea, NYC
May 2014	Arte Internationale, Matera, Italy
Dec 2013	#NOMO (North of Modern) Art Basel Miami, Florida Mining Gallery, FL
Dec 2013	Our Shared Past, Curated by Jefree Shalev, Cummer Museum of Art, FL
Nov 2013	Femme Deux, Sharla Valeski Invitational, CoRK Gallery, FL
Jun 2013	Highway Project, Curated by Wesley Laine, J. Johnson Gallery, FL
Apr 2013	Jacksonville University Soiree, The Museum Space, Jacksonville University
Jun 2012	Immersion: Hager and Foard, Jacksonville International Airport, FL
May 2012	Hillary Hogue and Christina Foard, Florida State College
May 2012	CityScape 2 Invitational, FOARD Studio 28, FL
Feb 2012	Jim Benedict and Christina Foard, Jacksonville University Gallery
Oct 2011	CITYscape Invitational, FOARD Studio 23, FL
Jun 2011	Neighborhood as Art, Cummer Museum of Art and Gardens, FL
Jan 2011	Breaking the Rules, Eileen Corse Gallery, FL
Nov 2010	Objective/Non-Objective: Foard + Morrisroe, Williams-Cornelius Gallery, FL
Sep 2010	Imagination Squared!, Museum of Contemporary Art Jacksonville, FL
Jan 2010	Mayo Clinic, Davis Gallery, Juried Invitational, FL
Sep 2009	Contemporary Female Perspectives, Jane Gray Gallery, FL
Apr 2009	Folio Invitational, Cummer Museum of Art and Gardens, FL
Apr 2009	Bright Young Things, Jane Gray Gallery, FL

## Awards | Residencies

2018-2019	Artist in Residence, Office of Sustainability, UGA
Aug 2018	Athens Area Arts Council Grant Recipient to support Imagination Squared:Resilience
Apr 2018	Looney Foundation Graduate Fellowship Recipient, UGA
Mar 2018	A2RU Research Cluster Grant Recipient, Willson Center for Humanities, UGA
Feb 2017	Artist in Residence, Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, VT
Mar 2016	Top Merit Award from Juror, Jock Reynolds, Yale University Gallery Director, 41st Juried Exhibition, Lyndon House Arts Center, GA
Jan 2015	Program Assistant, Steven Aimone Master Residency, Atlantic Center for the Arts, FL
Jan 2013	Artist Residency, Atlantic Center for the Arts, FL
Jun 2011	Recipient of Community Foundation Of Jacksonville Individual Artist Grant
2011-12	Artist in Resident, Everbank Building, FOARD STUDIO PROJECTS, Jacksonville
Jan 2011	Fellowship for Creative Capital Artist Seminar from Cultural Council of Jacksonville
Jun 1991	Selected as the Outstanding Senior for the School of Fine Art, DAAP, Univ. of Cincinnati
Jan 1990	Wolfstein Travel Fellowship Recipient, University of Cincinnati. East African

## **Curator | Juror Experience**

Feb 2014	Juror, Members Exhibition, Ponte Vedra Cultural Center, FL
Apr 2013	Curator, Jacksonville University Soiree, Jacksonville University
Jul 2012	Juror, St. Augustine Art Association, Honors Invitational Exhibition
May 2012	Host, Cultural Council of Jacksonville Annual Arts Awards Ceremony
May 2012	Curator and Producer, CityScape2, Foard Studio 28, FL
Oct 2011	Curator and Producer, CityScape, Foard Studio 23, FL
Dec 2007	Juror for Admissions, Douglas Anderson School for the Arts, Jacksonville

## **Fine Art Public Collections**

Cummer Museum of Art and Gardens Permanent Collection, UF Health Medical Center, Federal Reserve Bank of Miami, The City of Jacksonville, Rayonier Corporation, W. Mok Collection, SteinMart Headquarters, Baptist Health Systems, UF Health Jacksonville Medical Center, Womens Center of Jacksonville, Jacksonville Main Public Library

Public Programs: Instruction, Public Studio Tours, Artist Talks, Arts Administration Presentations

Apr 2018	Artist Talk - Florida School of the Arts
Mar 2017	Artist Talk - Florida Mining Gallery, FL
Nov 2016	Artist Talk - University of North Georgia
2012-13	Abstract Painting Instructor, Ponte Vedra Cultural Center, FL
Dec 2012	"ReFocus: Art of the 1980s" at the Museum of Contemporary Art, Jacksonville
May 2012	Public Studio Tour and Talk for The Museum of Contemporary Art Board Members
Apr 2012	Artist Talk for St. Marks Arts Council, Jacksonville, FL

Feb 2012	Artist Talk, Jacksonville University
Jun 2012	Public Studio Tour and Talk for Cummer Museum of Art and Gardens
May 2011	Artist Presentation for Leadership Jacksonville
Feb 2010	The Power of Arts in Integrative Medicine, U of North Florida Guest Speaker
Oct 2010	Panelist for "Ten Good Women", Cultural Center Ponte Vedra
Jan 2010	Arts in Medicine Presentation for Executive Leadership, UF Health Jacksonville
Feb 2009	Arts in Medicine Presentation for Neurology Department, UF Health Jacksonville
Apr 2009	Live Interview on First Coast News Morning Show, Featured Artist
2008-09	Abstract Painting Instructor, Cummer Museum of Arts and Garden

## **Articles & Blogs**

Apr 2015	Burnaway Atlanta:
	http://burnaway.org/event/opening-curt-butler-christina-foard-thomas-dean-fine-art/
Dec 2014	The Englishroom Blog:
	http://www.theenglishroom.biz/2014/12/29/artist-spotlight-series-christina-foard/
Aug 2014	University of Florida Newsletter:
	http://hscj.ufl.edu/news/story.aspx?id=1285
Nov 2013	Aesthetica Magazine:
	http://www.aestheticamagazine.com/review-of-divine-feminine-a-quartet-of-inventive-
visual-artists-o	offer-femme-deux-at-cork-arts-district-florida/
Nov 2013	Folio Magazine:
	https://issuu.com/folioweekly/docs/folio-112713
Jun 2012	St. Augustine Living:
	http://staugustine.com/living/2012-06-23/art-group-awards-achievement-honors#
Jun 2012	Escape Into Life Blog: Featured Artist
	http://www.escapeintolife.com/painting/christina-foard/
May 2012	Cummer Art Museum Newsletter and Blog:
	http://blog.cummermuseum.org/2012/02/50-forward-new-additions-to-the-permanent-
collection/foard-2/	
Jan 2012	Daily Art Fixx Blog:
	http://www.dailyartfixx.com/2012/01/13/christina-foard-painting/
Nov 2011	Jacksonville Daily Record, Downtown Today Feature <a href="http://www.jaxdailyrecord.com/">http://www.jaxdailyrecord.com/</a>

http://www.mydigitalpublication.com/publication/index.php?

# i=45697&m=&l=&p=32&pre=&ver=swf Jul 2010 Florida Times Union:

downtowntoday.php?dt\_date=2011-03-08

Arbus Magazine:

http://jacksonville.com/entertainment/arts/2010-07-11/story/artists-imagination-squared-

idea-becomes-museum-exhibit

Sep 2010

Jan 2010 Jacksonville Daily Record, Downtown Today Feature

https://www.jaxdailyrecord.com/downtowntoday.php?dt date=2010-01-29

Artsy Forager Blog

https://artsyforager.wordpress.com/artists/christina-foard/

http://artsyforager.com/tag/christina-foard/

# **Community Projects**

#### Imagination Squared 2020: Pathways to Resilience. UGA+ Athens, GA, 2017-2020

Social Creativity Project based on a participatory design model as a prompt for the public to respond to concepts of individual or community resilience. All participants have their symbols and stories of resilience posted onto the <u>imaginationsquared.org</u> website and all will be exhibited together as a community response on resilience in 2020 at The Lyndon House Arts Center.

#### FOARD Studio - Everbank Artist in Residence, 2011-12

Selected as Artist in Residence for Downtown Jacksonville Revitalization Project. Given top floor of skyscraper (33,000 square feet) as studio and exhibition space. Curated 3 major city events, hosting a total of 44 visual artists, 3 musical groups, 1 spoken word artist and 1 dance group. The events brought over 2000 attendees during this 18 month project.

### Imagination Squared! A Creative Response Experiment, Jacksonville, FL, April-Sep 2010

Co-Founder of a Jacksonville, FL creative public engagement experiment between April and July 2010. Viral social media created overwhelming public response and participation, culminating in record-breaking attendance at opening at Museum of Contemporary Art. Project exhibition presented as a gift to the City of Jacksonville in March 2011 and permanently installed in the Jacksonville Main Library.

#### Heartsongs4Homes, 2007&2008

Designed and directed interdisciplinary projects for children at the Sulzbacher Center for the Homeless, Jacksonville Fl. Funded by Regions Bank. 2008-2009

# **Career Highlights**

# University of Florida Health Medical Center Jacksonville, Arts in Medicine Program Director, 2008-2015

Directed interdisciplinary arts department at large Level One trauma center and academic research hospital. Developed specialized arts curriculum, managed a team of visual artists, musicians, and contractors. Responsible for curriculum, supplies, public relations, internal and external education, institutional collaborations, policy input, budget, grant research, data collection, and expansion of potential healing arts opportunities (internal and external). Designed curriculum and workshops for Trauma/ICU (Working with major critical condition patients and families), Oncology, Infusion, Neurology (Stroke, Parkinsons, ALS, and Epilepsy patients) and Psychiatric Units.

Conceived and Implemented several public art exhibitions/events involving artists, patients, staff, and partner institutions:

Tree of Life Memorial for Organ Donors with Jacksonville University:

In partnership with Sculpture Professor at Jacksonville University, created a "design challenge" for Fall 2010 Sculpture 1 class dedicated to commissioned public art project to memorialize specific organ donors at the hospital. Field trips to JU and hospital, interviews with doctors and staff and organ recipients gave context to student ideas. Students created bronze and wood Tree of Life with names of patients etched each year. Families come by and take "rubbings" of their loved ones names annually. This became an icon for the hospital, and a tool for organ donation education and PR drives and won a State of Florida Public Art Award for 2011.

#### Portraits of Hope:

30' x 3' Photographic Exhibition of Patients who died on the operating table, and survived to share life after trauma incidents. Stories from each were posted below the massive image and exhibition was installed outside Trauma Waiting Room to give hope to those whose loved ones were in dire situations.

#### Healing Gardens:

Collaborated with and commissioned Douglas Anderson School for the Arts high school 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> graders. Resulting 45'x2' garden painting installed in the hospital lobby.

#### Patient Exhibitions:

Hallways included three installations of specific projects made by patients while in their hospital bed. Clay bowls, birdhouses, and printed wooden disks with symbols gave visual evidence to the healing power of creativity for patients to relax, laugh, expand their imagination.

#### Employee Exhibitions:

Hallways dedicated to the creative vision open to any of the 3200 hospital employees. Amateur photography exhibition of the Jacksonville area which was so successful that many areas in campus used these 30x40" images as interior decor solutions.

#### Cummer Museum of Art and Gardens, Public Programs Manager and Educator, 2006-2008

Developed and implemented all exhibition programming: gallery talks, lectures, symposia, family day events, music and dance performances, film screenings, artist demonstrations, concerts and speaking scripts for introductions.

Responsible for programming, contracting and managing all art instructors in museum studio spaces.

Developed and wrote scripts, identified and secured speakers. Wrote articles and provided supporting content for Cummer Magazine.

Provided content for museum website, newsletters, and social media platforms.

Managed programming contracts and budgets.

Regularly worked with executive staff, leading donors, corporate executives, board members.

Directed monthly lecture series for retired adults.

Performed live and recorded media interviews when needed (television and public radio broadcasts)

Cultivated educational, performing arts, and other cultural and civic partnerships, leveraging shared resources, cross promotion, and creative programming.

# BOAT/US Foundation for Boating Safety (Alexandria, VA), New Technologies Program Manager, 1995-2000

Implemented and launched three national educational programs on boating safety.

Developed database-driven web education tool and an education hotline for boating safety, secured nation-wide approval and coordination with US Coast Guard Volunteer Corps.

Launched a national life jacket "lending library" for children via nationwide volunteer workforce.

Directed a toll-free hotline to educate and serve boating community. Initiated and maintained nationwide media campaigns in print, TV, radio, internet.

Responsible for all facets of program management and releases: design/maintenance, internal database design and training, IT management, grant writing, administrative staff management, volunteer recruitment and retention, volunteer coordination, grant funding, fundraising initiatives, corporate event planning, trade show management, internal and external public speaking and presentations.

#### Stanley Associates, Inc (Alexandria, VA), Proposal Manager, 1991-1995

Manager and pre-production editor for software-based government contractor.

Supervised creative team from inception through print and media presentations for corporate identity campaigns. Produced quarterly corporate newsletter.