

# Mark A. Florance

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## Education

2001 MFA, Painting & Drawing, University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS  
1985 BA in Studio Art, University of Missouri-Kansas City, Kansas City, MO

## Professional Experience

1986-2012 Graphic Designer & Illustrator, U.S. Dept. of Agriculture  
1999-2001 Lecturer & Teaching Assistant, Instructor of Record, Drawing I & II, University of Kansas

## Awards & Scholarships

2008 MOAK, Springfield Art Museum, Springfield, MO, Cash Award  
2001 New American Paintings, Vol. 35, Midwestern Competition  
2001 First Place Cash Award, MO 50 Exhibition, Missouri State Fair  
2000/1999 Lockwood Art Scholarship, University of Kansas  
2001-1999 Graduate Teaching Assistantship, University of Kansas  
1991/88/87 Juror's Choice & Purchase Award, Art in the Woods, Overland Park, KS  
1991 First Place Cash Award, Drawing Category, Parkville Fine Arts Association, Parkville, MO  
1985-1983 Advertising Artists Scholarship, University of Missouri-Kansas City  
1985-1983 University Scholar Grant, University of Missouri-Kansas City

## Juried Exhibitions

2012 The Frontier, Phase II, Paragraph & Project Space, Kansas City, MO  
2008 MOAK, Springfield Art Museum, Springfield, MO  
2003 **Solo Exhibition**, Stocksdale Gallery, William Jewell College, Liberty, MO  
2002 **Two-Person Exhibition**, University of Nebraska-Omaha Art Gallery, Omaha, NE  
2002/2001 MO 50 Exhibition, Missouri State Fair, Sedalia, MO  
2001 MFA Thesis Exhibition, Art & Design Gallery, University of Kansas  
2000/1999 Art Department Scholarship Show, Art & Design Gallery, University of Kansas  
1996 The Red Show, Gallery V, Kansas City, MO  
1993 **Solo Exhibition**, Thornhill Gallery, Avila University, Kansas City, MO  
1992 Mid-America Pastel Society Exhibition, Chicago, IL  
1987-1992 Art in the Woods, Corporate Woods, Overland Park, KS  
1992 Kansas City Artists' Coalition 10th Annual Exhibition, Kansas City, MO  
1992 Annual National Invitational Drawing Exhibition, Emporia State University, Emporia, KS  
1991 Parkville Fine Arts Association, Parkville, MO  
1987 Kansas City Artists' Coalition 5th Annual Exhibition, Kansas City, MO  
1986 Kaw Valley Arts Council, Kansas City, KS

## Corporate Collections and Publications

Yellow Corporation, Overland Park, KS  
The McLeod Law Firm, Kansas City, MO  
Sprint, Overland Park, KS

studio visit, Vol. 27, 2015  
New American Paintings, Vol. 35, Midwestern Competition  
Omaha Weekly, University of Nebraska-Omaha (viewable on website)