

Position Title

Artist in Residence (Printmaker)

Location

Knox College

Position Type

Visiting Faculty

Position URL

apply.interfolio.com/63704

Position Description

The Knox College Department of Art and Art History is seeking applications from printmakers to be Artist in Residence during Winter 2020. This teaching residency, supported by a grant from locally-based *Blick Art Materials*, has a three-fold purpose: to enrich the educational experience of students through exposure to perspectives and ways of working not represented by regular faculty or curricula. To involve/benefit the Galesburg community through collaborative projects, exhibits, or educational opportunities. And, for resident artists to develop and exhibit a body of work while in residence. Applicants should hold an MFA in printmaking or painting and be prepared to teach a course related to their creative practice. Artists with interest in engaging economically, culturally, and racially diverse communities through their work are encouraged to apply.

When: Winter 2020 (Jan 5- March 15)

Where: Knox College is located in Galesburg IL, a city of 32,000, located 200 miles SW of Chicago, approximately 3 hours by car or 2.5 hours by train.

<http://www.ci.galesburg.il.us/about/demographic/>

Resident artists will be required to:

- design and teach a course in an area of their expertise, meeting 2.5 hours two days per week, and should be available to students an additional 3-5 hours weekly.
- spend a minimum of 5 days per week on site.

- Resident artist will produce a body of work or project to be exhibited during the final week of their residency.
- Resident artists will engage the Galesburg community in a collaborative or community-based project or events.
- Resident artists will donate a work to Knox College.

Benefits to the artist

- Paid residency (salary upon request).
- Accommodation and studio space provided.
- A stimulating and diverse creative community.
- Teaching experience in a vibrant art program within a liberal arts college.
- Availability of materials through local *Blick* warehouse/discount store.
- Studio and gallery space in *The Box*, an alternative space in downtown Galesburg.
- Solo exhibit and/or collaborative project.

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- CV
- Website link or 15 jpegs minimum.
- Letter of interest describing relevant experience and motivation for applying.

- Draft proposal for a community engagement project or event.
- Draft proposal for a class (possibly collaborating in community-based project)
- Contact info for two references.

Knox College particularly welcomes applicants from under-represented groups. Full consideration will be given to applications received by September 15, 2019. Later applications may be held for future consideration and reviewed on a rolling basis.

Learn more about [Knox College](#), [Employment at Knox](#), and the [Knox Art Department](#).

Qualifications

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