



ACA TEACHER BIOGRAPHIES

Adria Arch – *Intuitive Artmaking, Marketing Your Art* (adults)

MFA Mass College of Art, BFA Carnegie-Mellon Univ. Adria is the ACA Education Director and has taught at Mass College of Art, the DeCordova Museum School, Montserrat College of Art and Endicott College.

Rich Cincotta – *Basic Jewelry* (adults)

Over 20 years designing and teaching jewelry making, Rich has helped many students gain competence and confidence making jewelry.

Brad Clompus – *Opening Up to Poetry* (adults)

MFA, Univ of Iowa Writer's Workshop, editor of the Mystic River Review. Brad has been a long-time teacher at the ACA.

Eileen de Rosas - *The Mudroom: Ceramics for Homeschoolers* (kids)

BFA Parsons School of Design, Mudflat Studios. This is Eileen's third year teaching at ACA.

Diane Fiedler – *Advanced Watercolor* (adults)

AB Harvard University, award-winning illustrator and designer, ACA teacher since 2003

Laura Fredericks- *First Art* (kids), *Beginning Drawing for Real* (kids),
Young Painters (youth)

M.Ed Art Education, Lesley University, BA Hamilton College. This is Laura's third year teaching at ACA.

Debra Giller – *Teen Clay (new), Sculptural Clay* (adults)

MFA Kent State; BFA, MA Stephen F. Austin State University. Debra is an exhibiting ceramic sculptor represented by Bromfield Gallery in Boston.

Mark Hanser – *Advanced Drawing* (youth)

M.Ed Harvard University, BFA Mass. College of Art. Mark is a longtime instructor at ACA and a veteran teacher of our summer Vacation Arts Program.

Danielle LaPlante – *Drawing Basics* (adults)

MFA Columbia University, BFA Mass College of Art. Danielle is a printmaker and painter.

Chris LeGare – *Basic Animation, Advanced Animation* (youth), *Animation Basics* (adults)

BFA candidate, Mass College of Art, Chris has led our popular children's animation classes for the past two years. Check out some of the animation classes' work at http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r4nY_IHdis

Amy MacDonald – *Representational Oil Painting* (adults)

MFA candidate, Mass College of Art, BFA Hamilton College. This is Amy's third year teaching at ACA.

Nancy Popper – *Prints Charming* (kids), *Printmaking With Recyclables*

(homeschoolers) Nancy is a printmaker and art instructor who has taught at the Nashoba Brooks School, the Advent School, and the Graham Parks Alternative School among others. BA Bard College, MS in Art Ed., Mass College of Art.

Neha Pall – *Poetry in Motion* (kids)

Neha is a classroom teacher who loves the arts, and a Masters' candidate in Creative Arts in Learning at Lesley University.

Sue Rice – *Cartooning* (kids), *Printmaking without a Press* (youth)

BFA Rhode Island School of Design, Sue is an illustrator and cartoonist who is a veteran teacher of our summer Vacation Arts Program.

Sheila Rice – *Understanding and Painting Abstraction* (adults)

BFA School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston. A long-time teacher at Cambridge Center for Adult Ed., this is Sheila's second year at the ACA.

Pam Shanley – *Art Explorers* (kids), *Teen Painting Exploration* (youth)

BFA Connecticut College. Pam is the ACA's Facilities Manager and a veteran teacher in our children's programs.

Anne Steinman – *Chinese Brush Painting* (adult)

A computer consultant by day, Anne has studied Chinese brush painting with expert instructors including Qingxiong Ma. She combines a strong interest in nature with her love of teaching this technique.

Kaetlyn Wilcox – *Beginning Watercolor* (adults), *Drawing for Real* (kids)

MFA School of the Museum of Fine Arts Boston, BA Wellesley College

Alisa Wolf – *Write Now!* (adults)

MFA in Writing, Vermont College, freelance writer, teacher and consultant. We are glad that Alisa is returning this semester!

Dorie Zackin – *Clay is the Way* (kids), *Functional Clay* (adults), *Clay Club* (kids)

MAT, BFA Rhode Island School of Design. Dorie is a long-time ACA instructor and exhibiting artist.

Barbara Zeles – *Expressive Figure Drawing*, *Sculpting the Figure*, *Casting the Figure Workshop* (adults)

BFA Boston University. Barbara is a long-time ACA instructor and exhibiting artist.