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BIO

1985 Born in Mercer, Pennsylvania, USA  
Lives and works in Mercer, PA

SOLO AND TWO PERSON EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 *As Everwhere of Silver* - at Southern Allegheny Museum of Art
- 2021 *Experiments in Reality* – Solo Show Boxheart Gallery, Pittsburgh, PA  
*Call and Response* - 2 person show with Annie Heisey Union Hall, Pittsburgh, PA
- 2020 *Land of Little Thoughts and No Worries* Westmoreland Museum of Art, Greensburg, PA  
*Where Do We Go From Here* – 2 person show with Teresa Roche Art & Light Gallery, Greenville, SC
- 2018 *Anywhere and Nowhere* Boxheart Gallery, Pittsburgh, PA  
*Memories of Memories* Pew Fine Arts Center, Grove City College, Grove City, PA
- 2017 *Remnants* Pop up exhibit 5852 Baum Blvd, Pittsburgh, PA  
*In Conversation* –Associated Artists of Pittsburgh two person show at Point State Park University, Pittsburgh, PA – curator Njaimeh Njie  
*I Was There* Nutting Gallery Wheeling, WV  
*The Place and the Unplace* Pittsburgh Center for the Arts, Pittsburgh, PA
- 2016 *Everywhere and Nowhere* Cray Art Gallery, Warren, PA  
*Memories of Memories* Undercroft Gallery, Pittsburgh, PA  
*Spaces Between* 4049 Penn Ave, Pittsburgh, PA
- 2014 *Weather and Mood* Sans MOCA Gallery Greenville, PA  
*Déjà vu* Grove City Artworks Grove City, PA
- 2013 *Selected Works* Gateway Lodge Cooks Forest, PA

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2020 *AAP 107<sup>th</sup> Annual exhibit* - Westmoreland Museum of Art, Greensburg, PA
- 2018 *Aqua Art* – Miami, during Art Basel  
*Affordable Art Fair* – NYC, during Frieze  
*Art of Place* - Heinz History Museum, Pittsburgh, PA  
*Almost 17 and #wearestillhere* – Boxheart Gallery Pittsburgh, PA  
*Mix and Match* – Gallery Oh! Chicago, IL
- 2017 *Associated Artist's of Pittsburgh* – Bottleworks Gallery Johnstown, PA  
*Aqueous Open International Watercolor Exhibit* – Spinning Plate Gallery Pittsburgh, PA  
*Resting Place: The American Landscape* - Chautauqua Institute of Art Chautauqua NY
- 2016 *Aqueous Open International Watercolor Exhibit* - Spinning Plate Gallery- Pittsburgh, PA  
*Dollar Bank Three Rivers Arts Festival Juried Exhibition* – Pittsburgh, PA
- 2015 *Outside the Frame* – Pittsburgh Watercolor Society  
*Aqueous Open* – International Watercolor Exhibit – Spinning Plate Gallery Pittsburgh PA  
*Century Inn Art Show Invitational* - 4 person show – Scenery Hill, PA
- 2014 *Aqueous Open* – International Watercolor Exhibit – at Spinning Plate Gallery  
*PSA Internationally Inspired* at 3<sup>rd</sup> Street Gallery – Carnegie, PA
- 2013 *PSA Annual* – Father Ryan Arts Center – Pittsburgh PA  
*New Collective* – All Pittsburgh Guild Show at Pittsburgh Center for the Arts



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- 2012 *Aqueous Open* – International Watercolor Show – Third Street Gallery Pittsburgh PA  
*Westmoreland Art Nationals Juried Exhibition* – Westmoreland, PA  
*39<sup>th</sup> Hoyt Regional Juried Art Exhibition* – The Hoyt Institute of Fine Arts New Castle, PA  
*74<sup>th</sup> Area Annual Artists Annual Juried Exhibition* – The Butler Institute of American Art

#### PUBLIC ARTWORKS

- 2019 CATA Bus stop mural – Meadville PA  
2018 Pittsburgh Airport Installation at Gate B27  
2016 Series of two murals in the strip district 18<sup>th</sup> St. between Smallman and Penn  
Sidewall Mural – Bloomfield PA January  
2015 Mercer Mural – Mercer Railroad Station

#### AWARDS / RESIDENCIES / FELLOWSHIPS

- 2017 Flight School Fellowship – Pittsburgh Filmmakers and Center for the Arts  
2015 Pittsburgh Emerging Artist of the Year nominee for 2016  
VCCA – Virginia Center for the Creative Arts Fellowship  
The Art Student’s League of New York Residency at Vytlačil

#### BIBLIOGRAPHY

- 2022 Latrobe Bulletin – “SAMA celebrates 25 years with ‘As Everywhere of Silver’ exhibition  
May 18 2022  
Pittsburgh Post Gazette – “Can Art Heal” – March 20<sup>th</sup> 2022
- 2020 Shout Out Atlanta – “Meet Nicole Renee Ryan artist” – September 29<sup>th</sup> 2020  
Art & Light Gallery owner collaborates with Pittsburgh artist on new exhibit – Greenville  
Journal, Aug 27<sup>th</sup> 2020
- 2019 Distinctive Art and It’s Creators – The Sharon Herald Oct 13<sup>th</sup> 2019  
Mercer welcomes two new inductees into Alumni Hall of Fame - Record Argus May 2<sup>nd</sup>
- 2018 Voyage ATL Magazine “Meet Nicole Ryan”
- 2017 VACI’s ‘Resting Place’ reminds us that “this country, regardless of its struggles, is home  
Resting Place: The Chautauquan Daily  
Potter Loves Creative Artist Interview
- 2016 Intersections – The Warren Time’s Observer Nov 12<sup>th</sup> 2016
- 2015 More Art on The Way – Record Argus Oct 22<sup>nd</sup> 2015  
WFMJ Youngstown TV Interview Mercer Mural September 21<sup>st</sup> 2015  
Art on the Wall, Mural Highlights Local History– The Sharon Herald September 28<sup>th</sup> 2015  
Mercer Art Collective Choses Subject for Mural – Record Argus September 2015  
Revised Mural Back on Track – Allied News September 2015  
North Light Books - Splash 16: Texture – Till It Be Morrow – released June 2015  
Pittsburgh Post Gazette, March 7, 2015 – Home & Garden Show designers find  
inspiration in art.  
Record Argus, April 16, 2015 – Upcoming Mural Just Part of Group’s Efforts to Bolster,  
Beautify Mercer
- 2014 PlayDay – March 5, 2014 – Grove City Artworks Presents Nicole Renee Ryan
- 2013 Record Argus – Sept 28, 2013 – Mercer Artist Awaits Bigger, Better Challenges



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2012            Featured in an article in the Sharon Harold

LECTURES / TEACHING

2017            SIX X ATE: In Situ – Guest Lecturer, Pittsburgh, PA

SELECTED COLLECTIONS

The Benter Foundation  
PNC Bank  
Frick Innovation Center

CURRENT REPRESENTATION

Bonfoey Gallery – Cleveland, OH  
Boxheart Gallery – Pittsburgh, PA  
Art & Light Gallery – Greenville, SC

EDUCATION

2007            BA in Psychology, Washington & Jefferson College 2007 graduated cum laude with a  
                         minor in Professional Writing