

Photography with David Gutcher

Award winning Photographer Dave Gutcher has been a professional Photographer since 2005. His awards include First Place at the members show at the Florida Museum of photographic Arts and Tampa Regional Artists.

Dave takes a cinematographic approach to his photography. His passion is finding unique, beautiful images that are a pleasure to view. By focusing on angles and light, he is able to make ordinary objects become extraordinary. His gallery includes nature, wildlife and cityscapes with a strong focus on Tampa and panoramic images.

Dave was featured in the 2010 Tampa Bay Business Journal Book of Lists. He is a member of the National Association of Photoshop Professionals, Florida Museum of Photographic Arts, Tampa Realistic Artists, and the South Tampa Chamber of Commerce.

Dave's art is displayed throughout in the United States and Europe.

BRING:

- An Open Mind, A Great Attitude, Questions,
- Your Camera/Manual,
- 2-3 Images to share (Preferable Digital Images on a USB Drive or CD),
- Comfortable Clothes, Walking Shoes, and your lunch.
- Laptop optional

AGENDA

- Going out and shooting in the morning - Place (TBA)

Get to Know Your President: 8 Things You Didn't Know About Tatyana Hankinson

Hometown: Tashkent, Uzbekistan / has lived in Tampa Bay Since 2002

Media: Pastel, Watercolor, Oils, Acrylics and Photography

DW: What is your preferred medium?

TH: I switch back and forth. It depends on my mood and sometimes the time of the year.

DW: What inspires you and your work? Are there stories behind your pieces?

TH: Sometimes there are stories behind my pieces, sometimes not. I feel everything around me inspires my work anything I see or am involved in.

DW: Do you feel there is (an) artist(s) you can relate to? Do you have an artist role model?

TH: If I had to choose well-known work, I admire impression-



- A discussion with demonstrations on the following subjects:
 - Color Correction
 - Simple Sharpening
 - Black & White Conversion (The Street Fight)
 - JPEG vs RAW and when to use which
 - Class Questions

Workshop Information

March 25 • 10am - 3:30pm • \$50 members • \$65 non-members
Don't forget to bring your lunch!

**TO REGISTER: Call Dee Lobo at 251-8201 or
email deelobo@verizon.net.**

ism—Monet—but my heart lies in the Russian works of Plastov, Levitan and Savrasov.

DW: What did you want to be when you grew up?

TH: It always changed. Sometimes professions I entertained were being a doctor or a lawyer, however, I really liked the idea of being an archeologist.

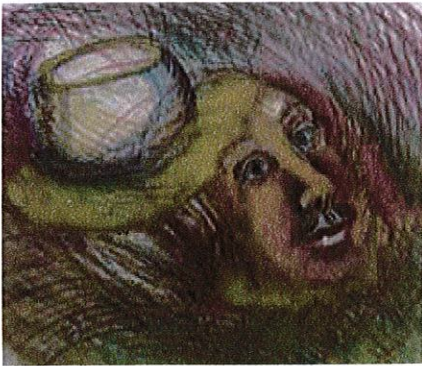
DW: What is your favorite color?

TH: I am an artist. I do not have a favorite color. All colors are my favorite.

DW: Do you have any advice for aspiring artists?

TH: While a resume and publicity can help some, I advise to just work hard and always try to improve on yourself and your work.

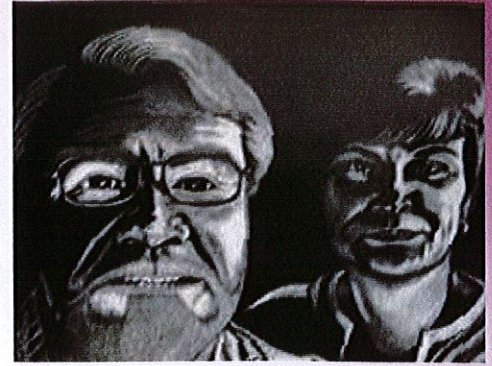
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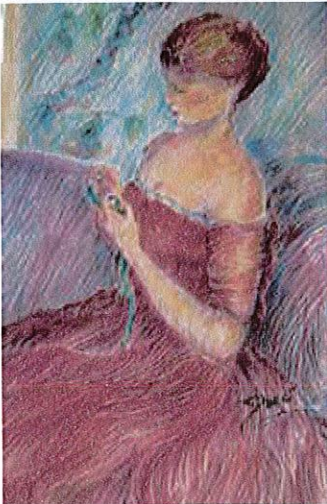
Karen Solomon, *Face with a Hat*



Tatyana Hankinson, *Artist in Repose*



Rick Golden, *Soul Mates*



Dore Anderson, *Sewing Ribbons*



Kathy Durdin, *Heather*



Jack Plimmer, *Nude*

Drawing Exhibition 2011 Winners

Award	Artist	Title	Media
1st	Karen Solomon	<i>Face with a Hat</i>	Colored Pencil & Charcoal
2nd	Tatyana Hankinson	<i>Artist in Repose</i>	Pastel
3rd	Rick Golden	<i>Soul Mates</i>	Scratchboard

Honorable Mention

Dore Anderson	<i>Sewing Ribbons</i>	Pastel
Kathy Durdin	<i>Heather</i>	Charcoal and White Chalk
Jack Pimmer	<i>Nude</i>	Print

People's Choice Award

Joanna Karpay	<i>St. Michael's Mt., Cornwall</i>	pastel
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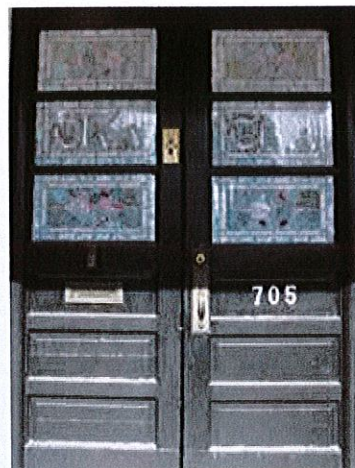
Judge's Comments

It has been a real pleasure to see that drawing is indeed "alive and well" in the Tampa area. As a life-long graphic artists, I am quite impressed with both the high level of technical proficiency in so many media. I particularly would like to point out that with such a short turn around on this show—very high quality has been represented in this exhibition. Thank you for asking me to just this show. It was difficult but lots of fun!

*Katherine B. Moyse, Art Instructor,
Hillsborough Community College*

HISTORIC HYDE PARK HOME TOUR BENEFITS OLD HYDE PARK ART CENTER

Proceeds from this year's Historic Hyde Park Home Tour will in part benefit the restoration of our front doors. Our doors are original to the building, dating from the early 20th century -- you can just picture the children running in and out when our building was part of a school. The Home Tour is March 5, 930 to 2 PM, leaving from the Bern's parking lot on Howard. Let your friends and family know -- have fun and benefit TRA! Tickets are \$20 in advance, \$25 day of the tour. Advanced tickets may be bought at www.historichometours.com or area Coldwell Banker locations. For information, visit www.ehydepark.org.



Upcoming TRA Meetings

UPCOMING GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS & DEMOS:

Join us for these Demonstrations and refreshments at 7 p.m. on the second Thursday night of each month at Old Hyde Park Art Center:

- Feb. 10: Sue Allen, watercolor
- Mar. 10: David Gutcher, photography

Upcoming Board of Directors' Meeting

The next TRA Board of Directors' Meeting is Tuesday, February 15. Board meetings are usually held on the Tuesday after the general membership meeting. You are always welcome to attend!

Upcoming Workshops

- Sue Allen, Watermedia, 2/12/11
- Dave Gutcher, Photography, 3/26/11
- Terry Klaaren, Acrylic Painting, 4/16/11

10 am - 3:30 pm. \$50/members & \$65/non-members.

TO REGISTER: Call Dee Lobo at 251-8201.

Please Note: If you decide to cancel your workshop reservation, give Dee at least two weeks' notice, in order to receive a full refund of your deposit.

TRA BUZZ

PARKING

Many of you have in the past parked in the lot across the alley from the Old Hyde Park Art Center. That building is now owned by an accounting firm, which has asked that we do NOT park there. Please park in the front of the building on Swann or on the streets on the side streets. We are working on other parking solutions – if you want to help, contact Kathy Durdin at 813-220-5800.

THANK YOU, NAVIGANT

Your former president, Kathy Durdin, was named one of the Corporate Citizens of the Year by her employer, Navigant Consulting. In recognition of this, as well as her 30 year service anniversary with the company, Navigant has donated \$2000 to TRA.

JUDGE FOR BAY AREA ART SHOW

Adam Justice, curator for Polk Museum in Lakeland, has agreed to judge TRA's premiere central Florida Art Show.

DOCENTS NEEDED

TRA needs docents for the following days in February: Sunday 2/20; Tuesday 2/15; Thursdays 2/3-11-17 & 24; Fridays 2/4-12 & 19; Saturday 2/29. Contact Kathy Durdin if you can help!

JOINT EXHIBITION WITH TAMPA BAY HISTORY CENTER

In conjunction with TRA's upcoming Landscape exhibition in June, TRA will also host an exhibition with the Tampa Bay History Center. Recently, the Tampa Bay History Center obtained architectural drawings of major Tampa architects from the early 20th century. The Center will exhibit selections from this group of drawings at TRA. Also included in the

exhibition will be tools used by early 20th century architects. The free reception on June 11 will be hosted by the Tampa Bay History Center and sponsored by the American Institute of Architects. The public is welcome. In conjunction with the exhibition, TRA will host a special competition in addition to the regular Landscape competition. Entries to this competition must be of one of the buildings shown on the drawings in the M Leo Elliott exhibition. There will be an additional \$200 in prizes sponsored by Navigant Consulting. The listing of buildings to be included in this competition will be available in early February from Kathy Durdin, the TRA website or in the March TRA newsletter.

CHALK WALK CALL FOR ARTISTS

The 3rd Annual Chalkwalk and PleinAire Art will be held March 18-20 in Hyde Park Village. The Tampa Bay Businesses for Culture and the Arts invites local artists, students and groups to participate in the third annual Chalk Walk. \$3,000 of total prizes will be given to the best artwork. Application deadline is February 11.

DOUG DAWSON PASTEL WORKSHOP IN DUNEDIN, FLORIDA

May 12-14, 9 am – 5 pm at the Dunedin Fine Art Center (DFAC). This 3-day workshop is hosted by the Pastel Society of Tampa Bay in conjunction with Possibilities in Pastel V, an invitational juried exhibition of the Pastel Societies of the Southeastern States on display at DFAC, May 13 – June 26. The workshop will combine studio and plein air instruction highlighting artistic technique, thumbnail sketches, composition, color usage, texture and depth. There will also be demonstrations, individual attention and group critiques. Visit <http://pastelsociety-tampabay.org> for complete details.

REMBRANDT YOUTH ART SHOW

We need your help! if you can help with receiving, hanging or reception, contact Kathy Durdin at 813-220-5800

ARTIST OF THE MONTH EXHIBITION & RECEPTION

There will be a reception for artist of the month Tatyana Hankinson and her students on February 19, 5-8 pm at the Old Hyde Park Art Center. There will be refreshments served. This reception is free to the public.

Are you exhibiting your artwork somewhere other than TRA? Email the title of the exhibit & location along with the dates of the exhibit to Toni Treverton at Tonitreverton@hotmail.com so we can publicize it for you.

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Tatyana was born in the former Soviet Republic which is now known as the country of Uzbekistan. If you picture a small country north of Afghanistan, south of Kazakhstan and west of China, it is there. She was three years old when she started drawing—her parents bringing her to an Art School as soon as she was old enough. It was the only Art School in the city where one had to pay for classes. Five dollars per month for classes four times a week was a lot of money back then. The teachers taught her the basics in art and the desire to challenge herself all the time. After she moved to the United States in 2002, she finally got the opportunity to do with her husband's support to do what she always wanted to do—to create.

Interview by Dawn M. Wayand

April 1 Deadline to Renew your TRA Membership!

Easy Membership Renewal Form -- It's now time to renew your membership with TRA!

Please clip this form and mail it to the Old Hyde Park Art Center at 705 Swann Ave, Tampa, 33606.

Circle your choice of membership: \$35 single \$17.50 non-artist/associate \$250 Lifetime

Name _____

Address _____ City _____ ZIP _____

Phone _____ Fax _____ e-mail _____

Artist's Medium/Type of Work: _____

Please volunteer to help in at least one of the following areas (circle):

Building Maintenance Exhibitions Docents Hospitality Membership Newsletter
Programs Publicity Workshops

Make checks payable to TRA.

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NEXT GENERAL MEMBERSHIP
MEETING THURSDAY,
FEBRUARY 10, 7 P.M.
DEMO: SUE ALLEN,
WATERCOLOR

Classes at Old Hyde Park Arts Center

MONDAY:

Life Classes with Dee Lobo (long pose, nude model) 1st Monday of the month only. 7-9:30PM. Fee to model.

All Media (drawing/painting) & Portraits in all media classes with Dee Lobo Days: 1-3:30PM. Evenings: 7-9:30PM Call Dee Lobo for details: 813-251-8201 or deelobo@verizon.net

TUESDAY:

Surface Design with Leslie Jennings 10AM-12:30 PM Call Leslie for details: 813-251-8426

Art Classes for Children (ages 5-9) with Tatyana Hankison 5:00-6:00 PM tatyana@igumnova-art.com or 813-245-6945

WEDNESDAY:

Watercolor with Genie Shannon 10AM-NOON 813-991-5519

ART for Seniors with Lyla Haggard 1:30-3:30PM 813-254-2624

Life Classes (short poses, nude model) EVERY Wednesday, 6:30-9:30PM

THURSDAY:

Sculpture with Candace Knapp 813-654-3616 9:30AM-NOON

FRIDAY:

Art Classes for Children (ages 9-16) with Tatyana Hankison 5:00-6:00 PM tatyana@igumnova-art.com or 813-245-6945

OHPAC Exhibition Schedule

SHOW DATES	EXHIBITION	Drop Off	Pick Up
Feb 1 – Feb 25	HELLZAPOPPIN All media - ABSTRACT, FNTASY. Wild, wild art	Jan 28 & 30	Feb 26 & 27
Feb 1 -Feb 25	ARTISTS TRADING CARDS SHOW ATC trading cards only – all Media on cards	Jan 25	Feb 26 & 27
Mar 1 – Mar 11	REMBRANDT YOUTH ART SHOW Children's Show	Feb 26 & 27	Mar 12 & 13
Mar 15 – Apr 10	*THE INVISIBLE HAND SCULPTURE SHOW Sculptures only Juried show – Entry Deadline Jan 20, 2011	Mar 12 & 13	Apr 9 & 10

* No photography, please.

NOTE: No copies or teacher-assisted work should be submitted for any TRA Gallery shows.
All pick up and delivery times for shows are between 12 noon and 3pm unless otherwise noted.

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