# LeeAnn Love

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### EDUCATION

LESLEY UNIV. M.A. Art Therapy Feb 08, Merit Scholar

MIDDLE TENN STATE UNIV B.S. Biology, Art Minor May 98, University Honors

ART STUDY ABROAD Gubbio, Italy May / June 95

### ACCOLADES

NASHVILLE PREDATORS Featured Charity: MyCanvas 2019

ARTIST IN RESIDENCE: Williamson County Schools 2017

MERIT SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT: Lesley Univ 2005 – 2008

STUDENT SCULPTURE AWARD: Chatt State College 2002

### SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

BOLDLY TAKING UP SPACE: SOUTHEAST SCOPE, group show, ClearStory Arts, Chattanooga, TN, May 2024

PLANTS INTO COLOUR, group show, Leith School of Art, Edinburgh, Scotland, August 2023

SQUARE PEG, ROUND HOLE, virtual show, Bloom Stage, TN, Feb 2021

ART THERAPY ADVOCACY DAY ON THE HILL, virtual group show, Tennessee Capitol, Feb 20

MOONLIGHT, MAGIC AND MYSTERY, featured artist, Bloom Stage, TN, Oct 19

RESPOND. REFLECT. RESTORE: ARTWORK by ART THERAPISTS, group show, Flatrock Coffee, TN, Mar 15

FEATURED ARTIST: LEEANN LOVE, solo show, CoLab, TN, Sept - Dec 10

ARMORY ART START, group show, The Center for Arts at the Armory, MA, Apr 09

FOR THE LOVE OF MUSIC, group show, The Middle East, MA, Aug 08

FEATURED ARTIST: LEEANN LOVE, solo show, MIT Window, MA, June – Aug 08

ATTENTION TO DETAIL, solo show, Lesley University, MA, Jan - Apr 08

REJUVENATION: LIFE, DEATH, REBIRTH, group, Out of the Blue Gallery, Apr-May 08

ARTIST CHOICE EXHIBIT, group show, Somerville Museum, MA, May 08

THE JOURNEY, group show, Lesley University, MA, May 07

STUDENT EXHIBITION, group show, Chattanooga State College, 2001, 2002

ALLA SCOPERATA DI GUBBIO, group show, Gubbio, Italy, 1995

### SELECTED MURALS

THE DISTRO, MYCANVAS, community mural with artist Omari Booker, 2021
PAGE HIGH SCHOOL. WILLIAMSON COUNTY AIR, community mural, 2017
METRO DEV HOUSING AUTH BUILDING SITE. MYCANVAS, community mural, 2016
JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER. KIDS KONNECTION ROOM, community mural, 2010
ARLINGTON BUS DEPOT, ART BUILDS COMMUNITY, community mural, 2009
INTERFAITH MURAL, ART BUILDS COMM, ROXBURY MOSQUE, community mural, 2008
MASS GEN HOSPITAL, PEDIATRIC RADIOLOGY CEILING PANELS, solo mural, 2008

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## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

GLOBAL WOMEN ARTISTS Thrive Together Network Winter 23 – present

MENTORSHIP Amanda K. Hawkins Spring 2022

CREATE YOUR PRACTICE Amanda K. Hawkins June – July 2021

NON-TOXIC CRIT GROUP Bri Custer January – February 2021

### SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY

Featured Creator: LeeAnn Love, Artist Clover + Bee January 8, 2022

'Rising Phoenix' sculpture made of tornado debris to be unveiled in North Nashville: Tennessean June 11, 2021

Poverty and Liturgy Call to Worship: Liturgy, Music, Preaching, & Arts Projected: Nov 2020

Arts over ACES (Adverse Childhood Experiences) WCTE PBS August 29, 2019

### RELATED EXPERIENCE

HEAL WITH HEART, 2013 - present

**Private Practice Art Therapist** 

Provides individual and family art therapy for children, teens, and young adults.

MYCANVAS: INSPIRITUS, 2014 - 2021

Cofounder; Community Arts/Art Therapy Program Coordinator

Created, designed, curated, and instructed community arts and art therapy workshops and art shows for at-risk youth in low income areas after school and during school breaks.

HEALING ARTS PROJECT, INC (HAPI), 2010 - present

Art Therapy and Art Educator Consultant

Designs and instructs art therapy workshops in addiction recovery treatment centers

TREVECCA NAZARENE UNIVERSITY, 2015 - 2022

Art Therapy Adjunct Professor

Develops curriculum and teaches undergraduate art therapy course

HEAL WITH HEART, 2013-present

Art Therapy Supervisor

Provides training, mentorship, and support to art therapy students, interns, and recent graduates, in individual, dyad, and group

MOUNT MARY COLLEGE CROSS CULTURAL EXCHANGE, 2010

Outreach Art Therapist

Created and provided community art and art therapy experiences in Peruvian communities, from preschoolers to elders

ARTS BUILDS COMMUNITY, 2008-2009

Lead Artist

Directed public art experiences with community groups, social agencies, and marginalized populations in the Greater Boston area

HUNTSVILLE MUSEUM OF ART, 2004 - 2005

Art Instructor

Developed and instructed two-dimensional and three-dimensional art classes for elementary and middle school students

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### EXPERTISE

Painting & Mixed Media

Drawing

Murals

Community Arts

**Art Therapy** 

Teaching

**Presenting & Training** 

**Group Development** 

Color Theory
Landscapes
Impressionism
Abstract Expressionism
Abstracted Landscapes
Media Exploration
Curriculum Development
Creative Coaching &
Empowerment

Anxiety & Grief

Expressive Therapy, Humanistic, and Positive Psychology Approaches

Self-Compassion & Mindfulness Skillbuilding

Nutrition, Wellness, & Mood

Trauma Informed Therapy

### SELECTED PRESENTATIONS & TRAININGS

HONORING THOSE LOST THROUGH ARTMAKING, Tuesday Talk, Tennessee Disability Pathfinder, December 2021

LAMENT AS A SPIRITUAL PRACTICE, St. Mark's United Methodist Church, Guest Facilitator, Sept 2019

GRIEF & CREATIVITY: AN ART THERAPY INFORMED APPROACH, Trevecca Graduate Counseling Department, Guest Speaker, July 2017, June 2018, June 2019

ART WITH A PURPOSE: EMPOWERING AT-RISK YOUTH TO FIND THEIR VOICE & TELL THEIR STORY, ELCA Southeastern Synod Assembly Workshop, May 2018

CREATIVITY AND PERSONAL GROWTH: INTRODUCTION TO ART THERAPY, Middle Tennessee State University, April 2018

ART THERAPY VS ARTS IN COUNSELING: MYTHS, DIFFERENCES, AND PITFALLS, Nashville Area Association of Christian Counselors, May 2017

ATHENTIKOS ARTMAKING: CURRICULUM DESIGN WITH AN ART THERAPY-INFORMED APPROACH, Athentikos, August 2015

EMBRACING CREATIVITY AS A PATH TO OUR COMPASSIONATE GOD, St. Mary's Retreat Center, St. Paul's Episcopal Church Women's Retreat, June 2014

ARTS IN COUNSELING: AN ART THERAPY INFORMED APPROACH, Centerstone, February 2014

THE ART OF ART THERAPY, Nashville School of the Arts, January 2014.

A CREATIVE PATH TO HEALING: ART THERAPY INFORMED MINDFULNESS TECHNIQUES, Tennessee Licensed Professional Counselor Association Conference, April 2013

WEAVING OUR VOICES TOGETHER: A SOCIAL ACTION ART PROJECT FOR EMPOWERMENT AND CHANGE, Tennessee Disability MegaConference, May 2012

ART AS A HEALING TOOL: AN ART THERAPY PERSPECTIVE, Tennessee Disability Megaconference, May 2011

ART AS HEALER, TMHCA Annual Conference, May 2010