

# WAYNE FORTE

## EDUCATION

University of California at Irvine, CA: MFA, 1976  
University of California at Irvine, CA: BA Fine Arts, 1973  
Sorbonne, Paris, France: 1974  
University of Denver, Colorado: 1971  
World Campus Afloat: 1970  
University of California at Santa Barbara, CA: 1969

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2006-08 "Ecclesiastic Art Forms in a Post-Modern Context," traveling exhibition:  
Concordia University, Irvine, CA  
Signs of Life Gallery, Lawrence, KA  
John Brown University Gallery, Siloam Springs, AK  
2005 "Wayne Forte: Recent Paintings," Southern California Art Projects and Exhibitions (SCAPE), Corona del Mar, CA  
2004 "Embracing the Gray," Coast Hills Community Church, Aliso Viejo, CA  
2004 "Rediscovering a Tradition," Friesenberg Gallery, Northwest Nazarene University, Boise, ID  
2004 "My Brazil: 20 Years of Plein-Air Painting," Southern California Art Projects and Exhibitions, Corona del Mar, CA  
2003 "Biblical Subjects," Reynolds Gallery, Westmont College, Santa Barbara, CA  
2002 "Emergence," Fuller Theological Seminary, Pasadena, CA  
2002 "Figurative Paintings," 10 Chancery Lane Gallery, Hong Kong, China  
1999 "Paintings of Campos do Jordão," Municipal Art Gallery, Abernassia, Campos do Jordão, Brazil  
1997 "Compression," Diane Nelson Fine Arts, Laguna Beach, CA  
1996 "Charcoal Drawings 1986-1996," Diane Nelson Fine Arts, Laguna Beach, CA  
1996 "Great Cloud of Witnesses," Center Art Gallery, Calvin College, MI  
1995 "Objects from a Mixed Cultural Heritage," Intercontinental Hotel Makati, Manila, Philippines  
1994 "Discreet Pleasures," Louis Newman Gallery, Beverly Hills, CA  
1993 "Wayne Forte, Paintings on Paper," Ro Snell Gallery, Santa Barbara, CA  
1993 "Charcoal Figure Drawings," Louis Newman Gallery, Beverly Hills, CA  
1992 "Paintings, Charcoals & Colored Drawings," Williams-Lamb Gallery, Long Beach, CA  
1991 "Charcoal Paintings," Kimzey Miller Gallery, Seattle, WA  
1991 "Brazilian Themes," Diane Nelson Gallery, Laguna Beach, CA  
1990 "Painting the Contemporary Renaissance Figure," Village Gallery, Santa Barbara, CA  
1990 "Re-examining the Classical Figure," Diane Nelson Gallery, Laguna Beach, CA  
1989-90 "California Figures," traveling exhibition:  
Dowd Gallery, State University of New York at Cortland, NY  
Community College of the Finger Lakes, Canandaigua, NY  
New Visions Gallery, Ithica, NY  
Tyler Gallery, State University of New York at Oswego, NY  
1989 "Painting - Wayne Forte," Orange County Center for Contemporary Art at Hutto Centre, Santa Ana, CA  
1988 "The Force of the Figure," Ivey Gallery, Los Angeles, CA  
1988 "Brazilian Themes," Chez Nous Gallery, São Paulo, Brazil  
1972 "Graduate Exhibit," Graduate Gallery, University of California at Irvine, CA

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2008-09 "Succour: Gifts of Support and Solace," St. John's Church, Orange, CA; Crystal Cathedral's Richard Meier Center, Garden Grove, CA  
2008 "Seeing the Savior: Images From the Life of Christ," Woods Memorial Presbyterian Church, Severna Park, MD; stops in Quincy, MA; Seattle, WA; Springfield, MO; Wilmore, KY; Grantham, PA  
2007 "Cornerstone Festival Group Show," Chicago, IL  
2007 "The Great Commission: Lessons Learned, Wisdom Gained," Concordia University, Irvine, CA  
2006 "Dawn to Dawn: Journeys Through Pain to Freedom," St. John's Church, Orange, CA  
2005 "Poetry and Art: The Intuitive Connection," Signs of Life Gallery, Lawrence, KS

- 2004 "The Sacred and the Divine: Contemporary Expressions Acknowledging the Spirituality in Art," Southern California Art Projects and Exhibitions (SCAPE), Corona Del Mar, CA
- 2003 "The Riches of God's Grace," Coast Hills Community Church, Aliso Viejo, CA
- 2001 "The Pool Show," Diane Nelson Fine Arts, Pasadena, CA
- 2001 Group Show "Christians in the Visual Arts," University of Dallas, Dallas, TX
- 2001 "Inaugural Show," Festival One, Union University, Jackson, Tennessee
- 2001 "Working from Life: The Figure in Drawing," Reynolds Gallery, Westmont College, Santa Barbara, CA
- 2001 "The Pool Show," Diane Nelson Fine Arts, Pasadena, CA
- 2001 "Christians in the Visual Arts," University of Dallas, Dallas, TX
- 1995 "Nudes and Foods," Diane Nelson Fine Arts, Laguna Beach, CA
- 1995 "Italy Portfolio Exhibit," Pacific School of Religion, Berkeley, CA
- 1995 "CIVA Juried Exhibit," Bade Museum, UC Berkeley, CA
- 1994 "Kaumanggi Presence (Filipino / American Artists)," Skyline College Art Gallery, San Bruno, CA
- 1994 "Within Boundaries," Documenta Gallery, São Paulo, Brazil
- 1993 "CIVA Juried Exhibition Tour," Messiah College, Grantham, PA; stops in Wheaton, IL; Wenham, MA; Albany, NY; Grand Rapids, MI; Houghton, NY; Rochester, NY; Tom Torperzer, Juror
- 1993 "New Expressions in Myth & Legend," John Wayne Airport, Costa Mesa, CA
- 1992 "Group Show," Ro Snell Gallery, Santa Barbara, CA
- 1991 "Body & Soul," Drawing Invitational, Calvin College Art Gallery, Grand Rapids, MI
- 1991 "CIVA: Works on Paper," M. Louise Auginbaugh Gallery, Messiah College, Grantham, PA
- 1991 "A Persistent Witness," Loyola Marymount University Art Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 1990 "Monotypes," Williams-Lamb Gallery, Long Beach, CA
- 1990 "The Human Condition," Cultural Affairs Department, City of Los Angeles, Artspace Gallery, Woodland Hills, CA
- 1989 "Figure 8," Diane Nelson Gallery, Laguna Beach, CA
- 1988 "Brand XVIII," National Juried Competition, Brand Library Gallery, Glendale, CA
- 1988 "Visual Arts '88," Juried Show, Art Institute of Southern California, Laguna Beach, CA; Henry Hopkins, Juror
- 1987 "Cross Hatch," Biola University, La Mirada, CA
- 1981 "Group Show," Croqui Gallery, São Paulo, Brazil
- 1981 "One in the Spirit," First Baptist Church, Pasadena, CA
- 1978 First Biennial Juried Exhibition, L.A. Municipal Art Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 1972 "All California Show," Laguna Art Museum, Laguna Beach, CA
- 1970 "Three Print Makers," Del Sol Gallery, Santa Barbara, CA

## AWARDS & GRANTS

- 1994 Irvine Fine Arts Center, a floating studio residency, UC Irvine, CA
- 1993 Fieldstead Grant, CIVA Portfolio Project, "Etchings on the Theme 'Sacrifice in the Bible'," Santa Reparata Graphic Art Center, Florence, Italy
- 1988 Brand XIII Patron's Award
- 1985 Brandon Small Image Show, First Place
- 1968 State of California, Recipient, Hallmark Corporation, Art Scholarship

## RELATED EXPERIENCE

- 2006 Artist in Residence, Gordon College, Orvieto Campus, Orvieto, Italy
- 2005 Presenter, IMAGE Conference, Houston, TX
- 1987-88 Printmaking, Figure Drawing, Biola University, La Mirada, CA
- 1973 Teacher's Assistant, University of California, Irvine, CA

## SELECTED PRIVATE COLLECTIONS

Mrs. Suely Sperling	Sao Paulo, Brazil	Dr./Mrs. John Schmidt	Yorba Linda, CA
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M/M Randall Lewis	Laguna Beach, CA	Mr. Fess Parker	Santa Barbara, CA
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Concordia University	Irvine, CA