



VISUAL ARTIST & GRAPHIC DESIGNER

Education:

Visual Communications – Art Institute of Dallas

Professional Experience:

- Halo Creative (2004–Present)
- Owner, specializing in print and web design for various clients.
- Graphic Artist/Art Director (Various positions in Dallas & Denver 1992-2004)

Fine Art Career:

- Focus: Acrylic painting
- Active in Fine Art: Since 2007

Art Community Involvement:

- South Plains Art Community (2007-2017)
- Co-owner, Mesquite Queen Art Gallery
- Featured Artist, J Childs Gallery artist co-op
- Four-time participant in the Sit-A-Spell promotion (2014-2017)
- President, Post Art Guild (2 years) – Managed annual shows and led community art classes
- Frisco, TX Art Community (2017–Present)
- Member, Visual Arts Guild of Frisco
- Member, Visual Arts League of Allen
- Participant in local shows and events

Awards & Recognitions:

- 2025: Recipient *Member of the Year*, VAGF
- 2024: Ribbon Recipient *En Plein Air Frisco*
Featured Artist *Art in the Mayor's Office*
Nominee for *Artist of the Year*, VAGF
- 2023: One of 20 artists selected for City of Frisco's pole banner project on Main St
Recipient *Volunteer of the Year*, VAGF
Nominee for *Artist of the Year*, VAGF
Design chosen for *iHeartFrisco.com* installation at Frisco Discovery Center
- 2022: 3rd place *Creme de la Creme*, VAGF
- 2021: 1st place *Creme de la Creme*, VAGF
- 2020: 1st place *Creme de la Creme*, VAGF

Additional Projects:

Illustrated two children's books

Goal: To grow as an artist, support fellow artists, and continue contributing to the Frisco and surrounding art communities.