

# Jennie Trail Schaeffer

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## EDUCATION

BFA, *magna cum laude*, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY 2000  
Study Abroad, Syracuse University, Florence, Italy 1999

## Solo EXHIBITIONS

*Jewels of Italy*, Buccieri's GEMS & JEWELRY, Oak Ridge, NJ 2006  
*Enlightened Tiles*, Radiant Essentials, Newton, NJ  
*Appliance Portraits*, A Solo Show of Oils, The Snack Bar, Denville, NJ 2005  
*TraiIlWorks: Now Showing*, Rockingham Coffee Lounge, Boonton, NJ 2000  
*Defining Moments: Painting and Process*, White Cube Gallery, Syracuse, NY

## Selected Group EXHIBITIONS

*Blank Canvas Benefit*, Visual Arts Center of New Jersey, Summit, NJ 2007  
*30th Annual Art Exhibit and Sale*, Hilltop Country Day School, Sparta, NJ  
*ICON: Redefining Contemporary Pop Art*, Wired Gallery, Bethlehem, PA  
*2nd Annual Summer Show*, Art at the Mill, Lafayette, NJ  
*Romanticism*, Sussex County Arts & Heritage Council, Newton, NJ 2006  
*Tis the Season*, Art at the Mill, Lafayette, NJ  
*29th Annual Art Exhibit and Sale*, Hilltop Country Day School, Sparta, NJ  
*Large and Small Works*, APeX Gallery, Asbury Park, NJ  
*Woman's Art Walk*, 4th Annual Women's Art Festival, APeX Gallery, Asbury Park, NJ  
*Realism '06*, APeX Gallery, Asbury Park, NJ  
*Metamorphosis; A New Beginning*, Art at the Mill, Lafayette, NJ  
*People, Places & Things and The Hundred Dollar Show*, Art at the Mill, Lafayette, NJ  
*For Lovers Only*, Art at the Mill, Lafayette, NJ  
*Arts Desire*, Sussex County Arts & Heritage Council, Newton, NJ 2005  
*HOMEwork, Benefit Concert & Sneak Preview of HOME*, The Puffin Room, NYC  
*28th Annual Art Exhibit and Sale*, Hilltop Country Day School, Sparta, NJ  
*Artist's Choice*, Sussex County Arts Council, Newton, NJ  
*Art in Sussex County 46th Annual Exhibit*, Sussex County Fairgrounds, Augusta, NJ 2004  
*Non-Juried Show and Sale*, Somerset Art Association, Bedminster, NJ 2003  
*Non-Juried Show and Sale*, Somerset Art Association, Bedminster, NJ 1999  
*BFA Show*, School of Art and Design, Syracuse University, NY  
*BFA Group Show*, Storch Gallery, Syracuse Stage, Syracuse, NY

## Selected Juried EXHIBITIONS

*Peters Valley Craft Fair*, Sussex County Fairgrounds, Augusta, NJ 2007  
*Bethlehem Fine Arts Show*, Bethlehem, PA  
*30th Small Works*, 80 East Washington Square Galleries, NYU, New York, NY  
*21st International Juried Show*, Art Center of NJ, Summit, NJ 2006  
*19th Annual Skylands Juried Show & Sale*, Sussex County Arts Center, Newton, NJ 2005  
*Small Matters of Great Importance*, Hopper House Art Center, Nyack, NY

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Members' Annual Juried Show, Somerset Art Association, Bedminster, NJ 2004  
Summer Student Show, Lowe Art Gallery, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY 2000

## AWARDS & HONORS

Guest Artist in Residence - Special Topics, Peters Valley Craft Center, Layton, NJ 2008  
Best New Artist, Skylands Juried Art Show, Sussex County Arts Council 2006  
Tranquility Gallery Award, Skylands Juried Art Show, Sussex County Arts Council  
Honorable Mention, Members' Annual Juried Show, Somerset Art Association 2004  
2nd Place - Hiram Gee Senior Painting Award, Senior Painting Competition, Syracuse University 2000  
First Place Mixed Media, Riverfest Outdoor Exhibition, Phillipsburg, NJ 1996

## Artistic COLLABORATIONS

Set Designer for HOME, ACFDance, Inc., 14th Street Y Theater, NYC 2005

## COLLECTIONS

Mountain Creek, Vernon, NJ  
Syracuse University Student Print Collection, Syracuse, NY

## BIBLIOGRAPHY

Kelly Heyboer. *Life of the Artist*. Jersey Blogs. Star Ledger, April 27  
[http://blog.nj.com/jerseyblogs/2007/04/life\\_of\\_the\\_artist.html](http://blog.nj.com/jerseyblogs/2007/04/life_of_the_artist.html) 2007  
Dave Zimmer. *Local artist exhibits works at Jewelers*. AIM Jefferson, November 3  
*Apex Gallery New Realism Show Features Many Local Artists*. Upstage Magazine,  
<http://www.upstagemagazine.com>, September 4 2006  
*New Jersey Arts Calendar*, New York Times, September 3, Feature image  
*The 4th Annual Women's Arts Festival*. Upstage Magazine,  
<http://www.upstagemagazine.com>, August 27  
Joe Moszczynski, *Artist means to eat well, and paint the stove, too*. Star-Ledger,  
February 23

## Professional ASSOCIATIONS

BOAS (*Business of Art Sussex*), Co-founder & President 2007  
Sussex County Arts & Heritage Council, Member 2005 - present  
Chairperson, 2007 20th Annual Juried Skylands Art Show and Sale  
Chairperson, 2006 19th Annual Juried Skylands Art Show and Sale  
Visual Arts Committee Member  
Somerset Art Association, Member 2003 - 2004

## Teaching EXPERIENCE

Workshop Instructor, Hilltop Country Day School Teachers' Orientation, Sparta, NJ 2007  
Workshop Instructor, Teen Arts, Sussex County Community College, Newton, NJ

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Fine Arts Teacher, Private Lessons, TraillWorks, Newton, NJ	2006 - present
Fine Arts Teacher, Hunterdon Central Regional High School, Flemington, NJ	2002 - 2003
Fine Arts Teacher, Copeland Middle School, Rockaway Township, NJ	2001 - 2002