

Writing your Artistic Resume

You must include an artistic resume of no more than 2 pages with your application. An artistic resume will include an artist's statement and information about your artistic training and education; exhibition, publication, or performance record; awards and grants; and other pertinent activities related to your involvement in the arts. The following is a suggested format for your resume.

Start with your **Artistic Statement**.

This statement should explain exactly what it is that you do and your involvement with your work.

Under **Education and Training**

mention both your formal arts education (certificates or degrees from art schools or universities); classes or workshops taken; and informal mentorship opportunities. Examples could be musicians or work with culturally significant art forms.

Under **Employment**, list your arts related job experiences.

This next section should be suitably titled to your discipline:

Readings/Publications, Exhibitions, or Performances, etc. List the activities by their date, starting with the most recent.

Under **Awards and Collections**, list awards you have received and both public and private collections that have acquired your work. Private individuals that own your work can be put together under a heading.

First and Last Name

123 First Avenue
Cambridge, MN 55008

Artistic Statement

The focus of my work is natural surroundings of marsh and wooded areas. In the past it has been in the form of naturalistic landscapes but in the last two years I have been experimenting with color and form in an effort to represent the essence of nature we find around us.

Education/Training

- M.F.A Degree in Art from the University of Minnesota 2005
- Graduate Level Painting Classes at the University of Iowa 2010, 2012, 2014

Employment

- Art Instructor, Pine Technical & Community College, Pine City, Minnesota, 2015 – Present
- Adjunct Assistant Professor in Art, University of Minnesota, Duluth, 2006 - 2015

Exhibitions (partial listing)

- Painting and Drawings, Solo Exhibition, Jaques Art Center, Aitkin, MN 2019
- Recent Paintings, Solo Exhibition, Pine Center for the Arts, Pine City, MN 2018
- Paintings and Drawings, Solo Exhibition, Cambridge Medical Center, Cambridge, MN 2015
- Faculty Art Exhibition, Tweed Museum of Art, UMD, Duluth, MN 2007, 2011, 2012, 2014

Awards and Collections

- Judge's Choice Award at Annual IMAGE Art Show, Braham, MN 2018
- 1st Place, Annual In. Art Show & Competition, Wyoming, MN 2017
- Work in private collections in Duluth, Cambridge, Minneapolis and St. Paul, MN

Memberships

- Artists of Minnesota
- Minnesota Citizens for the Arts

Other headings you may want to include in your resume are:

- **Mentors** with whom you have worked (including formal, informal, traditional, non-traditional)
- **Presentations/Artists in Education/Workshops** which you have taught or attended, including residencies in schools.
- **Residencies** in which you have taken part.
- **Commissions** which you have received.