



Classical Realism Oil Painting Class

Instructed by: Miss Kamden Ecker



Classes are every Friday 4:00 – 6:00 P.M. at
Southern Heartland Art Gallery.

Fee: \$40 per class

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realistically. In this class you will learn not only how to paint, but will gain an understanding of classical techniques, and delve deep into the lives of the masters.

About the instructor:

I am a classical realist oil painter specializing in florals. All of my paintings are composed with the utilization of a limited palette, as I believe a limited palette allows the artist to achieve more color harmony throughout a work of art. I have a deep admiration for art history, and the technical aspects of painting. Color theory and the chemistry of pigments greatly intrigue me as well. Over the past few years, I have amassed a collection of over one-hundred art history books ranging in topics from famous masters to the documentation of the forgotten Olympic art competitions. When I am not in the studio painting, I enjoy reading books from my collection, playing classical harp and piano music, and crocheting.



Ecker, Today, 11" x 14", oil on archival linen panel

Supplies:

Oil Paints: (Holbein is the brand I use.)

- Holbein Titanium White 110 mL
- Holbein Cadmium Yellow Deep 20 mL
- Holbein Cadmium Yellow Light 20 mL
- Holbein Alizarin Crimson 40 mL
- Holbein Yellow Ochre 40 mL
- Holbein Terra Rosa 40 mL
- Holbein Payne's Grey 40 mL
- Holbein Blue Black 40 mL
- Holbein Ivory Black 40 mL
- Holbein Sap Green 40 mL

You can also use the brands Winsor & Newton, or Gamblin.

Brushes - Princeton Velvet Touch:

- Filbert sizes 4, 6, 8
- Round size 2, 4
- Wash size $\frac{3}{4}$
- Oval Mop size $\frac{3}{4}$
- Liner size 10/0

You may use another brush brand; however, I recommend getting synthetic bristle brushes in filberts and rounds. Rosemary, Escoda, and Princeton brushes hold up the best and will last a long time, compared to cheaper brands.

- Amaco Paragona 11" x 14" oval glass palette
- Gamblin Gamsol Odorless Mineral Spirits
- Newton Air-Tight Stainless-Steel Brush Washer
- Blick RGM Painting Knife Style 2
- Masterson Sta-Wet Palette Seal
- 12" x 16" x $\frac{3}{32}$ " Clear Glass (For the inside of the Masterson Palette Seal)
- 18" Clear Acrylic Ruler
- Faber Castell 9000 Series Graphite Pencil F
- Eraser

*For the first class, please bring a 16" x 20" canvas, in addition to the supplies above.

