

Fine Arts Scholastic Awards



2017

Fine Art at Christian Academy

*“The heavens proclaim the glory of God.
The skies display His craftsmanship.
Day after day they continue to speak;
Night after night they make Him known.” Psalm 19:1-2*

Artistic expression provides unique and creative ways to share God-given gifts and talents to impact others. Through Christian Academy’s growing and award-winning School of the Arts, students have numerous opportunities to develop their gifts.

Art students at the English Station campus of Christian Academy School System were awarded 56 Scholastic Arts Awards in 2017 at the Louisville Metropolitan Region Student Art Awards Ceremony.

“This is the largest art competition in the world with more than 330,000 students competing. It is such an honor for our students to have their work selected for 28 Honorable Mentions, 14 Silver Keys and 14 Gold Keys, which also included 1 National Gold Medal, 6 National Silver Medals and 1 National American Visionary Award,” art teacher Tammy Cusick said. “Our students are gifted artists and work throughout their high school art career to assemble a quality portfolio including these pieces.”

Each year, the art program focuses on building the strength of each individual student recognizing each class is unique. Cusick focuses their attention on learning and improving their strengths.

For 13 years, Cusick was the middle school art teacher and is currently in her eighth year at the high school level. The art program continues to grow and enrolls more students each year. We now offer 13 different art classes ranging from drawing, painting, ceramics, sculpture and the digital arts. We offer AP Studio Drawing, AP 2-D Design and AP 3-D Design.

“In our upper levels we discuss art and learn to critique art as well. Students give and take honest criticism and feedback, helping each other improve their art,” Cusick said.

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The Breakdown

Gold Key: The highest level of achievement on the regional level. Approximately 7 – 10% of all regional submissions are recognized with Gold Key Awards and all are considered for national-level recognition.

Silver Key: Approximately 10 – 15% of all regional submissions are recognized with Silver Key Awards.

Honorable Mention: This Award recognizes students with artistic potential. Approximately 15 – 20% of all regional submissions receive Honorable Mention Awards.

Gold Key Awards



Sangmin Bak
Drawing
“Life”



Zach Bohannon
Photography
“Are You There?”

Gold Key Awards



Zach Bohannon
Photography
“Savannah”



Zach Bohannon
Photography
“Endless”

Gold Key Awards



Zach Bohannon
Photography
“Reminder”



Rachel Day
Drawing
“Melting Towers”

Gold Key Awards



Rachel Day
Drawing
“Train of Thought”



Ella Loyd
Portfolio
“Retrospect”

Gold Key Awards



Morgan Miller
Drawing
"Tarnish"



Samantha Minrath
Drawing
“Stained”

Gold Key Awards



Samantha Minrath
Drawing
“Shock”



Jacob Moffitt
Photography
“A Summer Day in the Concrete Jungle”

Gold Key Awards

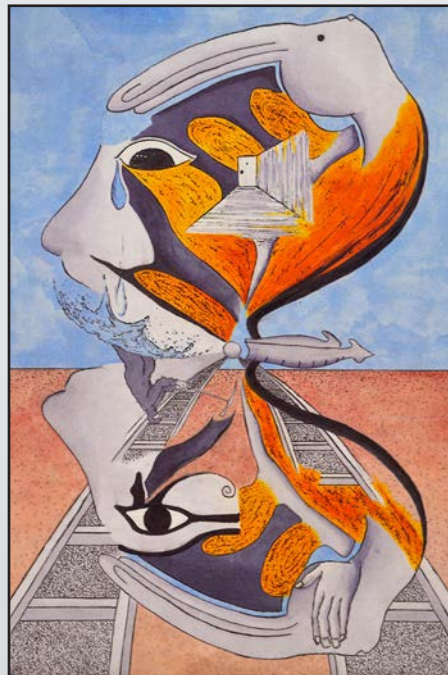


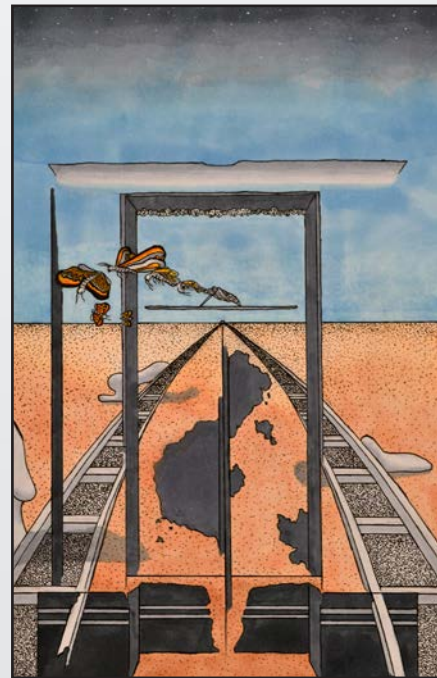
Macey Sloss
Drawing
“Ramshackle”



Emily Willing
Digital Art
“Fractalized”

Silver Key Awards





Sangmin Bak
Portfolio
“Life Journey”

Silver Key Awards



Sangmin Bak
Ceramics
“Wave of Relief”

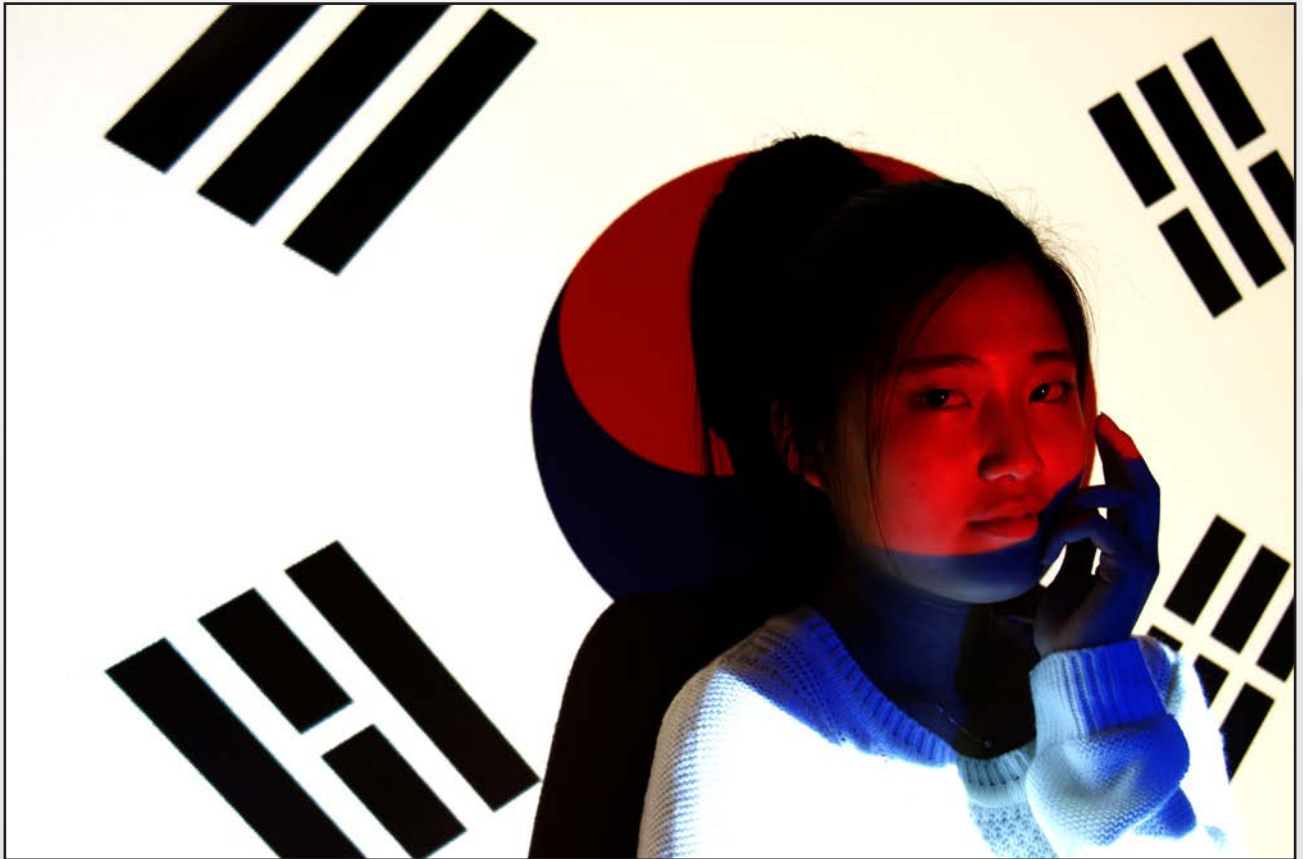


Adelaide Brunton
Drawing
“Withdrawal”

Silver Key Awards



Autumn Chelf
Drawing
“Class Portrait”

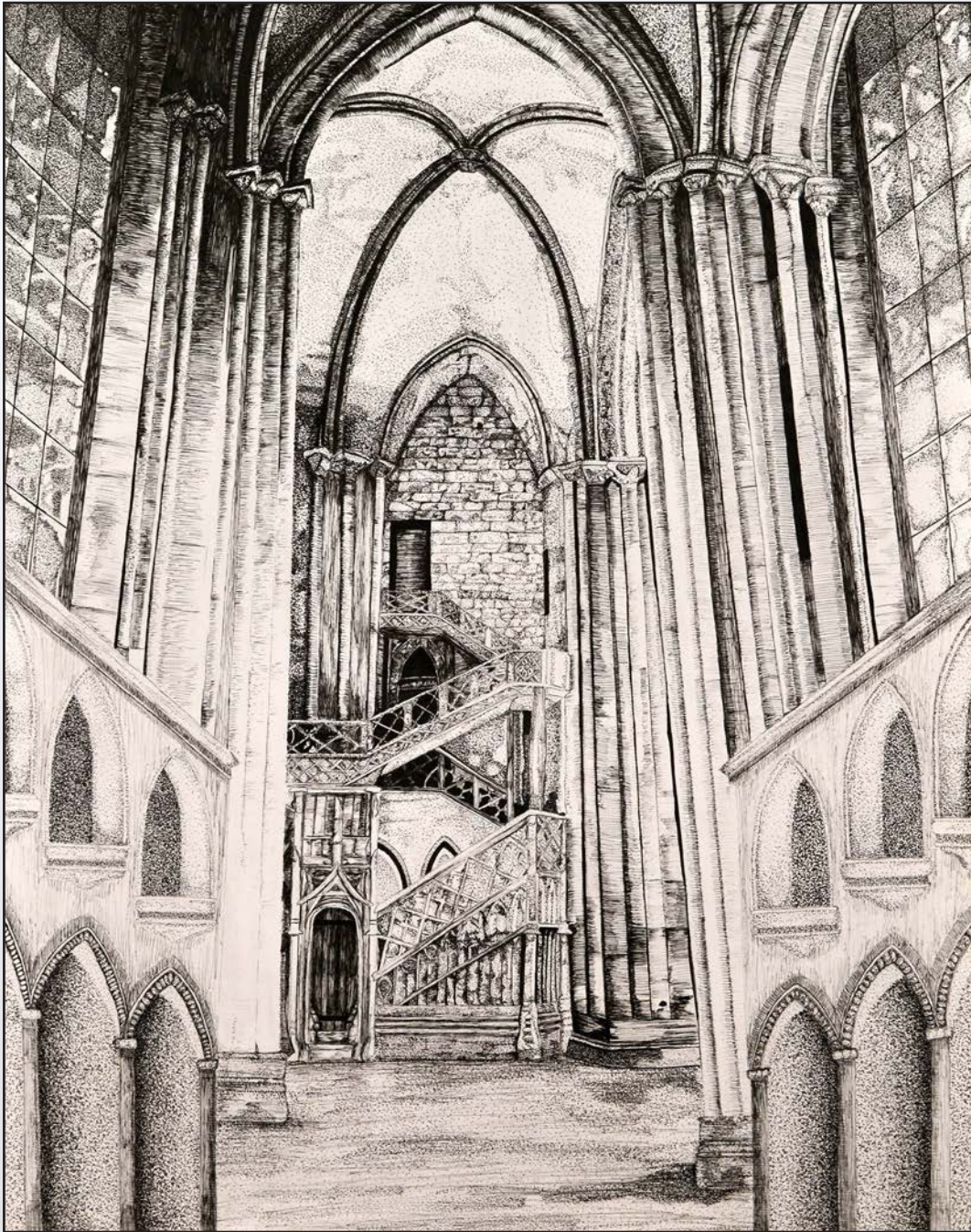


Emily Head
Photography
“Patriot”

Silver Key Awards



Ella Loyd
Drawing
“Sloss in a Bottle”



Ella Loyd
Drawing
“Coistered”

Silver Key Awards



Maddie McGill
Painting
“Hope”

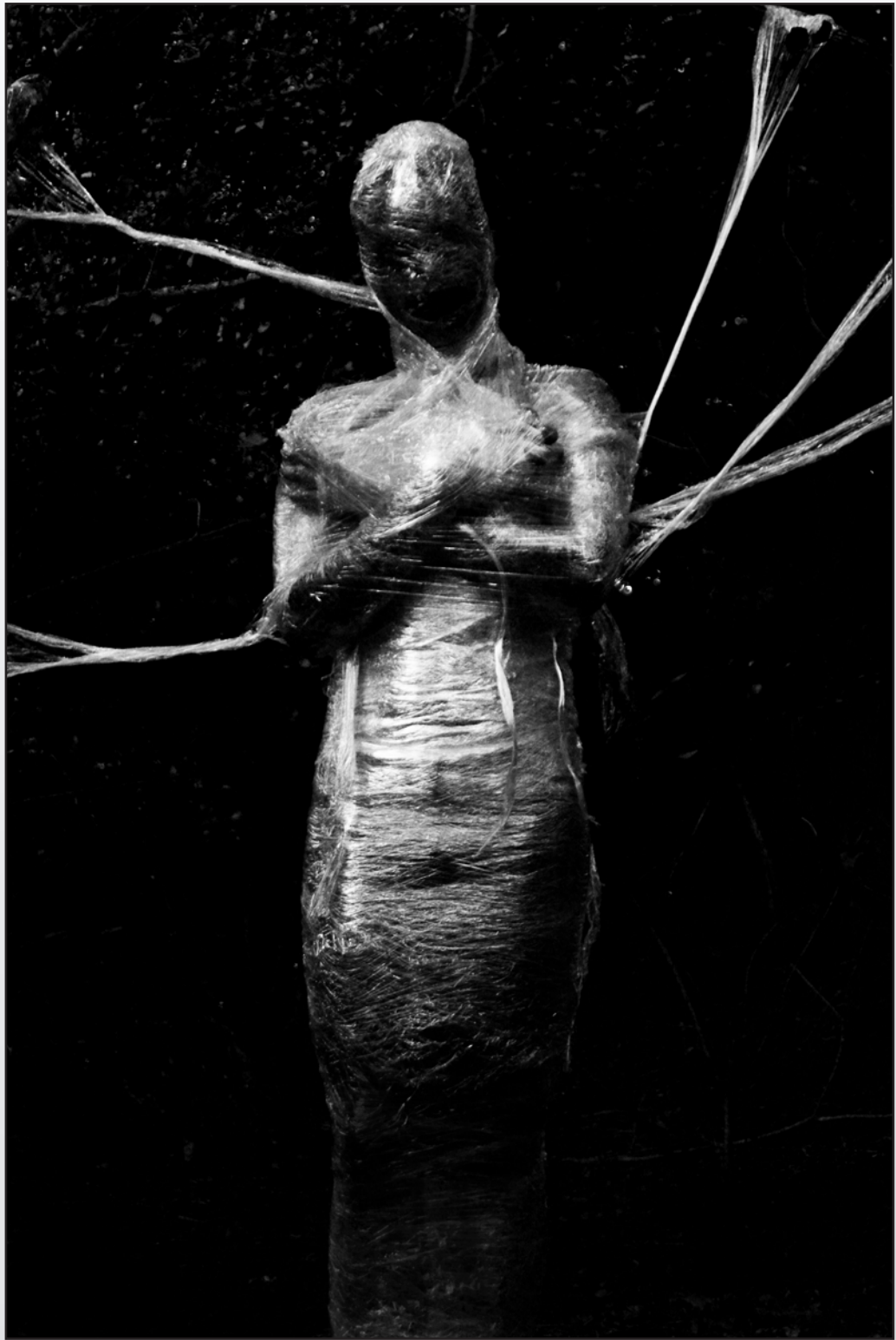


Maddie McGill
Drawing
“Tormented”

Silver Key Awards

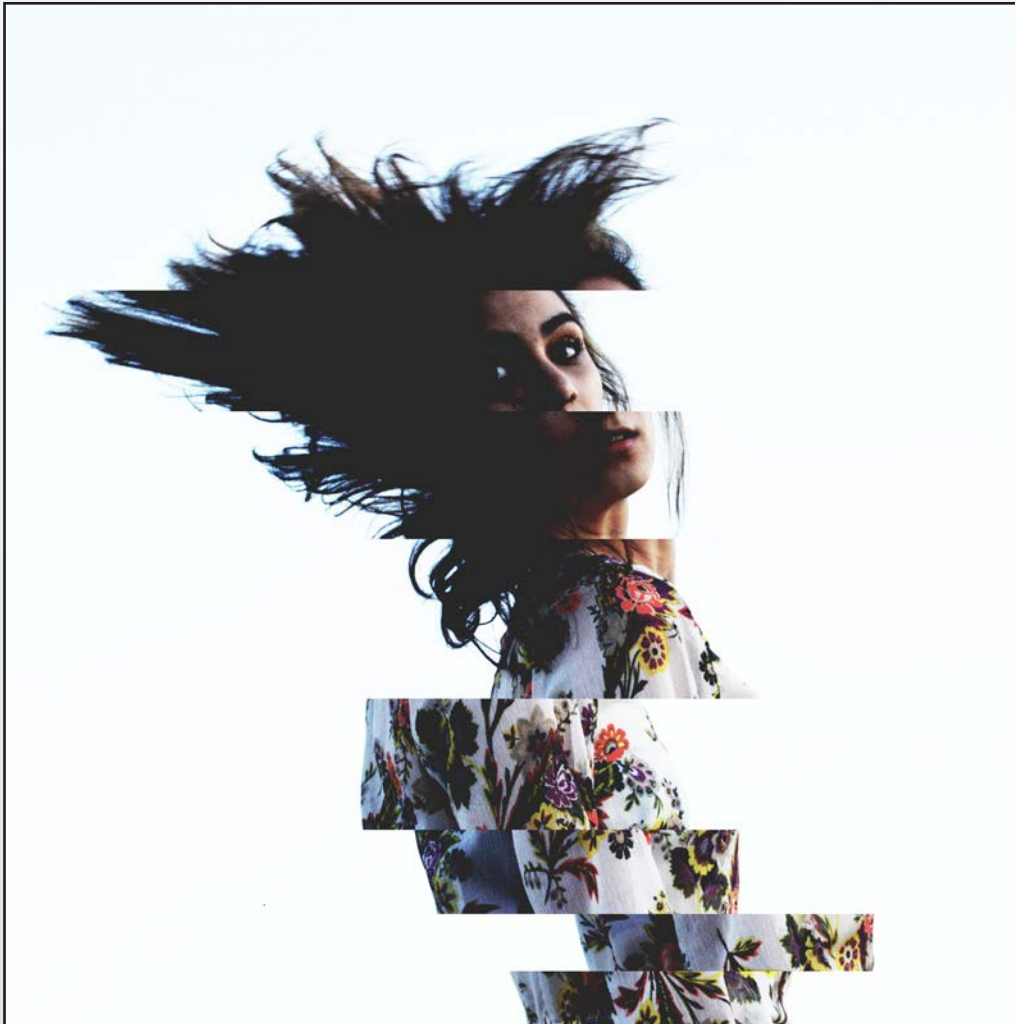


Morgan Miller
Drawing
"Bliss"



Jacob Moffitt
Photography
“Mummification”

Silver Key Awards



Jacob Moffitt
Photography
“Whiplash”



Rachel Shelton
Drawing
"Celestial"

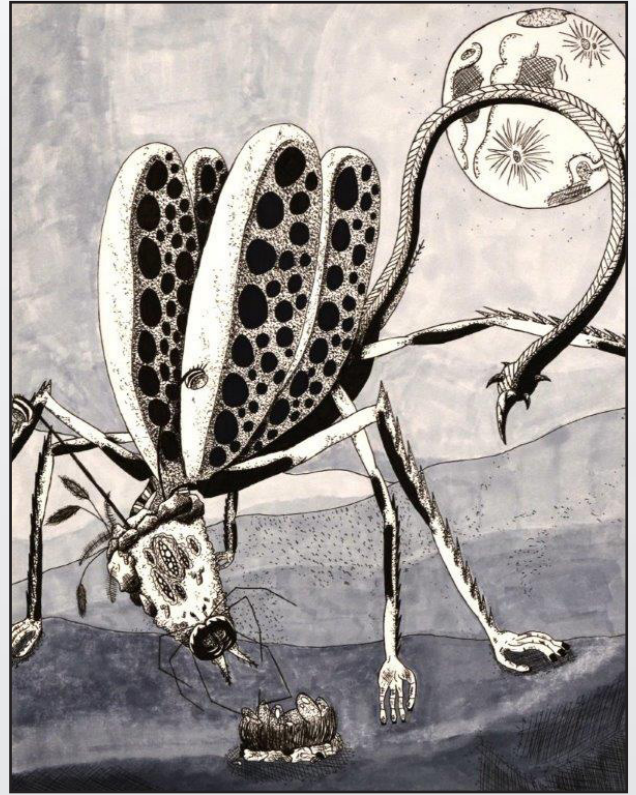
Silver Key Awards



Daisy Slucher
Drawing
“Insight”

Honorable Mention

Ethan Bauer
Portfolio
“Grey’s Perspective”



Zach Bohannon
Photography
“Rapt”

Honorable Mention

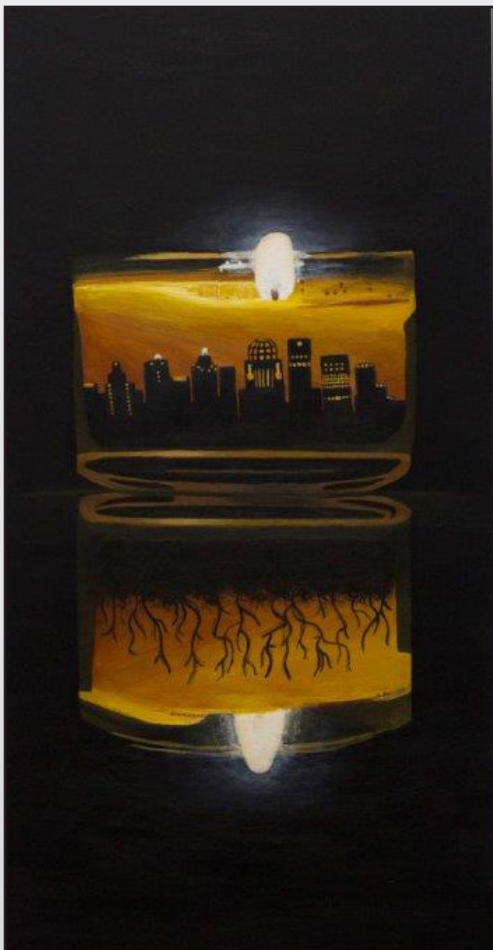


Zach Bohannon
Digital Art
“Heartbreak”

Isabella Griffiee
Photography
“Into the Eye”



Reed Heiskell
Portfolio
“Emotional Iceberg”



Anna Kimbell
Painting
“City Lights”

Honorable Mention



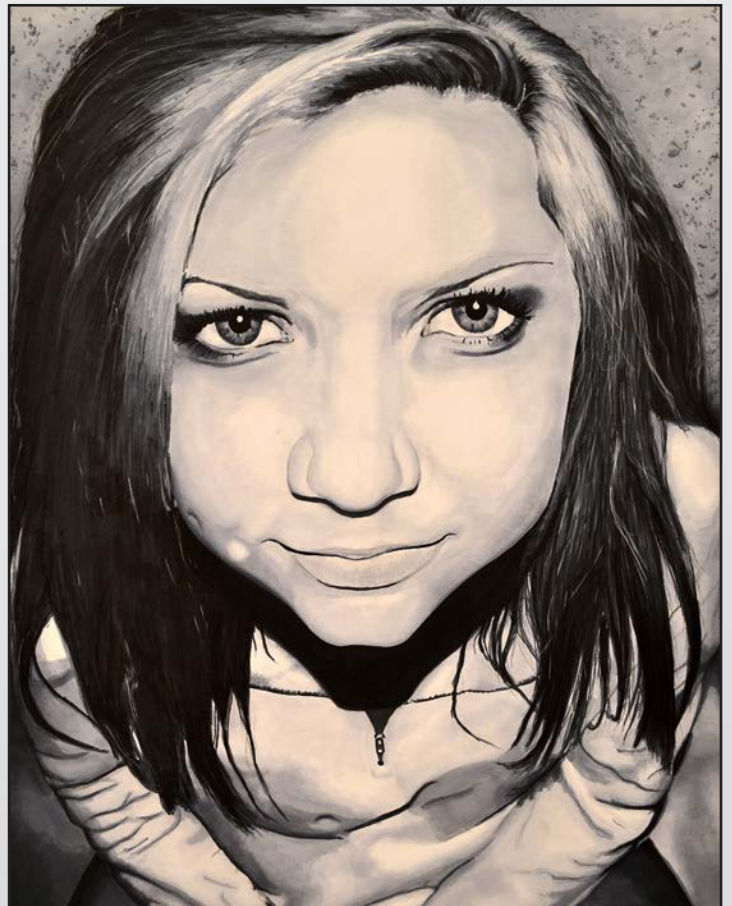
Kasey Koczko
Portfolio
“Lore”

Kasey Koczko
Mixed Media
“Doscontent”





Ella Loyd
Painting
“Breaking Point”



Maddie McGill
Drawing
“Ellie”

Honorable Mention



Maddie McGill
Portfolio
“Revealed”

Samantha Minrath
Painting
“Brenna”





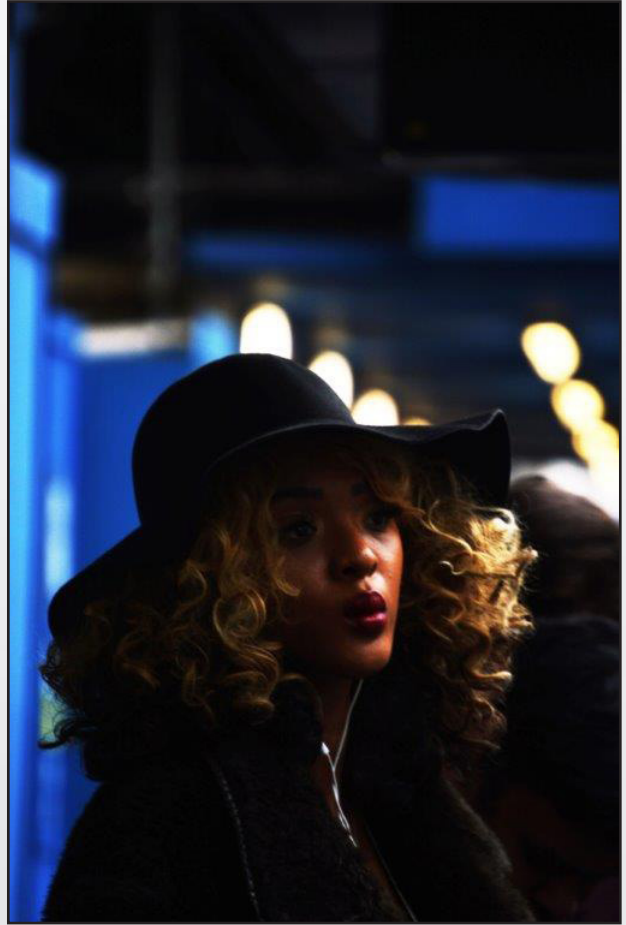
Jacob Moffitt
Portfolio
“City Dwellers”



Jacob Moffitt
Photography
“Final Farewell”

Honorable Mention

Jacob Moffitt
Photography
“A Woman at a Bus Stop”



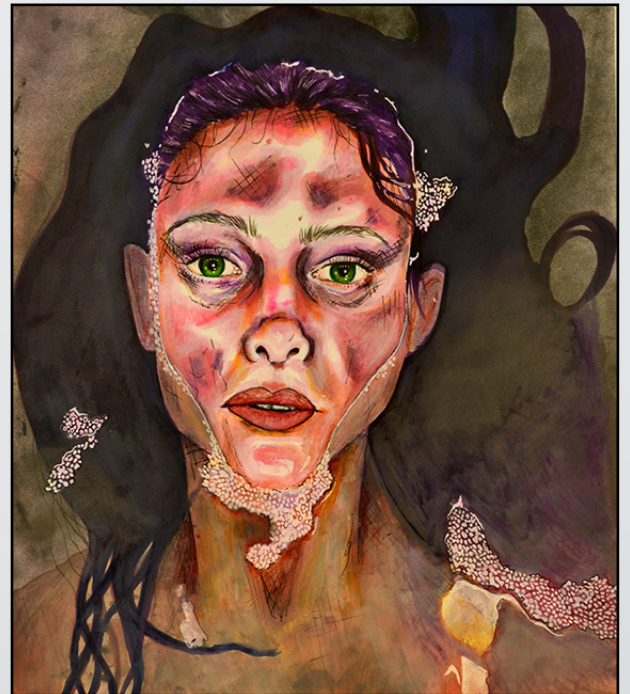
Alexis Nunn
Photography
“Survivor”



Tanner Reiser
Photography
“Football in Action”



Rachel Shelton
Drawing
“Abscission”



Rachel Shelton
Drawing
“Conscious”

Honorable Mention



Macey Sloss
Drawing
“Looking Out”

Macey Sloss
Drawing
“A Mother’s Love”





Daisy Slucher
Drawing
“Hattie”



Daisy Slucher
Drawing
“Zilla”

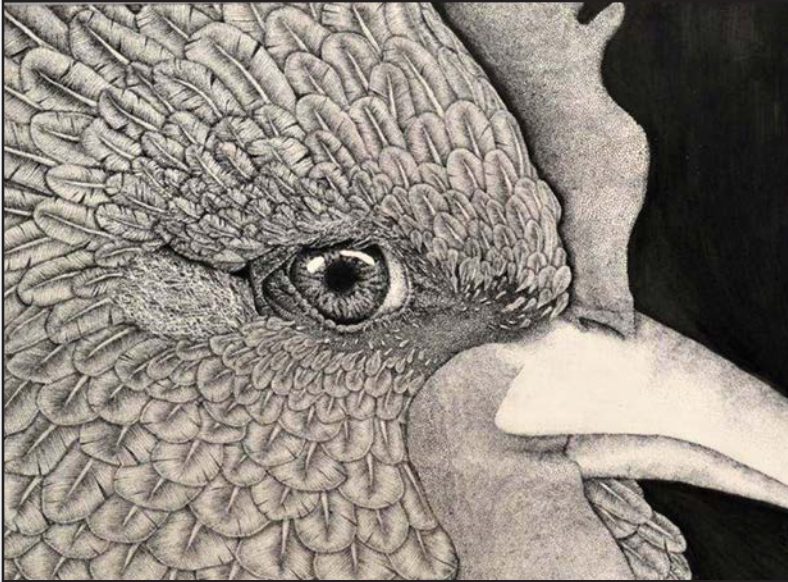
Honorable Mention



Jacob Spencer
Portfolio
“Liquid Animation”

Sarah Starmer
Photography
“Grasshopper”





Rebecca Wendelin
Drawing
“Chicken”



Douglas Williams
Drawing
“Turtles”



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