

# Anthony (Tony) Sansalone

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## EDUCATION

2023 **Master of Arts-Business: Arts and Creative Enterprise Leadership Candidate, University of Wisconsin-Madison (expected graduation May 2024)**

Required coursework: Arts Administration I and II, Arts Entrepreneurship I and II, Impact Consulting for Arts-Based Organizations and Communities I and II, Professional Development for Arts Leadership I and II, Nonprofit Governance and Board Membership, Business Strategy

2022 **Bachelor of Fine Arts, Bowling Green State University (Ohio), May 2022**

Studio Arts with a focus in Drawing, Painting, and Printmaking

GPA: 3.779, Summa Cum Laude

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Chazen Museum of Art Café Program Coordinator, Chazen Museum of Art, Madison, Wisconsin  
September 2023 - Current**

- Creating and coordinating program events to boost revenue during slow hours of operation at the Chazen Museum of Art.
- Managing the marketing and social media regarding specific café programming.

**Events, Grant/Outreach Coordinator, Mansfield Art Center, Mansfield, Ohio**

**April 2022 - October 2023**

- Managing and coordinating events as well as implementing all educational classes and workshops through the MAC's public studio spaces by collaborating with instructors and students.
- Developed a week-long art education program titled *Art Within Reach* for displaced youth enrolled in the Mansfield School Districts S.A.F.E. Homeless Program. Students participated in glassblowing, glass fusing, mosaics, drawing, painting, 3D printing and more.
  - The next session of *Art Within Reach* will be held in Summer 2023 providing two weeks of camps for 70 students in the Mansfield (Ohio) community. Exclusively funded through grants and community sponsored donations secured under my leadership.
- Created a *Senior Social Sunday Art Club* that provides free art to seniors facing social isolation. Funded through a \$10,000 grant from the Ohio Area Agency on Aging.
- Secured \$50,000 in grants and donations targeted to arts education programs/outreach for the Mansfield community, \$43,000 in Sustainability grants through the Ohio Arts Council, and \$75,600 (pending approval) from the Ohio Department of Development
- Collaborate with local nonprofits and organizations to provide arts outreach initiatives to include the United Way of Richland (Ohio) County, UMADAOP (Urban Minority Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Outreach Programs), Wounded Warrior, and also serve as the Mansfield Art Center liaison for the Kennedy Center Partners in Education Program.
- Managing a team of six college interns, six, high school interns, and numerous student volunteers, ensuring effective coordination and successful execution of projects.
- Collaborate with local public school teachers to provide and instruct art-related field trips to students during the academic year.

## **Art Outreach Intern, Mansfield Art Center, Mansfield, Ohio**

**May 2021 - August 2021**

- Created lesson plans and prepared materials needed to teach classes through the outreach program that offered art instruction to inner-city youth in various parks in the local community.
- Created 300 weekly Art-To-Go bags. Bags included instructions and materials needed to complete each activity. Extra bags were donated to local women's shelters.

## **Events Coordinator for Boston Mills ArtFest, Peninsula, Ohio**

**January - July 2023**

- Coordinate a prominent art festival featuring 300 artists from 36 states.
- Maintain regular communication with artists and managing payments.

## **GRANTS (PROFESSIONAL)**

- 2023 "Summertime Kids Grant", Richland County Foundation
- Funding for *Art Within Reach Program* at the MAC (\$2,500).
- "ArtsNEXT", Ohio Arts Council (pending approval)
- Funding for *Art Within Reach Program* at the MAC (\$5,500).
- "Intern Grant", Richland County Foundation
- Funding to provide Outreach Art Teachers to the MAC (\$15,000).
- "Fran and Warren Rupp Fund Grant", Richland County Foundation
- Funding to cover cost of art supplies for MAC's Outreach Initiatives (\$10,560).
- "Social Isolation Grant", Ohio District 5 Area Agency on Aging
- Funding for *Senior Social Sunday Art Club* at the MAC (\$10,000).
- "Arts Economic Relief Grant", Ohio Department of Development (pending approval)
- COVID Relief Grant (\$75,600).
- "Richard and Arline Landers Grant", KMM
- Funding to make an entrance doorway at the MAC ADA Handicap Accessible (\$6,500).
- "Sustainability", Ohio Arts Council
- Funding to sustain programs and exhibitions at the MAC (\$43,000).
- "Winter Intern Grant", Richland County Foundation
- Funding to provide a college student a paid internship through the MAC

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- 2023 Advanced Figure Drawing, Mansfield Art Center, Mansfield, Ohio | *Adults*
- 2022 Beginner Drawing, Mansfield Art Center, Mansfield, Ohio | *Adults and Youth*
- Realistic Portrait Drawing Workshop, Mansfield Art Center, Mansfield, Ohio | *Adults*
- Glassblowing Instructor, Mansfield Art Center, Mansfield, Ohio | *Adults and Youth*
- Digital Art, Mansfield Art Center, Mansfield, Ohio | *Youth*
- Tufting, Mansfield Art Center, Mansfield, Ohio | *Adults*
- Ceramics, Mansfield Art Center, Mansfield, Ohio | *Youth*
- 2021 Beginner Oil Painting, Mansfield Art Center, Mansfield, Ohio | *Adults*
- STEAM Art, Mansfield Art Center, Mansfield, Ohio | *Youth*

## **CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS (PROFESSIONAL)**

- 2023 Active Shooter Training, Richland Area Chamber and Economic Development – June 15

- Kennedy Center Partners in Education Conference, The Kennedy Center - Washington, D.C. - January 29 - February 3.
- 2022 Arts Impact Ohio Conference 2022, Ohio Arts Council - Akron, Ohio - October 5-6.  
Richland County (Ohio) Foundation Grant Writing Workshop, Richland County Foundation Offices, August 15.

### **AWARDS AND HONORS (ART)**

- 2023 Susan B. Smith Fiber Award, 78th Annual May Show, Mansfield Art Center, Elizabeth T. Black Gallery, Mansfield, Ohio
- 2022 Monier Family Foundation Outstanding Artist Award, Bowling Green State University BFA Thesis Exhibition, Dorothy Uber Bryan Gallery, Bowling Green, Ohio
- 2021 Best of Show, 76th Annual May Show, Mansfield Art Center, Elizabeth T. Black Gallery, Mansfield, Ohio  
Best of Show Medici Circle Award, 70th Annual BGSU Undergraduate Exhibition, Dorothy Uber Bryan Gallery, Bowling Green, Ohio  
1st Place in Drawing, 70th Annual BGSU Undergraduate Exhibition, Dorothy Uber Bryan Gallery, Bowling Green, Ohio  
2nd Place in Drawing, 70th Annual BGSU Undergraduate Exhibition, Dorothy Uber Bryan Gallery, Bowling Green, Ohio  
Talent Award Scholarship, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio  
Artwork Selected for promotional billboards for Mansfield Art Center (4 total) | *June - December*

### **GROUP EXHIBITIONS (ART)**

- 2022 Humanscapes, Sandusky Cultural Center, Sandusky, Ohio

### **JURIED EXHIBITIONS (ART)**

- 2023 78th Annual May Show, Mansfield Art Center, Elizabeth T. Black Gallery, Mansfield, Ohio
- 2022 77th Annual May Show, Mansfield Art Center, Elizabeth T. Black Gallery, Mansfield, Ohio  
"Zenith, BFA Thesis Exhibition, Bowling Green State University, Dorothy Uber Bryan Gallery, Bowling Green, Ohio
- 2021 12th Annual Figurative Drawing and Painting Exhibition, Susquehanna University, Lore DeGenstein Gallery, Susquehanna, Pennsylvania  
Throughlines, Contemporary Drawing Exhibition, Indianapolis Art Center, Indianapolis, Indiana  
Chasing Ghosts VI: Piercing the Veil through Remembrance, Legacy, and Beyond, Vermum Ultimum Art Gallery, Portland, Oregon  
Mi Si Artist Guild 2021 Virtual Exhibition Art Show, MSAG Fine Arts of Snoqualmie Valley, Snoqualmie, Washington  
Children 2021 (Exhibition and Publication) by Gallerium Art Exhibition and The Book of Arts Publication, Toronto, Canada  
43402, Red Door Gallery, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio  
76th Annual May Show, Mansfield Art Center, Mansfield, Ohio  
Spring Show, Art Space Lima, Lima, Ohio  
29th Annual Downtown Bowling Green Art Walk, Bowling Green, Ohio

- 70th Annual Undergraduate Art Exhibition, Bowling Green State University, Dorothy Uber Bryan Gallery, Bowling Green, Ohio
- 2020 69th Annual Undergraduate Art Exhibition, Bowling Green State University, Dorothy Uber Bryan Gallery, Bowling Green, Ohio
- 2021 68th Annual Undergraduate Art Exhibition, Bowling Green State University, Dorothy Uber Bryan Gallery, Bowling Green, Ohio

### **NEWS ARTICLES AND INTERVIEWS (PROFESSIONAL)**

- 2023 “Focus on North Central Ohio” WMFD TV. Chelley Kemper. Mansfield, Ohio - May 30  
 “State Program Offers \$1K Per Child for Education and Enrichment Programs” Richland Source. Katie Ellington. Mansfield, Ohio - May 8
- 2022 “United Way Partners with Mansfield Schools, Nonprofits to Address Absenteeism” Richland Source. Katie Ellington. Mansfield, Ohio - November 11

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- 2022 “Get out to see *Humanscapes*” Sandusky Register. Andy Ouriel. Sandusky, Ohio - October 12
- 2021 “Ontario Alumnus Earns Spots in Exhibitions in North America” Richland Source (Katie Ellington) Mansfield, Ohio - November 19
- “BGSU Student Painters Exhibit Work in Red Door Gallery” BG Independent News (David Dupont) Bowling Green, Ohio - November 11
- “Chasing Ghosts VI: Piercing the Veil Through Remembrance, Legacy and Beyond” Vernum Ultimum Art Gallery (Paperback Exhibition Book)
- “Best of Show Artist Tony Sansalone Draws on Pandemic for Inspiration” BG Independent News (David Dupont) Bowling Green, Ohio - February 15, 2021
- “Mansfield Art Center’s 76th Annual May Show runs through June 6” Mansfield News Journal. Mansfield, Ohio - May 6, 2021
- “Ontario Grad Wins Top Honor at BGSU Showcase.” Richland Source (Katie Ellington) Mansfield, Ohio - February 18, 2021
- “Meet Your Neighbor: Artist Tony Sansalone likes to Draw Big” Mansfield News Journal (Zach Tuggle) Mansfield, Ohio - February 16, 2021
- “Sansalone Artwork Featured in Exhibit.” Tribune-Courier Mansfield, Ohio - February 16, 2021.
- “BGSU Holds Annual Art, Design Exhibition.” The Toledo Blade (Roberta Hedert) Toledo, Ohio February 15, 2021

### **ORGANIZATIONS (ART)**

- 2022 Vice President, 2DAA, Two-Dimensional Arts Association, Bowling Green State University.  
 Print Society, Bowling Green State University
- 2020 2DAA, Two-Dimensional Arts Association, Bowling Green State University

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