LOUISIANA WATERCOLOR SOCIETY
45th Annual International Exhibition
CHRIS KRUPINSKI AWS, NWS, LWS
Juror

2015 FIRST PLACE
Vickie Nelson LWS
“Godzilla”
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The Louisiana Watercolor Society’s Annual International Exhibition is now celebrating forty-five years of bringing the best of the country’s and the world’s watercolor paintings to New Orleans for all to see what wonders can be achieved with a brush, paper and some tubes of paint. All troubles seem to melt away as I gaze at these excellent paintings in person. Seeing the show is like being transported on a magic carpet. Art has that effect on people. I am privileged to be a part of this organization and to be associated with all the wonderful artists who participate in our show and all of our member-volunteers who make the show possible.

Thanks go to this year’s Show Chair, Cathy Goodier, her Co-Chair, Susan Copping, and also Monica Bishara, Louise Hansen, Reachel Mayeur, Jean Mitchell, Rick Wilke. Thank you to our reception food committee—Cathy Goodier, Jean Mitchell, Diane Newman and Rita Congemi. A big thank-you also goes to our Juror/judge, Chris Krupinski, AWS, NWS, LWS, who has chosen the beautiful show this year. Thank you to Auseklis Ozols and The New Orleans Academy of Fine Arts for lending us their beautiful gallery for our venue this year. And thanks to Susan Shepherd and Place St. Charles for hosting our Encore Show.

In closing, my advice is to let your eyes linger on the paintings. Notice the brushwork, the washes, the colors and how they’ve mingled on the paper to form the compositions that make up our 45th Annual International Exhibition. You will be transported - just like I am. Enjoy!

Karen Larmeau Stakelum, LWS
President, Louisiana Watercolor Society
I am very pleased to have had the opportunity to jury the Louisiana Watercolor Society’s 45th International Exhibition. Thank you must be extended to the LWS Board for all the hard work and effort that make a show like this possible.

I was presented with the entries and had the daunting task of selecting a finite number for this exhibition. I take this very seriously because it takes a lot to put work out there. I know. I’ve been there many times.

Art allows each of us to be unique and visually translate the world around us. Our style is a reflection of who we are. And this is why we paint.

I respond to work that is wholly crafted into a strong visual statement. It doesn’t matter the genre. I look for originality, good design, creativity, balance of color and good use of the medium.

Congratulations to those whose work was selected and a special salute to the award winners. It is important to be selected, but not nearly as important as striving to make your next work even better.

Chris Krupinski, AWS, NWS, LWS
This is my youngest fur person, Baxter. He is quite a character, very high energy and an adorable monster.

GODZILLA was painted on 140lb. Fabriano cold press paper with mostly Winsor Newton paints, and Dream Catcher brushes from Cheap Joe’s.

Just getting into a show of this caliber is an award in itself. I am thrilled beyond words to win such a high honor in the Louisiana Watercolor Society.

Thanks to all who work behind the scenes as well as Chris Krupinski, juror and judge for this wonderful exhibition.

HAPPY PAINTING

Vickie Nelson LWS
SECOND PLACE AWARD

David Stickel
Chapel Hill, NC
20"x25"
$2295

Window Watching

THIRD PLACE AWARD

Denise Athanas
Mt Pleasant, SC
22"x30"
$3800

Jazzy Red II
HONORABLE MENTION

Iain Stewart LWS
The Chestnut Vendor-Instanbul
Opelika, AL  21"x10"   NFS

Tan Suz Chiang
The Song of the Time
Malaysia  30"x45"   $650

HONORABLE MENTION

Pio Lyons LWS
Hawk #2
New Orleans, LA  18"x12"   $700

HONORABLE MENTION
PRESIDENTS’ AWARD

Ken Call
Northbrook, IL
19"x26"
$3500

Weimer Congemi
Memorial Award

Bev Jozwiak LWS
Vancouver, WA
11"x14"
$750

America Frame
Award

Setsuko Ohara
Canada
20"x15"
$1500
Z. L. Feng  
Radford, VA  
_Tibetan with Prayer Wheel_  
29”x21”  
NFS

Ruth Armitage  
Oregan City, OR  
_Night Walk_  
30"x22"  
$2400

Frank Eber  
Paso Robles, CA  
_Quadriga Vienna_  
14”x20”  
$1250
Kathy Miller Stone LWS-M
Baton Rouge, LA 22"x30" $3300

Merit Award
Cheap Joe’s
Friends of LWS

Marsha Chandler
Apple Go Round
Douglasville, GA 20"x15" $2600

Merit Award
Degas Pastel Society
Jack Richeson & Co., Inc.

Lok Yau Rainbow Tse
Hong Kong 12"x16" NFS

Merit Award
Chevron

Sunset Saunter
Anne Abgott  
_Cortez, FL_  
_Mardi Gras Madness_  
22”x30”  
$3000

Sally Baker  
_Sun Drenched Solitude_  
_Sebastopol, CA_  
28”x21”  
$3800

Judi Betts LWS  
_Baton Rouge, LA_  
_Southern Retreat_  
30”x22”  
$2500

James Brantley  
_Opelika, AL_  
_Music of the Mountain_  
29”x22”  
$4500
Claude Carretta  
Douce France 3  
France  
12"x15"  
$500

Darla Bostick  
Beneath the Elephant Ears  
Denton, TX  
22"x30"  
$2555

Marilynne Bradley LWS  
Into the West  
Webster Groves, MO  
12"x18"  
$900

Sheila Cappelletti LWS  
Birch Forest  
Sunnyside, NY  
11"x15"  
$550

Robert Cook  
St. Charles #923  
Granbury, TX  
20"x13"  
$1500

Claude Carretta  
Douce France 3  
France  
12"x15"  
$500
Elizabet Chacon  
Something Old, Something New  
Miami, FL  
18”x24”  
$700

Marilyn Cothren  
Bar Harbor Cove  
Madisonville, LA  
13”x21”  
$700

Marvin Chew  
Misty Yuntai Mountain  
Singapore  
14”x10”  
$800

Carol Creel LWS  
Cut Glass  
Baton Rouge, LA  
30”x22”  
$2000
Karen Frattali  
*American Pie*  
Unionville, PA  
21”x11”  
$1500

Cheri C. Fry LWS  
*Invisible*  
Denham Springs, LA  
15”x11”  
$2100

Jane Freeman  
*Made in Poland*  
Bemidji, MN  
29”x21”  
NFS

Michael Holter  
*Hay You*  
Plano, TX  
14”x22”  
$2200

Carol Frye LWS  
*Jabberwocky*  
Lakeland, FL  
20”x28”  
$1800
Catherine Hearding LWS
Lake Elmo, MN
28”x20”
$1800

Carol Hubbard
Monroe, CT
20”x26”
$2500

Tatsiana Harbacheuskaya
Pikeville, KY
24”x18”
$700

Anne Hightower-Patterson
Leesville, SC
18”x40”
NFS
John James LWS  
_Artist_  
_Artwork_  
_Location_  
_Size_  
_Price_  

Mollie Jones  
_Silver and Cherries_  
_Location_  
_Size_  
_Price_  

Ona Kingdon  
_Taking Time_  
_Location_  
_Size_  
_Price_  

Doug Lew LWS  
_Genevieve_  
_Location_  
_Size_  
_Price_  

Kerk Hwang Lok  
_Sunbath No. 9_  
_Location_  
_Size_  
_Price_
Christine Lucas-Bandera LWS  
*Sometimes You Feel Like a Nut*
Carriere, MS  
28"x41"  
$1500

Bruce E. Little  
*Final Days of the Sea Angel*
Savannah, GA  
20"x26"  
$3500

Luis Llarina LWS  
*Reflection*
National, CA  
14"x21"  
$1000

Murielle LeBlanc  
*Toujours la*
Canada  
20"x14"  
$1500
Claudia LeJeune  
*Just Ducky*  
Baton Rouge, LA  
16”x18”  
$800

Yuri Ozaki  
*Frozen Puddle #8*  
Huntsville, AL  
29”x20”  
$2000

Ann Larsson-Dahlin  
*My Newly Planted Geraniums*  
Sweden  
22”x30”  
$1500

Kim Minichiello  
*Bourbon Street Encounter*  
Windermere, FL  
17”x29”  
$2400

Laura Allums Mitchell LWS  
*All American Pie*  
Mandeville, LA  
15”x20”  
$600
Birgit O'Connor LWS  
*Through the Crack*  
Bolinas, CA  
22”x30”  
$1800

Kris Preslan  
*Brush Dancers*  
Lake Oswego, OR  
26”x18”  
$1800

April Rimpo  
*Shipping Port*  
Dayton, MD  
10”x24”  
$750

Kay Stern  
*Dior en Rouge Brillant*  
Houston, TX  
19”x28”  
$2500

Diane St. Germaine LWS  
*Tethered*  
Slidell, LA  
21”x15”  
$950
Mary Spellings  
Tennesignia Americana  
Mercer, TN  
22"x30"  
$2500

Ashley Harrison Smith  
Ten After Four  
Silver Spring, MD  
10"x20"  
NFS

Diane Stolz  
Snow Creek  
Kansas City, MO  
16"x20"  
NFS

Duncan Simmons LWS  
Fall on the Sabinal  
Houston, Texas  
18"x28"  
$3500
Lim Bee Tat  
_Fishing Village No. 46-Outlook_  
Malaysia  
22"x30"  
$4800

Odie Tucker  
_Top Speed_  
Destrehan, LA  
11"x15"  
$1800

Brenda Turner  
_At the Meeting_  
Savannah, GA  
21"x28"  
$800

Dawn C. Thomas  
_Porch Geraniums_  
Raytown, MT  
12"x16"  
$800

Carmella Tuliszewski  
_The Catch_  
Norristown, PA  
15"x28"  
$1200
Don Taylor LWS  
Panama City, FL  
22"x30"  
$1300

Keiko Yasuoka LWS  
Three Pears  
Houston, TX  
10"x15"  
NFS

E. Gordon West  
Window Morn  
San Antonio, TX  
11"x14"  
$475

Monique Wolfe LWS  
Room with a View  
Greenville, SC  
29"x21"  
$2400
Louisiana Watercolor Society Encore Show

Place St Charles, 201 St. Charles Ave., New Orleans, LA

For our 45th Annual Exhibition, LWS was pleased to extend the show for two more weeks. After the conclusion of the Exhibit at the New Orleans Academy of Fine Arts, these paintings were displayed in the atrium of Place St. Charles, located on the famous and historic St. Charles Avenue.

Sally Baker
Sun-Drenched Solitude

Darla Bostick
Beneath the Elephant Ears

James Brantley
Music of the Mountain

Marilyn Cothren
Cut Glass

Claude Caretta
Duo Franco 3

Carol Creel LWS
Cut Glass

Jane Freeman
Made in Poland

Cheri Fry LWS
Invisible

Michael Holter
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2015 AWARDS

1st Prize $2,000
Vickie Nelson LWS, Godzilla

2nd Prize $1,000
David Stickel, Window Watching

3rd Prize $700
Denise Athanas, Jazzy Red II

Honorable Mention $500
Iain Stewart LWS, The Chestnut Vendor
Pio Lyons LWS, Hawk
Tan Suz Chiang, The Song of the Time

Presidents' Award $550
Monica Bishara LWS, John Brockhoeft,
Raymond Calvert, Susan Copping LWS,
Christine Cozic LWS, Philippa Gillen,
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Karen Stakelum LWS, Roni Thomas
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2005 Paul Jackson
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