

# SUSAN RUSSELL HALL

## ARTIST STATEMENT

Art is my visual language, bringing hope, discovery, compassion, and empowerment to the viewer.

## PAINTER

First solo show in 1977 at the University of Washington Women's Cultural Center followed by over 100 group or solo shows.

## MEDICAL ARTIST

I have documented over 6500 congenital heart surgeries from life in the operating room, starting in 1979. Illustrations have been published in more than 30 medical books and journals and have been used in professional and educational presentations locally, nationally and internationally.

## EXHIBITIONS, PUBLICATIONS and PUBLIC COMMISSIONS

- 2021** Sun Valley Wellness Festival & Conference brochure, ID  
Sun Valley Property News: Friesen Gallery, June 2021 & July 2021  
Woodside/Braseth Gallery: 60<sup>th</sup> Summer Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Friesen Gallery Exhibition, Collaboration with Terry Rishel, Sun Valley, ID  
Tacoma Art Museum: Promised Gift by Director, Collaboration with Terry Rishel, WA
- 2020** Woodside/Braseth Gallery: 59<sup>th</sup> Annual Holiday Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Woodside/Braseth Gallery: 59<sup>th</sup> Annual Fall Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Tacoma Art Museum, Virtual Gala, Collaboration with Terry Rishel, WA  
Friesen Gallery: Studio Seen, Collaboration with Terry Rishel, Sun Valley, ID
- 2019** Woodside/Braseth Gallery: Gift of Art Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Woodside/Braseth Gallery: The Visionaries of the Pacific Northwest Revisited | Our Holiday Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Woodside/Braseth Gallery: Dealer's Choice: 58<sup>th</sup> Annual Summer Group Exhibition  
Tacoma Art Museum, Virtual Gala, Collaboration with Terry Rishel, WA  
Museum of Encaustic Art: 50 States / 200 Artists, Santa Fe, NM  
Woodside/Braseth Gallery: Dealer's Choice - 58<sup>th</sup> Annual Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA
- 2018** Woodside/Braseth Gallery: 57<sup>th</sup> Annual Holiday Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Public Art Commission, Pierce College Fort Steilacoom Library, Steilacoom, WA  
Seattle Art Fair: Woodside/Braseth Gallery Exhibition  
Friesen Gallery: Phranc | The Great Outdoors, Sun Valley, ID  
Woodside/Braseth Gallery: Spring Salon | 57<sup>th</sup> Annual Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA
- 2017** Woodside/Braseth Gallery: 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Holiday Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Friesen Gallery: *Beneath the Surface*, Sun Valley, ID  
Woodside/Braseth Gallery: 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Group Exhibition, "The Collector's Eye", Seattle, WA  
Seattle Art Fair: Woodside/Braseth Gallery Exhibition  
Woodside/Braseth Gallery: Dealer's Choice - Our 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
*Artist turned athlete to run her first Boston Marathon* Tacoma News Tribune
- 2016** Woodside/Braseth Gallery: 55<sup>th</sup> Annual Holiday Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Woodside/Braseth Gallery: Dealer's Choice - Our 55<sup>th</sup> Annual Anniversary Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Seattle Art Fair: Woodside/Braseth Gallery Exhibition  
Encaustic Art Institute, Permanent Collection Acquisition, *Breaking Free*  
Friesen Gallery: Group Exhibition with Preston Singletary, Sun Valley, ID  
Encaustic Art of the Twenty-First Century: NewsTV Newton Media Center  
Encaustic Art of the Twenty-First Century, Schiffer Publishing - A.L. & E.A. Rooney  
Woodside/Braseth Gallery: "A New Beginning", Seattle, WA  
Pierce College Puyallup, Fine Arts Gallery: Solo Winter Exhibition  
Public Art Commission, Lobby of Labor & Delivery - MultiCare Tacoma General Hospital

## EXHIBITIONS, PUBLICATIONS and PUBLIC COMMISSIONS (cont)

- 2015** Woodside/Braseth Gallery: 54<sup>th</sup> Annual Holiday Exhibition “Small And Significant”, Seattle, WA  
Tacoma Art Museum: 80<sup>th</sup> Gala Exhibition - Featured Artist  
Woodside/Braseth Gallery: Dealer’s Choice - Our 54<sup>th</sup> Annual Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Seattle Art Fair: Woodside/Braseth Gallery Exhibition  
Woodside/Braseth Gallery: 54<sup>th</sup> Annual Anniversary Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Public Art Commissions, Rainier Connection Lobby - MultiCare Tacoma General Hospital
- 2014** Woodside/Braseth Gallery: Gift of Art Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Friesen Gallery: *FILTERED: What Does Love Look Like?*, Sun Valley, ID  
Bilinear Art Consulting Exhibition - Seattle Design Center  
Public Art Commissions, Rainier Pavilion - MultiCare Tacoma General Hospital  
Fifty Wise Speakers Advise Students - Clover Park Technical College, Tacoma, WA
- 2013** National Juried Competition: Works on Paper, Long Beach Island Foundation of the Arts & Sciences, NJ  
Center on Contemporary Art: *CoCA Collision: Past, Present, & Future Members Show*, catalog pub.  
Intencions Gallery: Solo Exhibition, Jackson Hole, WY  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Summer Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Friesen Gallery: Group Exhibition, Sun Valley, ID  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Group Exhibition “From Another Time”, Seattle, WA  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: 52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Spring Salon - A Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Forterra: First Featured Artist - Solo Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Jackson Hole News & Guide, Fall Art Festival, *Energized Art*  
Stepping Out: Jackson Hole News & Guide, *Chakras displayed at the new Intencions*
- 2012** TEDx: Ideas Worth Spreading - Panelist, Tacoma, WA  
Intuitive Self-Healing. Achieve Balance and Wellness Through the Body’s Energy Centers.  
Illustrated by Susan Russell Hall / Authored by Marie Manuchehri, RN.  
Translated into German  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Solo Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Tacoma Art Museum: Reception to celebrate the artist and her drawings in Intuitive Self-Healing  
Friesen Gallery: Featuring Susan Russell Hall, David Kimball Anderson, Marie Manuchehri, Sun Valley, ID  
ART FOR AIDS: Ribbons of Remembrance Project, Tacoma, WA  
Greater Tacoma Community Foundation Guest Curator Exhibition  
MayFest, Lakewood, WA  
Pierce College Puyallup, Fine Arts Gallery: Solo Exhibition  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Dealer’s Choice - Our 51<sup>st</sup> Annual Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Spring Salon Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
State Capital Olympia, WA: Artist representing Pierce County in the Democratic Caucus Room of the WA State House of Representatives
- 2011** Tacoma Art Museum: Collecting for the Future: The Safeco Gift and New Acquisitions  
Pierce College Steilacoom, Fine Arts Gallery: Solo Exhibition  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Dealer’s Choice - 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Whatcom Museum: Fate of the Forest, Bellingham, WA  
Swedish Hospital & Medical Center / Issaquah Campus: The Art of Healing, WA  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Dealer’s Choice - Our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA
- 2010** Fulcrum Gallery: Here & Now, A Show of Generations 1945 - 1997, Tacoma, WA  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: 49<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Primo Grill: Solo Show, Tacoma, WA  
RAGS: YWCA Fundraiser, Tacoma, WA  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Michael Stasinis, and works by Susan Russell Hall, Seattle, WA
- 2009** College of New Rochelle, NY, Castle Gallery: “Encaustic Works 2009”, 7<sup>th</sup> International Biennial Exhibition  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: “Small & Everlasting”, Seattle, WA
- 2008** Woodside / Braseth Gallery: e-ART-h Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Festival of Trees, featured artist for the poster, Tacoma, WA  
Primo Grill: Solo Show, Tacoma, WA

## EXHIBITIONS, PUBLICATIONS and PUBLIC COMMISSIONS (cont)

- 2007** Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Paul Horiuchi 1906 - 1999, and works by Susan Russell Hall, Seattle, WA  
Northwest Pastel Society's International Open Exhibition
- 2006** Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Summer Salon - A Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Junctions: Selected Drawings from Contemporary Artists and Modern Masters, James Harris Gallery, Seattle, WA & Jill Newhouse Gallery, New York, NY  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Spring Salon - A Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA
- 2005** Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Small and Significant, Our 44<sup>th</sup> Annual Holiday Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Tacoma Art Museum: Curator's Choice Street Gallery Artists, *The Night Tacoma Danced*  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Spring Salon - A Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Primo Grill: Solo Show, Tacoma, WA
- 2004** Woodside / Braseth Gallery: 43<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Primo Grill: Solo Show, Tacoma, WA  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Summer Salon - A Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA
- 2002** Woodside / Braseth Gallery: A Celebration of Spring, Seattle, WA  
Primo Grill: Solo Show, Tacoma, WA
- 2001** Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Holiday Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Dealer's Choice - Our 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: A Celebration of Spring / Works Inspired by Nature, Seattle, WA  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Spring Salon - A Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA
- 2000** Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Northwest Realism, Seattle, WA  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: An Exhibit of Works by Wes Wehr and Friends, Seattle, WA  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Major Small Works by Northwest Masters and Selected Artists, Seattle, WA
- 1999** Woodside / Braseth Gallery: 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA
- 1996** Woodside / Braseth Gallery: New Arrivals at the Gallery, Seattle, WA
- 1995** Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Celebrate the Skagit Harvest - Valley Artists, Seattle, WA  
Northwest Pastel Society Members' Juried Exhibition  
American Pediatric Surgical Association (APSA), Boca Raton, FL  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Susan Russell Hall, Catherine Eaton Skinner, and John Worthey, Seattle, WA  
The Valley Museum of Northwest Art Spring Benefit, Seattle, WA
- 1994** Northwest Pastel Society's International Open Exhibition  
Northwest Pastel Society Members' Juried Exhibition  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Holiday Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Gallery Dei Gratia: Landscape Show, LaConner, WA  
Pacific Association of Pediatric Surgeons (PAPS), Kagoshima, Japan  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Dealer's Choice - 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Group Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Woodside / Braseth Gallery: William Slater & Gallery Artists, Seattle, WA
- 1993** Woodside / Braseth Gallery: William Cummings & Gallery Artists, Seattle, WA
- 1992** Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Solo Exhibition, Seattle, WA  
Northwest Pastel Society Members' Juried Exhibition
- 1991** Woodside / Braseth Gallery: Northwest Landscape Artist, Seattle, WA  
Woodside/Braseth Gallery at the BON: "Opening Show" - Solo Exhibition, Seattle, WA
- 1990** Northwest Pastel Society Travel Showcase
- 1988** Northwest Pastel Society Travel Showcase
- 1987** Magnolia Outdoor Art Show, Seattle, WA  
Northwest Pastel Society: International Open Exhibition at Haviland Winery, Woodinville, WA
- 1983** American Medical Illustrators, Toronto, Ontario, CA
- 1982** Pacific Science Center: Guild of Natural Science Illustrators, Seattle, WA  
Burke Museum, University of Washington: Scientific Illustration
- 1981** Burke Museum, University of Washington: Scientific Illustration
- 1977** Women's Cultural Center: Solo Exhibition, Seattle, WA

## INTERVIEWS and PRESS

- 2020** TAM: Tacoma Art Museum: Autumn
- 2019** South Sound Magazine, *Women to Watch: Art, Running, and Life*, YouTube video release
- 2018** South Sound Magazine, *Women to Watch 2018*, Vol. XVI, No. 5, September/October  
The Pioneer: Pierce College Fort Steilacoom Publication, *Art to Honor Librarian*, Vol. 52, Issue 1, September
- 2017** Tacoma News Tribune Newspaper and Blog: *Running with a Smile On*, April
- 2016** NewsTV Newton Media Center, May
- 2012** Silver Strider Magazine: Cover and Featured Story, November - December  
South Lake Union: *Looking Beyond the Surface at Woodside-Braseth Gallery*  
The Stranger Newspaper: *"Dealer's Choice" Exhibition at Woodside Braseth Gallery*, Dealer's Choice: Dealer's highlight a giant selection of new work and recent collections from a wide swath of artists, including Jacob Lawrence, Casey Curran, and Susan Russell Hall  
Tacoma News Tribune: *Art for AIDS: Foundation Celebrates 25 Years*, November  
Swedish Hospital & Medical Center / Issaquah Campus Art Collection: *The Art of Healing* - Featured artists at the new campus include, Kathleen G. Adkison, Dennis Evans, Susan R. Hall, Alfred Harris, Paul Havas, and Jared Rue  
Greater Tacoma Community Foundation: *Art Award Nominee - Spotlight: Susan Russell Hall*  
Wordpress: *Transformation*, May  
Business Examiner: *Who is TED? TEDx Tacoma gives a voice to innovators*, vol. 28 No. 8, April  
Weekly Volcano: *TEDx Tacoma Speakers to Tackle Transformation*, No. 454, April  
South Sound Magazine: TEDx Comes to Tacoma, Vol. X, No. 1, February - March  
South Sound Magazine, Artist of the Heart, The Two Worlds of Susan Russell Hall, Dec/Jan, Vol. IX, No. 6
- 2010** Showcase Magazine: *Spotlight / Susan Russell Hall*, Spring
- 2009** Featured Artist Broadcast on Pierce County News, April
- 2001** Art Documentary Broadcast on KCPQ: *Susan Russell Hall: Heart Artist*, February
- 1996** Art Documentary Broadcast on KSTW: *Susan Russell Hall: Healing Hands*

## SELECTED LECTURES

- 2019** Pacific Gallery Artists: *Breaking Through Encaustic and Pyrograph Art*
- 2018** Women to Watch: *Art, Running, and Life*  
Lakewood Rotary: *Art, Running, and Life*
- 2010 - 2012** Pierce College: *Careers in Art*
- 2009** Tacoma Art Museum: *Another Way of Illustrating the Way We Work*
- 1998 - 2005** MultiCare Mary Bridge Children's Hospital: Cardiac Surgery and Anatomy Lectures

## ART JUROR

- 2019** Bloedel Reserve's Creative Residency  
Pacific Gallery Artists Member Show
- 2018** Bloedel Reserve's Creative Residency
- 2012** 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional District Art Competition  
Pierce College Puyallup 2012 Spring Student Exhibition
- 2011** Foundation of Art Award, The Greater Tacoma Community Foundation  
9<sup>th</sup> Congressional District Art Competition
- 2010** Foundation of Art Award, The Greater Tacoma Community Foundation  
Tacoma Community College Student Art Exhibition  
Franke Tobey Jones Senior Art Show  
9<sup>th</sup> Congressional District Art Competition  
RAGS Wearable Art Show / Benefitting the YWCA
- 2009** 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional District Art Competition

## HONORS

<b>2018</b>	South Sound Women to Watch
<b>2016</b>	International Encaustic Artists: Nominated for the LaVendeene Artistry Award
<b>2013</b>	International Encaustic Artists: Nominated for the LaVendeene Artistry Award
<b>2012</b>	Greater Tacoma Community Foundation: 5 <sup>th</sup> Annual Foundation of Art Award Nominee
<b>2008</b>	Woman of Influence Nominee
<b>1977 - 1978</b>	Ford Foundation Art Scholarship

## PUBLIC and CORPORATE COLLECTIONS

Lakewold Gardens: Summer Soirée, Lakewood, WA  
Pierce College Fort Steilacoom Library, Steilacoom, WA  
Tacoma Art Museum, WA  
Anderson, Hogland, Saint Louis, MO  
Bank West One, ID  
Cairncross & Hempelmann, Seattle, WA  
Cardiovascular & Pediatric Surgery, Inc. P.S., Seattle, WA  
Crystal Judson Family Justice Center, Tacoma, WA  
East West Fisheries, Seattle, WA  
Forterra, Seattle, WA  
The Haub Family Collection  
Martin of Tours Collection (St. Martin's Abbey), Olympia, WA  
Kapiolani Medical Center for Women & Children, Honolulu, HI  
MultiCare Mary Bridge Children's Hospital, Tacoma, WA  
MultiCare Tacoma General Hospital, Rainier Pavilion, Tacoma WA  
Pierce County Art Bank, Portable Art Collection, 2007 & 2009, WA  
St. John's Episcopal Church, Gig Harbor, WA  
Swedish Hospital & Medical Center, WA:  
    First Hill Campus  
    Cherry Hill Campus  
    Ballard Campus  
    Issaquah Campus  
Tash, Lyle and Associates, Seattle, WA

## EDUCATION

<b>1975 - 1978</b>	University of Washington
<b>1978 - 1979</b>	Seattle Central Community College, Advertising Art and Graphic Design
<b>1991 - 1993</b>	University of Washington, Studies in Visual Expressions

## SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP

<b>2012 - Present</b>	International Encaustic Artists
<b>1987 - Present</b>	Northwest Pastel Society - Charter Signature Member
<b>1977 - 1995</b>	Guild of Natural Science Illustrators

## PUBLICATIONS of MEDICAL and SCIENTIFIC ART

Journal of Pediatric Surgery Vol. 47, No 10, October 2012, Esophageal atresia associated with a rare vascular ring and esophageal duplication diverticulum: A case report and review of the literature  
John's Hopkins Manual of Cardiovascular Surgery 2007, 24 anatomical Illustrations, Vascular Rings chapter, Woods, R; McGraw Hill  
National Institute of Health National Surgical Protocol on Lung Volume Reduction Surgery, Wood, D. Achauer, BM, and Russell, RC  
Plastic Surgery: Indications, Operations and Outcomes, Illustrations for Maser, B.  
Ambulatory Surgery, Scirmer and Ratner ed; Illustrations for Waldhausen, JHT, W. B. Saunders Co.  
Vascular Access, Hickman, RO, ed; Illustrations for Hickman, RO, Waldhausen JHT  
Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery, Illustrations for Murakami, C.

## **PUBLICATIONS of MEDICAL and SCIENTIFIC ART (cont)**

- Intraoperative Transesophageal Echocardiographic Identification of Remediable Problems in Patients Undergoing Damus-Kaye-Stansel Operation, Stevenson, J.G.; 1999
- Archives of Surgery, Illustrations for Maser, B.  
Scientific Illustration 2nd Edition, Wood, P; 1994
- Common Problems in Pediatric Anesthesia, Ed.2 Stehling, L, ed 2; Illustration of AV Canal Defect for Morray, JM: Atrioventricular Canal and Down Syndrome, Mosby Year Book, Philadelphia; 1992
- Congenital Heart Disease, Tenckhoff, L, Schofield, DE, Russell, SL, Debich, D, (for The American Society of Clinical Pathologists Commission on Continuing Education); 1991
- Common Problems in Pediatric Anesthesia, Ed.2 Stehling, L, ed 2; Illustration of AV Canal Defect for Morray, JM: Atrioventricular Canal and Down Syndrome, Mosby Year Book, Philadelphia; 1992
- Congenital Heart Disease, Tenckhoff, L, Schofield, DE, Russell, SL, Debich, D, (for The American Society of Clinical Pathologists Commission on Continuing Education); 1991
- Echocardiography, Craig, M, 1990 Chapter 18, Pediatric echocardiography: Cardiac Embryology
- Pediatric Anesthesia, Ed. 1 & 2, Gregory, G, ed; Illustration of Diaphragmatic hernia and tracheo-esophageal fistula types for Morray, JP and Kane, EJ: Anesthesia for Thoracic Surgery, Churchill Livingstone, New York; 1983 (1st edition) 1989 (2nd edition)
- 1998 Year Book of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery, Illustrations for Huang, MHS; Gruss, JS; Clarren, SK; et al. Mosby-Year Book, Inc.
- Science and Practice, 3rd Edition, illustrations for Truncus Arteriosus chapter, Lewin, M.
- Pediatric Cardiology Handbook, Tenckhoff, L.; 1980, updated 1984 and 1990
- Differential Diagnosis of Congenital Heart Disease, Tenckhoff, L.; 1990
- Chronic Disorders in Adolescence, Smith, MS, ed; 1983
- Congenital Heart Disease in the First 3 Months of Life, Parenzan, L, Crupi, Graham, G, ed; Illustrations for Rittenhouse, EA et al; 1981
- Common and Emergent Congenital Heart Disease - Diagnosis and Management of Selected Cases, Stamm, SJ, Tenckhoff, L.; 1980
- Scientific Illustration, Wood, P.; 1978

## **COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**

- Tacoma Art Museum
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|----------------|--------------------------------|
| 2016 - 2017    | Co-Chair Collections Committee |
| 2016 - 2017    | Secretary                      |
| 2012 - 2015    | Co-Chair Endowment Campaign    |
| 2010 - Present | Trustee                        |
| 2006 - 2008    | Board President                |
| 2001 - 2009    | Trustee                        |
- Pierce College Foundation Board
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| 2017 - 2020 | Co-Chair Student Success Campaign              |
| 2016 - 2017 | Executive Committee & Immediate Past President |
| 2015        | Board President                                |
| 2009 - 2020 | Trustee  |
- American Leadership Forum
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| 2008 - 2012 | Selection Committee      |
| 2005 - 2006 | Class XII, Senior Fellow |
- MultiCare Hospital
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| 2008 - 2010 | Campaign Cabinet Member for Emergency Services |
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