

DREW BROPHY

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SUMMARY

For over twenty five years I have been a professional artist. I have traveled the world painting, sharing my art techniques, and surfing waves my entire life.

My artwork first become well known in the surfing world, as my techniques changed the way surfboards were painted in the late 1990's. Thousands of my original paintings have been collected around the world. In the last two decades, I've taught tens of thousands of people how to use my painting techniques.

With the help of my business partner and wife, Maria, I have been able to focus entirely on my artwork while she oversees the business.

Through my published book, TV show and various live events, I have helped to inspire large numbers of people to not only create art themselves, but to also get out and enjoy life through nature and by creating a lifestyle of adventure and joy for themselves.

My fascination with nature and how it works has led me to extensively study physics and ancient history. I began expanding my abstract works to incorporate a visual representation of the things I'm learning.

I use a variety of mediums to enable different effects of color, light and energy.

It is with great excitement that I continue share a visual representation of the science that shows that we are all connected within this Universe. My works are meant to help people understand some of these complex concepts in physics, in an easy way. The art achieves this by bringing together mathematics, ancient symbols and elements such as water, energy and vibration.

My work is ultimately created to incite a feeling of peace, love and joy for the viewer.

LECTURES, PANELS AND EXPERIENTIAL WORKSHOPS

I've been sharing my experiences, techniques and life philosophy with artists of all ages for over two decades. Below are a few selected examples:

- Upcoming fall 2016 Boards & Waves Expo, Melbourne, FL – Painting Demos and Lectures on being an artist and living a lifestyle of your dreams
- 2015 Fredrix Canvas demo at San Clemente Art Center
- 2014 Comic-Con, San Diego, CA – Panel Member on “Artist as Brand – Rise of the Artist Entrepreneur”
- 2014 Fredrix Canvas Painting workshop at San Clemente Art Center
- 2013 Porter College, UCSC – “How to Thrive as an Artist” Lecture
- 2012 Furman University, Greenville, SC “How to Thrive as an Artist” Lecture
- 2012 Furman University, Greenville, SC – Four day Experiential Workshop with 18 Students
- 2012 Art Mundo, Fort Pearce, FL – Painting Workshop
- 2010 Boards & Waves Expo, Cocoa Beach, FL – Live Painting Demonstrations and Workshops

- 2009 Casa Romantica, San Clemente, CA – *The Path of an Artist* Lecture
- 2009 Surf Expo, Orlando, FL – *How to Work as an Artist in the Industry* Lecture
- 2009 New Zealand, North Island – *Surf and Paint Tour* - A month of Painting Demonstrations at various locations on the North Island

SELECTED PUBLISHED WORKS AND TV SHOWS

- 2014 CONTAINER WARS TV show - Drew Brophy and Art featured on one episode
- 2011-2013 THE PAINT SHOP TV WITH DREW BROPHY Behind the scenes show featuring Drew Brophy and his artworks. Produced by Crystal Cove Productions. Aired on public television in California and Arizona.
- 2010 HOW TO DRAW WITH DREW BROPHY book - illustrated and written by Drew Brophy, published by Walter Foster
- 2009 WEDDING DAY Television show, entire episode featured Drew Brophy and painting of surfboards for bride & groom
- 2008 PAINT PEN TECHNIQUES WITH DREW BROPHY DVD produced by Seven Films
- 2001 LADYFISH children's book illustrated by Drew Brophy, published by Bloomstreet Books
- My works have been published and featured in over 16 printed books and hundreds of printed magazines, newspapers and other publications. For a selected list, please visit <http://drewbrophy.com/media/>.

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2016 *Exploring Sacred Geometry* - Conscious Life Expo, Los Angeles
- 2015 *A Life Well Lived* - Conscious Life Expo, Los Angeles
- 2010 *HOW TO DRAW* art exhibit and book release, San Clemente, CA
- 2009 *Inspire Your Imagination* - Surf Expo Exhibit, Orlando, FL
- 2006 *Togo's Surf Art Tour* - Traveling exhibit from Southern California to Northern California
- 2002 *The Art of Surf* - Surf Art Gallery, Laguna Beach, CA
- 2000 *Drew Brophy Solo Exhibit* – curated by Maria Brophy, Downtown San Clemente, CA
- 1999 – Surf Art Show – Tokyo, Japan

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2015 *Legends of Surf Art* – Forest & Ocean Gallery, Laguna Beach, CA
- 2014 *Rise Above Plastics* – Dax Gallery, Newport Beach, CA
- 2014 *WD FAN NIGHT* – Ceasar's Palace, Las Vegas, NV
- 2012 *Surf Aid Board Art Benefit* – Change Gallery, Solana Beach, CA
- 2011 *Escape Artists* – Chalk Gallery, Los Angeles
- 2011 *Girls Vs. Boys Exhibit* with Karlee Mackee - AR4T Gallery Laguna Beach

- 2009-2011 France & Spain Traveling Art Exhibit curated by Lorene Carpentier
- 2009 *Surf Story Project* – Hurley Headquarters, Huntington Beach, CA
- 2009 *Surf Film Festival*, Anglet, France
- 2008 John Wayne Airport Exhibit, Orange County, CA
- 2007 *Surf Art Legends* - McKibben Galleries, Corona del Mar, CA
- 2005 *Sea Monster Ball*, Ocean Institute, Dana Point, CA
- 2004 *Tiki Oasis*, M Modern Gallery, Palm Springs
- 2003 *Mondo Tiki*, Hard Rock Casino, Las Vegas, NV

SELECTED COLLECTIONS

The City of San Clemente, CA

Irvine, CA – Western Digital

Portland, OR – Keen Footwear Headquarters

Irvine, CA – Google

Irvine, CA - Glenfiddich

Rincon, Puerto Rico – Playa Oeste Gallery

Las Vegas, NV – The Hard Rock Casino, Las Vegas

Los Angeles, CA – Vince Neil of Motley Crue

San Diego, CA – Seaspine Corporation

San Clemente, CA – Northshore Systems

(Most works are held in hundreds of private collections worldwide)

PERSONAL DATA

Born: E. Andrew Brophy on March 8, 1971.

Travel: Adventured over 25 countries painting, surfing and teaching painting techniques to artists.

Adventure: Currently competes in standup paddle surfing competitions. Was first person to ever standup paddle the entire length of the Colorado River and all of its rapids in 2010.

Influence: Credited in the surf industry as the artist who changed the way surfboards were painted in the 1990's, throughout the world. Has taught techniques to tens of thousands of artists.

Family: Wife and manager Maria Brophy, and two children

Mission: To inspire generations of people to live the life they were meant to live, with joy, now.