

Alexis Henson

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Education

2022 MS Arts Administration, Drexel University

2020 BA Art History, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

2017 AA Art and Design, Parkland College

Group Exhibitions

2024 97th Annual Amateur Art Exhibition, McClean County Arts Center, Bloomington, IL

2023 96th Annual Amateur Art Exhibition, McClean County Arts Center, Bloomington, IL

2022 1868 Exhibition: Associate Edition, Busey Bank, Champaign, IL

2017 In Focus, Nat Cohen Building, Urbana, IL

2017 Art and Design Student Juried Exhibition, Giertz Gallery, Champaign, IL

2015 AP Studio Art Student Exhibition, INC Media Gallery, Urbana, IL

Solo Exhibitions

2021-Present Alexis Walter Creations at the Loft, Loft Hair Salon, Bement IL

Private Collections

2020-2024 Various Private Buyers

2022 Anonymous, United Way Fundraiser at Busey Bank, Champaign, IL

2021 Shelby Bell, Owner, Loft Hair Salon, Bement, IL

Vendor Events

- 2024 Boutique Bash, Monticello, IL
- 2023 Mahomet Holiday Market, Sangamon on Main, Mahomet, IL
- 2023 Boutique Bash, Monticello, IL
- 2022 Jingle Bell Market at Champaign County Chamber of Commerce, the I Hotel, Champaign, IL
- 2022 Mahomet Shop Hop, Mahomet, IL
- 2022 Boutique Bash, Monticello, IL

Hosted Events

- 2024 Fundraiser for the Vermillion County Animal Shelter
- 2024 Workshop Instructor - Sip and Pour Workshop, The Farms: An Allerton Folk School, Winter 2024 session, Monticello, IL
- 2023 Private Sip and Pour Workshop, Loft Hair Salon, Bement, IL
- 2023 Fundraiser for the Decatur & Macon County Animal Shelter Foundation
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- 2021 Fundraiser for a Life in the Arts (formerly known as The Actors Fund)
- 2020 Fundraiser for the Champaign County Humane Society

Publications

- 2022 Putting it All Together: How Social Media Marketing Impacts Exhibition Choices and Visitor Attendance, Graduate Thesis, Drexel University.
- 2016 Images Magazine, Parkland College, Champaign, IL

Related Experiences

- 2018-Present Owner/Artist, Alexis Walter Creations, Bement, IL
- 2022-2024 Marketing Specialist, Metro Communications, Sullivan, IL
- 2021 Intern to the Director, McClean County Arts Center, Bloomington, IL
- 2020-2021 Office Assistant, Urbana Fine Arts Center, Urbana, IL
- 2015-2016 Art Gallery Monitor, Giertz Gallery at Parkland College, Champaign, IL
- 2015 Summer High School Intern, Giertz Gallery at Parkland College, Champaign, IL

Research Projects (Individual/Collaborative)

- 2022 Putting it All Together: How Social Media Marketing Impacts Exhibition Choices and Visitor Attendance, Graduate Thesis, Drexel University.
- 2021 “Teaching Artists at Illinois College”, McClean County Arts Center, Bloomington, IL
- 2021 “The Fox Historic Costume Collection”, Creative Enterprise & Innovation, Drexel University.
- 2021 “Gold Standard Arts Foundation Proposed Marketing Plan”, Marketing & Engagement in Arts and Cultural Organizations, Drexel University.
- 2019 The *Third of May* as a Representation of How the Peninsular War and Goya are Remembered, Art History Senior Seminar, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.
- 2018 *The Birth of Venus*: A Historically Timeless Italian Renaissance Painting, Art History Junior Seminar, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.