

*3 Day Plein Air to Studio:*

*From Field Study to Studio, Painting the Expressive Landscape*

Lyn Asselta, instructor

STUDENT SUPPLY LIST

**Pastels:** Bring a good variety of both hard and soft pastels. Try to be sure you have at least 5 values of each color, ranging from very light to very dark. Bring whichever brands you're comfortable with using. Some soft pastels I like are: Unison, Terry Ludwig, Diane Townsend, Girault and Rembrandt  
Some hard pastels I like are: Caran d'Ache cubes, Faber Castel Polychromos, NuPastel

**Paper:** For this workshop I would prefer that you use sanded papers. Please bring the brands that you are used to using.

White, light grey or neutral colors, please.

Some papers I like are: UArt, Pastel Premier, Canson Touch

Please bring your paper in the following sizes:

>Four large sheets (11 x 14 or 12 x 12)

>Six small sheets (5 x 7, 6 x 6 or 8 x 8)

>Two medium sheets (8 x 10 or 10 x 10)

**Other Supplies:**

Sketchbook (at least 5x7 size)

6 reference photos of landscapes that you've taken yourself. I can't overemphasize this~ bring your own photos!!

Grey value markers and/or soft lead pencil, fine point black marker or fine point black pen

Small watercolor set with brush and water container (can be an inexpensive set, or whatever you have)

Backing board (for you to tape your paper to while you work. Masonite or foamcore, 16" x 20")

Paper towels (Viva)

Masking tape: Neutral color please. No blue tape.

Old bristle brush (approx. ¾" wide)

Glassine or tracing paper to cover your finished paintings

Gloves or barrier cream for your hands

A camera (cell phone is fine)

**For Plein Air:**

Please bring your normal field set-up. I use a Heilman box mounted on a tripod. There are many plein air easels available. If you don't have an easel, or if you'd prefer to sit while painting, you can bring a lightweight folding chair and your backing board, which can be used as a lap board.

**Bring what you can easily carry!!!!**

Also, prepare to dress appropriately for the weather and bring sunscreen or bugspray, if necessary. You'll be out most of the day, so it's important to be comfortable. **A hat with a brim is essential. Comfort is the key!!**