

TODD CARIGNAN BIOGRAPHY

Todd Carignan was born and raised in Wilmington, NC. His parents had him in private art lessons at eight years old, where he really fell in love with drawing. After high school, he attended the Savannah College of Art and Design, where he received his BFA in Sequential Art and a minor in art history.

He has worked as a cartoonist, illustrator, concept designer, portraitist, and gallery fine artist. He experiments in many mediums and subjects, but his true passion is oils. Todd teaches drawing and painting classes at the Louise Wells Cameron Art Museum's School, with special focus on portraiture, figurative and landscape. Carignan also teaches various drawing, painting and cartooning classes at DREAMS of Wilmington, a non-profit after school arts education program for children.

In the spring of 2014, he was the fine arts judge for the Wilmington Art Association's annual Juried Spring Art Show. The following year he was the judge for the North Carolina Silver Arts Festival. Carignan is a member of the Portrait Society of America and has been juried into the Oil Painters of America. He has won multiple awards and has art in collections all over the United States and internationally. He currently has his art studio in Wilmington, NC at the Artworks Art Village, where he also displays his work.