



Painting the Cuyahoga Valley en Plein Air with **James Kroner**

Your Instructor, **James Kroner** (b. 1978), began studying art in his early twenties. Something clicked for him while drawing a series of gesture poses from a figure modeling class, and it was this click that opened his mind to the path he would take.

During his MFA at the Academy of Art University S.F., James received numerous awards and a full scholarship to study in Italy for the summer of 2011. He has since exhibited his artwork in a large number of solo and group shows. He received the Emerging Artist of 2014 award, a Solo Exhibition through the Academy's Atelier Gallery in San Francisco.

As well as being a fine artist, James is in great demand as a workshop instructor across the United States and in Umbria, Italy. **In this plein air workshop**, James will share how he captures the incredible awareness of light and atmosphere which hallmark his paintings, making them glow with an ethereal, lively vitality. Demonstrations will show how he makes artistic decisions in the painting process which capture a striking sense of realism in some areas and dissolve the form in other passages into a harmonious, orchestral arrangement of tone and color which support the main subject of each work.

Our plein air destinations each day will be chosen to take advantage of the varied landscapes about Akron and the Cuyahoga Valley. The workshop requires nothing beyond a thirst to improve one's painting skills and basic basic plein air supplies: easel/pochade box, a limited palette of colors, brushes, and panels. A detailed suggested supply list will be provided upon registration.

James welcomes students of all levels into his classes. This class is limited to twelve students in order to assure ample personal interaction.

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REGISTRATION DETAILS

When: September 7, 8 & 9, from 9:30a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Cost: Non-members, \$500

ASA members, \$450.

Student/young artists under 30, \$250

Members paying in full before June 1st may deduct an additional \$25! Questions? Call Bruce Stebner (330)620-8738.

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James Kroner Workshop Registration Form

Please complete and return this form with payment to:

Akron Society of Artists 140 E. Market St. Akron, Ohio 44308

A payment of \$150 secures your space in the workshop. Balance is due by August 15, 2018. Make checks payable to **Akron Society of Artists** or pay via Paypal online at Akron Society of artists.org.

Name: _____

address: _____

Email _____

I understand that no refunds will be offered unless a waiting list exists for this workshop. A supplies list will be sent upon registration.

Signature _____