

ARTIST BIOGRAPHICAL RECORD

Artist name: Tomlinson, Susan Leigh

City and country of birth: Midland, USA

Residence: USA

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Education:

Ph.D (Geology), Texas Tech University, 1997.

MS (Geology), Texas Tech University, 1993.

BFA (Studio Art), Texas Tech University, 1980.

Botanical Art Private Instruction with Margaret Best, distance learning, 2017-2018.

Career:

Acting Dean, Texas Tech University Honors College, 2022.

Assistant Dean, Texas Tech University Honors College, 2014-2020.

Interim Associate Dean, Texas Tech University Honors College, 2013-2014.

Associate Professor, Texas Tech University Honors College, 2008 – present.

Degree Program Director, Environmental Studies, Texas Tech University Honors College, 2001-2014.

Assistant Professor, Texas Tech University Honors College, 2001-2008.

Professional memberships:

American Society of Botanical Artists

Phi Kappa Phi

Texas Tech University Teaching Academy

Artwork medium:

Watercolor on paper

Group Exhibition(s):

- 26th International Exhibition, American Society of Botanical Artists, Marin Art and Garden Center, Ross, CA (catalogue), 2023.
- The Royal horticultural Society Botanical Art and Photography Show, London, England, UK, 2022.
- The New York Botanical Garden Fourth Triennial, Abundant Future: Cultivating Diversity in Garden, Farm, and Field, New York, USA, 2020 (catalogue).
- 23rd Annual International Exhibition, American Society of Botanical Artists, Wave Hill, New York, USA, 2020 (catalogue).
- 22nd Annual International, American Society of Botanical Artists, Marin Art and Garden Center, Ross, CA, USA, 2019 (catalogue).
- A Banner Year, American Society of Botanical Artists, ASBA website (asba-art.org), 2019 (catalogue).

- 21st Annual International, American Society of Botanical Artists, Wave Hill, Bronx, NY, USA, 2018 (catalogue).
- Botanical Art Worldwide: America's Flora, National Botanic Garden, Washington, DC, USA, 2018 (catalogue).

Honors/Awards:

- Silver Gilt Medal, Royal Horticultural Society Botanical Art and Photography Show, 2022.
- Honorable Mention, 23rd Annual International, American Society of Botanical Artists, 2020.
- Chancellor's Distinguished Teaching Award, Texas Tech University, 2021.
- Richmond and Lili Bates Award, 21st Annual International, American Society of Botanical Artists, 2018.
- Spencer A. Wells Creativity in Teaching, Texas Tech Parents Association, 2015.
- President's Administrative Fellow, Texas Tech University, 2014.
- Honors Faculty Member of the Year, Texas Tech University Honors College, 2010.
- The President's Excellence in Teaching Award, 2004.
- Election to the Texas Tech University Teaching Academy, 2002.

Work reproduced in (publications the artist was commissioned to illustrate or works authored by the artist):

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- Caswell, K., Tomlinson, S. In Diane Warner, William Tydeman (Ed.), To everything on Earth: new Writing on Fate, Community, and Nature (pp. 160). Lubbock, TX: Texas Tech University Press. 2009.
- Tomlinson, S. Pentimento. Isotope. Utah State University. 2008.
- Tomlinson, S. In Lou Haskell Rodenberger, Laura Payne Butler, Jackie Kosolov-Wenthe (Ed.), Making Place. Lubbock, TX: Writing on the Wind: An Anthology of West Texas Women Writers, Texas Tech University Press. 2005.
- Tomlinson, S. Angler Girl (vol.3.2). Isotope, Utah State University. 2005.
- Tomlinson, s. Beautiful River, Arms of God, Camas, vol. 7, no. 1. University of Montana. 2003.
- Lehman, T., Tomlinson, S. Terlingauchelys fischbecki, a new genus and species of sea turtle (Chelioidea: Protostegidae) from the Upper Cretaceous of Texas. Journal of Paleontology, 78(6), 1163-1178. 2004.
- Tomlinson, S. The curiosity shop (or, how I stopped worrying about delta shapes and started teaching). Journal of the National Collegiate Honors Council, 1(2), 33. 2000.
- Tomlinson, S., Strauss, R. Morphometric analysis of pit patterns in the soft-shelled Trionychidae. Geo. Soc. Amer. Abstr. With Programs, 31(1), 36. 1999.
- Tomlinson, S., Keairns, C.E. The Paluxy River tracks (Glen Rose, Texas) as a means of teaching students about pseudoscience. Geo. Soc. Amer. Abstr. With Programs 31(1), 36. 1999.

- Donato, M.M., Barnes, C.G., Tomlinson, S. The Enigmatic Applegate Group of Southwestern Oregon: Age, correlation, and tectonic affinity. *Oregon Geology*, 58(4), 79-91. 1996.
- Tomlinson, S. Late Cretaceous and Early Paleocene turtles from the Big Bend region of Texas. *Geol. Soc. Abstr. With Programs*, 27(6), 387. 1995.
- Barnes, C.G., Donato, M.M., Tomlinson, S. Correlation of the Applegate Group in the Oregon Klamath Mountains with terranes of the Western Paleozoic and Triassic belt in California. *Geol. Soc. Am. Abstr. With Programs*, 25, 6. 1993.

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