

# Robert Vinci

## Artist

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Passionate artist seeking residency at Asheville Museum of Art. As resident artist in Fayetteville, WV, produced a collection of art depicting the 2016 floods, and an award-winning sculpture for the local visitor's bureau. Participant in three exhibitions and have held two long-term artist jobs.

## Experience

2014-07 - 2016-08

### Art Teacher

*Gassaway Community College*

- Taught daily art classes to groups of 30+ students each. Covered techniques for charcoal, oil painting, watercolors, and spray paints.
- Five of my students received the Casker Fellowship for Artistic Excellence.

2012-06 - 2014-07

### Video Game Artist

*Renaissance Games*

- Produced high quality designs to expand and define the look of a major online game. Increased average reviewer art ratings by 26%.
- Handled an average of 50 video game art projects per year, including art for siege engines and flying machines, from concept through completion.
- Delivered all projects to high standards of creative excellence. Regularly satisfied a 110-point artwork inspection, officiated via focus group.

## Education

2009 - 2013

### BA in Visual Arts, Montclair State University, NJ

- Pursued my passion for oil painting and sculpture.
- Excelled in computer aided 3D design work.
- Wrote a monthly column on computer aided design for the school paper.

## Awards

2016

1st Place, Tamarack Juried Competition, WV

2015

3rd Place, Chelsea International Fine Art Competition

## Exhibitions

2015

**Solo Exhibition**, *Backward Writing and Frogs*, Grey Art Gallery, New York, NY

2016

**Juried Exhibition**, The Center for Contemporary Art, Bedminster, NJ

2015

**Group Exhibition**, Hallston Gallery, Knoxville, TN

## Commission

2017

*Up From Below*, Steel Sculpture, Fayetteville Visitors Bureau

## Grants

Pollock-Krasner Foundation Grant, 2012

West Virginia State Arts Foundation Grant, 2017

## Hard Skills

Photoshop CS6



Adobe Illustrator



3D Artwork



## Soft Skills

Insight



Critical Thinking



Teaching

