**Julie Leidel** – Professional Fine Artist & Illustrator
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**EDUCATION:**1993-1997 BFA, Concentration in Graphic Design, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO
1998-1999 Univ. of Northern Colorado, Greeley, CO (Art Education Courses)

**ARTIST AWARDS:**2019 Grove Park Inn Arts & Crafts Conference, NC, Featured Poster Artist
2019 Ridgway Fine Arts Festival – Best in Show
2019 Golden Fine Arts Festival – 1st in Painting
2018 ASL Summer Art Market, Runner Up to Best in Show
2018 Sunshine Artist Magazine, Poster Winner: Best Layout & Presentation
2018 Cherry Arts Stanley Arts Fest, Spotlighted Artist2018 Vail Fine Arts Festival, Featured Artist
2017 Official Colorado Tourism Guide, Featured Artist Interview
2017 Cheesman Park Art Festival, Featured Artist
2017 Evergreen Fine Arts Festival, Featured Artist
2017 Park Hill Art Festival, Featured Artist2016 – Present Roycroft Renaissance Artisan, Roycrofters-At-Large Association, East Aurora, NY
2016 American Bungalow Magazine, Featured Artist of the Year
2016 Lake Dillon Fine Art Festival, Featured Artist
2015 Pikes Peak Arts Festival, Runner Up to Best in Show
2015 – 2017 Grove Park Inn Arts & Crafts Conference, NC, Featured Poster Artist
2014 Denver People’s Fair, Best in Show

**ARTIST AFFILIATIONS :**2018 – Present Denver Art Students League, Member2016 – Present Roycroft Renaissance Artisan, Roycrofters-At-Large Association, East Aurora, NY
2016 – Present Evergreen Artist Association, Member
2014 – 2018 Vail Daily News Organization, Featured Partnering Artist
2014 – Present Partnering with over 20 gift shops, galleries & retail stores representing my artwork
2012 – Present Board Member, Colorado Arts & Crafts Society, Golden, CO

**ARTISTIC & CREATIVE SKILLS:**
Fine Art, Painting Mediums: Gouache, Acrylic, Oil & Mixed Media, Artistic Drawing, Mechanical Drawing, Pen & Ink, Illustration, Photography, Typography, Graphic Design, Interior Design, Layout, Composition

**SOFTWARE & TECHNCAL KNOWLEDGE:**
Adobe Suite Software, Photoshop, Illustrator, Dreamweaver, InDesign, UI Design, UX design, Microsoft Office

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE: 2010 – Present**The Bungalow Craft by Julie Leidel | Principal Owner | Fine Artist• Creates fine art reminiscent of the WPA posters of the 1930s and inspired by the Arts & Crafts Movement (1880 -
 1920) Art Nouveau, and Art Deco
• Paints original artwork primarily with gouache and acrylic mediums• Designs corporate identities, branding, posters, websites, and print collateral for clients specifically drawn to the
 Arts & Crafts Movement in America and Europe• Manages art show schedules, product inventory, business finances, and client relationships• Self-promoter successfully advertising and marketing to a wide audience, expanding original artwork, artistic
 collaborations, and design services every year
• Detail-oriented entrepreneur with expertise in research, budgeting, evaluation, communication, problem
 solving, creativity and growth

**PUBLIC ARTWORK**:
2017: *Calvary Church:* 20” x 24” gouache on illustration board. Calvary Episcopal Church
 Permanent collection, Golden, CO *2014: NCAR Atmosphere:* 48” x 72” acrylic on panel. National Center for Atmospheric Research
 Permanent collection, Mesa Lab in Boulder, CO
*2014: Boettcher Mansion:* 16” x 20” gouache on illustration board. The Boettcher Mansion
 Permanent collection, Golden, CO

**EXHIBITIONS**:
2019:**Solo Exhibit at the Humphrey Museum, Evergreen, CO
2019: Solo Exhibit at The Chur Gallery, East Aurora, NY
2019: Autumn Colors**–**Group Exhibit**, R Gallery in Boulder, CO
2019: **Solo Exhibit at Portfolio Gallery, Breckenridge, CO**2018: ASL’S Summer Art Market Award Winners Exhibition–**Group Exhibit**, Greenwood Village, CO
2018: Foothills Art Center Member Show–**Group Exhibit**, Golden, CO
2017: Modern Bungalow Gallery–**Featured Artist**, Denver, CO
2016: [*Art of the State 2016*](https://arvadacenter.org/galleries/art-of-the-state-2016) –**Group Exhibit**, Arvada Center For The Arts & Humanities, Arvada, CO
2016: *Texture of Nature*–**Two-Person Exhibit**, NCAR Community Art Program, Boulder, CO
2015: *Arts & Crafts in the West*–**Group Exhibit**, Roycroft Campus, Copper Shop Exhibition, East Aurora, NY
2015: *A Colorado Experience*–**Solo Exhibit**, City of Thornton Development Hall, Thornton, CO
2014: *Colorado Immersion*–**Solo Exhibit**, Golden Moon Distillery & Speakeasy, Golden, CO

**JURIED FINE ART SHOWS - 2019**
Feb. 15-17: [GPI Arts & Crafts Conference](http://www.arts-craftsconference.com/conferenceoverview.html)- Poster Artist
April 14: [CACS' Gathering of the Guilds](http://www.coloarts-crafts.org/events.htm)
May 3: [South Pearl Street Art Walk](https://www.southpearlstreet.com/art-walk/)
May 11: [Wash Park Home Tour & Street Fair](http://www.steelepta.org/home-tour.html)
May 17-19: [Park Hill Art Festival](http://www.parkhillartfestival.com/)
May 25-26:[Denver Arts Festival](https://denverartsfestival.com/)
June 8-9: [SAM - Denver Art Students League](http://asld.org/exhibition-schedule/summer-art-market/)
June 15: [Highlands Street Fair](https://www.visitdenverhighlands.com/event-list/highlands-street-fair)
June 21-23: [Vail Arts Festival](http://www.vailartsfestival.com/)
June 29-30: [Roycroft Summerfest](http://www.ralaweb.com/our-shows%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)
July 13-14: [Alpine Art Affair](http://www.alpineartaffair.com/)
July 19-21: [Lake Dillon Arts Festival](http://www.summitcountyartfestival.com/index.html)
July 27-28: [Cheesman Park Art Fest](http://www.dasheventsdenver.com/cheesman%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)
Aug. 1-3: [Breckenridge Main Street Art Festival](http://www.mountainartfestivals.com/festivals-calendar/2016/12/6/16th-annual-breckenridge-main-street-art-festival)
Aug. 10-11: [**Ridgway Rendezvous Art & Craft Festival -**](https://www.ridgwayrendezvous.com/)Best in Show
Aug. 17-18: [Golden Fine Art Festival](http://goldenchamber.org/golden-fine-arts-festival/) - Award Winner: 1st Place in Painting
Aug. 24-25: [Evergreen Fine Arts Festival](http://www.evergreenfineartsfestival.com/)
Aug. 31-Sept 2: [44nd Ann. Gathering at the Great Divide](http://www.mountainartfestivals.com/festivals-calendar/2016/9/9/40th-annual-gathering-at-the-great-divide)
Sept 7: [OpenAir 150](https://www.applewoodartsandcrafts.com/openair-150.php%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)
Sept. 12: [Ladies Only Sample Tour](http://ladiesonlysampletour.com/golden)
Sept 14-15: [Estes Park Fine Art Festival](https://www.fineartsguild.org/artshow)
Sept 21-22: [Durango Autum Arts Festival](http://durangoarts.org/daaf/)
Sept. 26-29: [Cars & Colors Telluride Fine Art Festival](https://carsandcolors.com/artists/)
Oct. 10-11: [PastForward: National Preservation Conference](https://savingplaces.org/conference%22%20%5Cl%20%22.XW7p0ChKiUk%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)

**PAST JURIED FINE ART SHOWS – 2010 through 2018**
Participated in 128 fine art shows and festivals. Details provided upon request.

**BOOKS**2009: Paintings: A Vintage Colorado by Julie Leidel, 28 pages

**MAGAZINE REFERENCES**
2019: Western Art & Architecture, Handcrafted Comfort
2018: Arts & Crafts Homes and the Revival(Resource Guide), Julie Leidel: Roycroft Painter of Parks
2018: Arts & Crafts Collector, A Painter’s Purpose: Julie Leidel of The Bungalow Craft
2018: Sunshine Artist Magazine, Poster Winner: Best Layout & Presentation
2017: American Bungalow, New & Noteworthy: Art Tile Inspiration
2017: Roycrofter's Chronicle, Julie Leidel's artistic voice is heard loud and clear from Colorado's Mountaintops
2017: Alive: A Colorado Travel Magazine, Art of the Past: Q&A with Colorado Artist Julie Leidel
2017: Arts & Crafts Homes and the Revival, Art + Craft: Ode to a Park
2015: American Bungalow, New & Noteworthy: Paintings Inspired by the Past
2011: American Bungalow, New & Noteworthy: Drawing Inspiration
2010: Cottages & Bungalows, Art For the Masses

**CLIENT LIST:**
ACADEMIC: NCAR (National Center for Atmospheric Research), CSU Alumni Association, CU Denver, Regis University, Jeffco Schools Foundation, KC Distance Learning, Manheim University, Agouron International, Roycroft Campus Corporation, Annual Arts & Crafts Conferences in NC and CO.
CONSULTING: The Bonham Group, Bayside Consulting Group, The Tenth Muse, Vetaris, Inc., Deer Creek Group
FOOD/BEVERAGE: McDonalds, Wendy’s, Golden Moon Distillery
FINANCIAL: Western Union, Visa DPS, Ernst & Young, Charles Schwab, Consumer Credit Counseling ServicesColorado Credit Union League, Weld Community Credit Union, Myers & Stauffer CPAsGOVERNMENT: NASA, Jet Propulsion Laboratory, United States Air Force, Department of Defense, NOAA, FEMA,NREL, CDOT, U.S. Department of Energy, Colo. Dept. of Learning & Employment, Air Command and Staff College, Defense Acquisition University, National Wildfire Coordinating Group, Joint Air & Space, Tennessee Department of PersonnelHEALTH CARE/MEDICAL: Camp LittleTooth DDS, DaVita, National MS Society, Wilderness Medical Society, Respite CareNational Care Connection, Thompson Valley EMS
HOSPITALITY: The Broadmoor, Starwood Hotels & Resorts, Hyatt, Laurel Lodge, Pike Lodge, Stony Brook Yacht Club, The Settler’s Inn
INDUSTRY: Concord Energy, Johnson Controls Inc., Johns Manville, BP, CH2M Hill
MUSEUMS: Kirkland Museum of Fine & Decorative Art
NONPROFIT: Colorado Arts & Crafts Society, Rose Community Foundation, Outdoor Lab Foundation, Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership, Norwood Park Foundation, Calvary Church
RETAIL: Walgreens, Hunter Douglas, Monarch Guides, Reflections Photography, United Stationers
SERVICE: UPS, Qwest, Deloitte, Pinnacol Assurance, Colorado Creative Industries, Hiwan Homeowners Assoc.
TECHNICAL: Regis Learning Solutions, Techniques.org, SkillSoft, Allsis, WISP Networks, Knowledge Anywhere

**ARTIST BIOGRAPHY:**Julie Leidel has been painting for more than 28 years, but it was only when she discovered the Arts & Crafts Movement (1880-1920) that she truly found her artistic voice. The Arts & Crafts style has been a muse on her shoulder for over a decade, and her love story with this period-style artwork started with a home renovation in 2005. She fell in love with the architecture, furniture, pottery, and lighting that, when brought together, make a house a home.

Julie graduated from Colorado State University in 1997 with a BA degree in Graphic Design and worked as a graphic designer, photographer, and user interface designer for many years. Her life-long dream came to fruition as she transitioned to working full-time as an artist in 2013.  Julie exhibits her artwork at 15-20 fine art festivals and shows annually. In 2016, Julie was accepted as a Roycroft Renaissance Artisan, where she carries on the century-old traditions and values set forth by Elbert Hubbard and The Roycrofters from East Aurora, NY. Julie was chosen as the featured artist of the year for 2016 in American Bungalow Magazine, and has been featured in Arts & Crafts Homes and the Revival, and Cottages & Bungalows magazines. Julie will be a featured artist in the Colorado Tourism guide in 2017. She's a member of the Evergreen Artists Association, an active board member for the Colorado Arts & Crafts Society, and she exhibits her work nationally.

Her artwork is about color, line, and shape. She strives to creatively translate nature, architecture, and beauty into artwork for the Craftsman home. She also enjoys ceramics, photography, playing guitar and harp, as well as hiking in the Colorado high country and climbing those fabulous 14,000 ft. peaks. She spends most of her time in the art studio, and with her loving husband and two children in Evergreen, Colorado.

**WORK HISTORY: 2010 - 2013**The Regis Company | Creative Resource Manager | Lead UI/UX Designer• Designed and develops engaging user interfaces, illustrations, animations, multimedia, web sites, and
 information graphics in support of project-specific requirements • Provided art direction by determining with a team the functional ideations, wire frame, UI design parameters,
 and usability requirements • Managed creative development and production specialists and contractors to achieve specific project goals• Interviewed and hired team members, managed daily issues and concerns, and conducted feedback reviews

**WORK HISTORY: 2006 - 2010**Leidel Designs | Principal Owner | Creative Director• Created a wide range of strategic design services from corporate identities to web design, and interactive design
 to creative UI/UX interfaces• Provided project management and developed structure, navigation, and interface for web-based software
 applications• Organized and lead creative sessions to brainstorm concept, strategy, and design• Designed corporate web sites and marketing materials, creating an integrated design for each client• Developed training workshops, continuing education and mentored graphic designers for a mainstay client• Led photo shoots as the photographer for government learning initiatives

**WORK HISTORY: 2000 - 2006**Alva Learning Systems | Creative Manager | Senior Graphic Designer• Creative visionary and acting art director for all projects and clients• Monitored visual approach and mentored designers during the development process while facilitating teamwork
 and communication• Determined with a team the front-end analysis requirements, functional ideations, user interface parameters,
 and usability requirements for all clients• Designed user interfaces, web sites, and created custom animations, complex information graphics, and icons • Lead a team of actors, writers, and photographers on multiple photo shoots • Initiated a quality assurance process to review our products from the user perspective

**WORK HISTORY: 1998 - 2000**Colorado Credit Union League | Lead Graphic Designer | Print Designer• Designed web sites, logos, brochures, posters, direct mail, newsletters, and inserts for credit unions in Colorado
 and Wyoming• Developed promotional pieces and branding campaigns for credit unions looking for a new identity • Learned excellent organizational, problem- solving, and team-building skills

**WORK HISTORY: 1996 - 1997**Threshold Computer Solutions | Multimedia Designer | Graphic Designer• Designed fine art for multimedia workshops and corporate training programs• Created in-house promotional pieces, direct mail, and marketing