

Tyler Thenikl

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Education

- Present **Master of Fine Arts Candidate** - Printmaking
Ohio University, Athens, OH
- 2020 **Bachelor of Arts:** Visual Arts - Studio Art
Bachelor of Arts: Graphic Design
Olivet College, Olivet, MI
Summa Cum Laude

Professional Experience

- 2022-Present **Instructor of Record**
Etching + Relief Printmaking
Description + Drawing (Foundations)
Ohio University, Athens, OH
- 2021-Present **Shop Manager/Studio Technician -**
Printmaking (etching, relief, lithography)
Woodshop
Ohio University, Athens, OH
- 2021-Present **Teaching Assistant**
Art + Hip Hop (Art History)
Description + Drawing (Foundations)
Etching + Relief Printmaking
Function + Practice (Foundations)
Ohio University, Athens, OH

Awards/Grants

- 2023 **I. Hollis Parry/Ann Parry Billman Fine Arts Award,**
Ohio University, Athens, OH
- Arts Launch Grant,** Center for Entrepreneurship,
Ohio University, Athens, OH
- 2021-present **Tuition Waiver,** Ohio University, Athens, OH
- Graduate Assistantship,** Ohio University, Athens, OH
- 2020-2021 **Kirk Newman Art School Artist in Residence**
Kalamazoo Institute of Arts, Kalamazoo, MI
- 2017-2020 **Visual Arts Department Honors**
Olivet College, Olivet, MI

- 2019 **Justus W. Cohoe/Evelyn Gray Andersen Workshop/Travel Scholarship**
Olivet College, Olivet, MI
- 2016-2020 **Board of Trustees Merit Scholarship**
Olivet College, Olivet, MI
- 2016-2019 **Musical Talent Scholarship**
Olivet College, Olivet, MI

Selected Exhibitions

- 2023 **43rd Annual National Print Exhibition**, juried by Marianetta Porter,
Artlink Contemporary Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN
- The Contemporary Print**, juried by Rashaun Rucker
PrintAustin Conference, Austin Community College, Austin, TX
- We Talk About the Weather, the Weather Talks About Us**, curated by
Trevor Grabill, Cloudhouse Gallery, Kalamazoo, MI
- Works On Paper**, juried exhibition
Paper Circle, Nelsonville, OH
- Paper and Clay**, juried group exhibition
Utah State University, Logan, UT
- 2022 **Olivet College Collections Exhibition**,
Olivet College Art Department, Olivet, MI
- Visual Essays on Place, Land, and Transformation**, solo exhibition
The Union, Athens, OH
- Still Uncertain**, MFA group exhibition,
Ohio University Art Gallery, Athens, OH
- Suburban**, Five Themes Exhibition Suite, juried group exhibition
Manifest Gallery, Cincinnati, OH
- McClain's Printmaking 2022 Online Gallery**, group exhibition
McClain's Printmaking Supplies, King City, OR
imclains.com/gallery/index.html
- 2021 **Ohio University Alumni Print Exchange Exhibition**, group exhibition,
Arts West Art Center, Athens, OH
- Kirk Newman Art School Residents Exhibition**, curated group exhibition,
Kalamazoo Institute of Art, Kalamazoo, MI
- 41st Annual National Print Exhibition**, Juried by Ruth Lingen.
Artlink Contemporary Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN
- 2020 **40th Annual National Print Exhibition**, juried by Karen Kunc.

Artlink Contemporary Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN

Ink Matters, juried exhibition,
Indiana University Downtown Gallery, Kokomo, IN

Michigan Collegiate Art Exhibition, juried exhibition
Lansing Art Gallery, Lansing, MI

McClain's Printmaking 2020 Online Gallery, group exhibition
McClain's Printmaking Supplies, King City, OR
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Additional Education/Professional Development/Workshops

2023 **Mine Pollution Tour and Iron Oxide Collection**,
True Pigments, Athens County, OH

2022 **Mid America Print Conference**,
Kent State University, Kent, OH

Southern Graphics Council International Conference,
University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI

2021 **Online Teaching Facilitator Certification**,
Ohio University Graduate College, Athens, OH

Professional Practices for Artists
Kalamazoo Institute of Art, Kalamazoo, MI

2020 **Kirk Newman Art School Classes**
*Gum Bichromate Photography, Introduction to Lithography, Relief
Printmaking, Pastel Painting.* Kalamazoo, MI

2019 **Hatch Show Print Internship**,
Hatch Show Print, Nashville, TN

Art and Culture of Tuscany Class/Tour
Italy/Olivet College, Olivet, MI

2018-2019 **President's Leadership Institute**,
Olivet College, Olivet, MI

Exchange Portfolios

2022 **MAPC Open Call-To-Action**, curated by Shelley Gipson
Kent State University Center for Visual Arts, Kent, OH

2021 **Ohio University Alumni Portfolio Exchange**
Ohio University, Athens, OH

2018 **Printmakers of Kendall College of Art and Design + Olivet College**
Grand Rapids, MI; Olivet, MI

Publications

- 2023 **The Hand Magazine Issue 40**
Prairie Village, KS
- 2022 **Manifest Season 18 Annual Exhibition Catalog (MEA 18)**
Manifest Gallery, Cincinnati, OH
- McClain's Printmaking 2022 Catalog**
McClain's Printmaking Supplies, King City, OR
- 2021 **New Ohio Review 29**
Ohio University, Athens, OH
- The Hand Magazine Issue 32**
Prairie Village, KS
- 2020 **The Hand Magazine Issue 30**
Prairie Village, KS
- McClain's Printmaking 2020 Catalog**
McClain's Printmaking Supplies, King City, OR
- Garfield Lake Review**
Olivet College, Olivet, MI

Selected Community Service

- 2023 **Rural Action Riparian Habitat Planting,**
Hager Homestead, Albany, OH
- 2022 **Acid Mine Drainage Iron Oxide Reclamation,**
True Pigments, Athens County, OH
- Water Sampling, Rural Action Watershed Team**
Athens County, OH

Collections

- Kent State University, Kent, OH**
- Ohio University, Athens, OH**
- Kalamazoo Institute of Art, Kalamazoo, MI**
- Olivet College, Olivet, MI**

Kendall College of Art and Design of FSU, Grand Rapids, MI

Professional Organizations

Rural Action

Southern Graphics Council (SGC)

Mid America Print Council (MAPC)

Southwest Michigan Printmakers (SWMP)

Wood Engravers Network (WEN)