

Dena Nord

Born South Elgin, IL, 1986

Currently lives in Bay View, WI

EDUCATION

2007 • Summer Abroad in Tuscany, University of Georgia

2009 • BFA, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

EMPLOYMENT

5/15–Present • Odvant Creative, Partner and Founder

3/12–5/15 • Milwaukee Art Museum, Graphic Designer

3/12–5/15 • Splash Studio, Lead Artist & Lead Designer

3/11–3/12 • The Kohler Company, Graphic Designer

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

11/08–1/09 • Milwaukee Jewish Day School

3/12–5/15 • Splash Studio

11/14–11/2015 • Cedarburg Cultural Center

1/16 • Carmen High School Session

1/17–5/17 • Bay View High School

RESIDENCIES

2014 • Finalist for Artist in Residence, The Pfister Hotel Milwaukee

5/15 • Artist in Residence, Cedarburg Cultural Center

Spring 2017 • Artist in Residence, Bay View High School

FEATURED LIVE PAINTER

2012 • Eisner Museum, Art Milwaukee New Years Eve

2013 & 2014 • Milwaukee Art Museum, Art Milwaukee New Years Eve Party

2015, 2016 & 2018 • Arte Para Todos Music Festival

11/17 • Colors and Chords at Turner Hall

12/17 • Salvation Army Red Kettle Gala

2/18 • Milwaukee Art Museum, Artnomous

PUBLIC ART

- 8/13 • Little Free Public Library
- 2014, 2015, 2016 • Artist Working in Education, Lead Summer Mural Artist
- 2015 • Milwaukee Maker Faire, Bottle Cap Portrait Creation
- 2016 • Milwaukee Art Museum, Bal Du Lac Interactive Art
- 2017 • Bay View High School, Mural, Signage, and Fence Art Creation
- 2017 • Bay View Street Canvas Project, Lead Artist Mr. P's Tires

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 6/12 • The Hide House
- 7/12 • Splash Studio
- 4/13 & 07/17 • Gallerie M
- 7/13 • Timothy J. Showcase
- 9/15 • Tonic Tavern Bay View Gallery Night
- 1/17 • Revel Gallery
- 6/17 • The Muse Gallery Guesthouse
- 11/17 • Frontroom Photography, Bay View Gallery Night
- 6/18 • Sabrosa Café and Gallery

GROUP SHOWS

- 9/11 & 11/12 • Made in Milwaukee
- 6/14 • Underground Collaborative
- 10/14 • Italian Community Center
- 6/15 • Rochester Museum of Fine Arts
- 7/14 • The Bradley Center, The Mecca Floor Project
- 9/15 • The Muse Gallery Guesthouse
- 2/17 • Gallery 2622, Wauwatosa
- 10/17 • CultureJam at Redline Gallery
- 2/18 • Milwaukee Art Museum, Artnonomous Inaugural Show

JURIED EXHIBITIONS

- 2/14 • Cedarburg Cultural Center, You Gotta Have Art Gala
- 5/14 • Augmented World Expo: AR Art Gala
- 8/14 • Splash Studio, Complex Croma
- 4/15 • Arts At Large, 43 Voices
- 5/15 • Rochester Museum of Art, 2015 Biennial
- 6/18 • Modern Landscape at Redline Gallery

ACHIEVEMENTS AND HONORS

- 1/12 • Art House Reveal Art Contest, 1st Place
- 11/12 • League of Milwaukee Artists, Guest Speaker
- 6/11 & 10/13 • Art Milwaukee, Piece of the Week
- 3/13 • Creative Arts Council, Founding Member
- 6/13 • Innovation in Milwaukee Arts Competition, 1st Place
- 2013–2018 • The Dena Nord App
- 2015 • Muscular Dystrophy Association Artist Auction, Featured Artist
- 12/16 • Founding Member, Spectacle Art Group
- 09/17 • Future of Immersive Leisure Conference Las Vegas, Guest Speaker