

Amie Oliver

Amie Oliver teaches painting, drawing and mixed media for the MIS Degree of the <u>Virginia Commonwealth University School of the Arts</u> and John Tyler Community College in Richmond, Virginia. She also offers art workshops for adults and teens at the <u>Visual Arts Center of Richmond</u> and other non-profit art centers. She is also available for private studio consultations for students of every level.

Oliver enrolled in art classes at Delta State University as a teen and is a graduate of Bowling Green State University (MFA) and Mississippi State University (BA). She has also completed post grad course work at Tyler School of Art of Temple University and with Book Artist Keith Smith at the Visual Studies Workshop through the State University of New York.

Oliver's artwork has been exhibited in hundreds of exhibitions in Europe, Asia Australia, and the Americas. Her studio practice has been supported by generous fellowship and exchange opportunities at the <u>Virginia Center for Creative Arts</u>, the <u>Oberfalzer Kunstlerhaus</u> in Schwandorf, Germany, Mouli Nef in Auvillar, France, the <u>Metasenta Foundation</u> for a project in Tibet, China, but based in Australia and the <u>Vermont Studio Center</u> in Johnson, VT. She currently sits on the Board of <u>1708 Gallery</u> in Richmond, VA and formerly served on the Board of the <u>YWCA of Mississippi</u>.

Oliver shares her life with writer and actor Harry Kollatz, Jr and three

demanding cats from Mississippi.