

## **Blogger's Agreement**

Thank you for your willingness to serve the art community and promote representational fine art alongside Oil Painters of America ("OPA" or "the organization"). We expect this venture to be a great success and highly beneficial to artists worldwide. In order to increase the likelihood of that success, we ask that you please review this document and uphold the policies discussed. Thank you!

#### **Our Goal**

The OPA Blog is intended to be a source of valuable information pertaining to fine art and encouraging discussion within the art community as well as leading the way as an educational resource. An ideal post would include personal stories, techniques and thought-provoking questions.

### **Advertising**

We are thankful for your participation in the OPA Blog and hope that you will succeed in your business, but as OPA in a not-for-profit and the intent of the blog is to further education and provide valuable resources in regard to representational art, we ask that you refrain from direct promotion of your personal artwork or specific brands of products. We understand that some techniques call for specific tools, and there are times when specific pieces of artwork may be referenced; we just ask you to limit advertising where possible.

#### Language & Image

As an Oil Painters of America guest-blogger, you represent the voice of OPA. We ask that you refrain from all forms of vulgarity and seek to present OPA in the best light possible. Likewise, there may be other artists or organizations which you do not agree with; we ask you to speak well of others. We also ask that you denote any personal views when they are likely to differ from the view of the organization as a whole. The internet is wide-reaching and so it is important to consider how your views may affect and be interpreted by readers. Unless directly instructed, you are not authorized to speak on behalf of OPA.

## Comments

Readers will be given the opportunity to comment on your post and discuss it with you and other readers, directly beneath the post. We ask that during the week of your post you frequent the comment section to respond to questions as they arise. The ability to comment may or may not close after your post week, so we invite you to remain engaged in any future discussions around your post, though you are not obligated after your initial post week.

## Copyright & Ownership

OPA holds the copyright for use and reproduce all written works in the future at its' own discretion. We also maintain the right to edit or remove articles as needed.

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Recognize that you are legally liable for anything you write or present online.

# **Sourcing and Attribution**

Bloggers are required to attribute their work and cite your sources.

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remove my blog posting and associated	comments without my notice and without my
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