

FINE ARTS HALL OF FAME NOMINATION FORM

Nominee's First and Last Name: Julia Chandler Lawing
Nominee's Current Position and Title: Julia Lawing Fine Art
Nominee's Arts Discipline or Focus Area: Fine Art Oil Paintings
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Discuss how the nominee's continuing arts involvement affects a positive change or contributed and helped promote arts at Frederica Academy (500 Word Limit.)

Julia and I studied art together in upper school at Frederica Academy in the mid 1980s under the inspiration and excellent instruction of Anna Lisa Taylor. Ms. Taylor instilled a passion for art and equipped her students for artistic pursuits at the college level. Julia's experience in the studio at Frederica inspired her to continue her love for art at college. After graduating from Frederica Academy in 1986, Julia earned a journalism degree with a concentration in art at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill where she discovered a love for figure drawing and art history. Julia is currently an accomplished and prolific professional impressionistic oil painter who has showed in numerous galleries, won prestigious competitive awards, and maintains an active studio as well as a successful online art sales and commission business. Her work has been described as "visual poetry, simultaneously elusive and evocative, inviting the viewer on a journey that speaks to the soul of life." Her works can be viewed at julialawing.com and @julialawingart.