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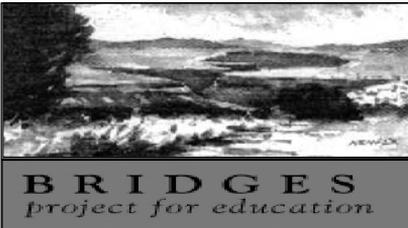
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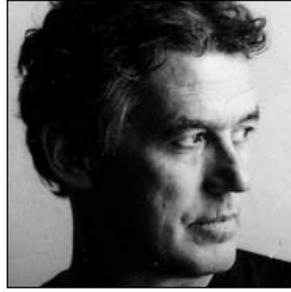
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JACK SMITH

Jack is recognized as one of the most talented and influential portraitists in America today. A recent show of Taos Portraits garnered a Past Achievement Award from the Peter and Madeleine Martin Foundation for the Creative Arts. Jack will paint a portrait of the Best of Festival Award winner; his work is shown at the Sullivan Goss Gallery in Santa Barbara. www.sullivanangoss.com

SUZANNE WIGGIN

A thirty-year Taos resident, Wiggin has always used this land, with its storms and clear light, as the focus of her luminous oil landscapes. She received her MFA from Boston University, and her numerous exhibition credits include the American Academy of Arts and Letters' 1995 Invitational in New York; "New Mexico 2000" at the Museum of Fine Arts; and a commissioned altarpiece for the San Lorenzo a Grignano Church in Italy, among many others. Wiggin is represented in Cape Cod, Denver, Santa Monica, Santa Fe, and once again at the Fenix Gallery here in Taos. www.fenixgallery.com

PAUL PASCARELLA

Graduated from Parsons School of Design in 1968. His work is in numerous public and private collections, including London's Victoria and Albert Museum, the Hammond Museum in New York, NY, and the Harwood Foundation here in Taos. New abstract works tend to have strong dynamic rhythmic forms in oil emerging from the canvas- drawing on an immense knowledge of both Eastern and Western art traditions and often speaking to the tectonic beauty of his mountain home perched above Arroyo Seco. "His [Paul Pascarella's] paintings are always weird yet exquisite and savage in their execution."- Hunter S. Thompson

BUD GIBBONS

His landscape and figurative paintings are represented in collections across the United States and around the globe including England, China and Peru. Gibbons has spent his life exploring the relationship between landforms and culture in places like Alaska, China, Peru and Tibet. It is his belief that the natural environment has a great deal of influence on personal identity and society as a whole. His paintings contain a great sensitivity to light, color and texture. Bud Gibbons lives in the western foothills of the Allegheny Mountains in Pennsylvania. www.budgibbons.com

BRYDEN BULLINGTON

Bryden began his career as an artist in San Francisco in the 1960s. Painting and enjoying the beautiful Southwest for thirty years, he has painted in New Mexico for ten years. His work can be seen at Tony Whitecrow's Gallery and Wabi-Sabi in Taos. brydenbull@hotmail.com

BEN WADE

Before settling in Taos for thirty years, artist and craftsman Wade taught art and design at the Chouard Art Institute and the California Art Institute, Los Angeles, CA; worked as a potter and a boat builder; and plied a myriad of artistic trades. His playful little wood cuts are on view at Fenix gallery here in Taos, as well as some of his larger sculptural works. "My immediate ambition is to continue in bronze and add a note of lux and charm to an otherwise desiring and thirsty world."-bw 1995 www.fenixgallery.com

JANE MINGENBACH

Born and educated in Wisconsin, Mingenbach came to Taos in 1960 and became an integral part of the Taos Arts Community. Besides continuing her fluid plein air seasonal watercolor work, she currently explores the boundaries of mixed media print making; working in woodcut, monoprint, and oil layers to create deeply textured, complex presentations developed around strong iconographic imagery.

SETH BULLINGTON

Based out of Taos Ski Valley, Seth photographs throughout the Southwest, Alaska, and Hawaii. He specializes in adventure sports, night scenes, fireworks, and concert photography. www.sethbullington.com