



Plein Air Oil Painting

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with Juliana Crownover

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Dear Friends,

Thank you for signing up for my Oil Painting Workshop at Ghost Ranch — I'm so looking forward to painting with you in this extraordinary landscape! Before we arrive, I encourage you to do a little "dress rehearsal" with your materials. Set up your easel, paints, and palette just as you would for class, and make sure everything works smoothly and that you have what you need. This small step will help you feel more comfortable and confident once we're on location. If you have any questions about supplies, setup, or anything else, please don't hesitate to reach out. You can email me anytime at julianacrownover@gmail.com — I'm happy to help.

I can't wait to paint alongside you and share the beauty and inspiration of Ghost Ranch.

Warmly,

Juliana Crownover Artist & Instructor



Workshop Materials:

- Easel or Painting Setup
 - Portable easel or pochade box with tripod – must support an 8x10" panel and include a place to mix paint.
- Painting Surfaces
 - (6-12) 8x10" painting panels(*Recommended: Centurion panels or Senso All-Media Linen Painting Panels)
 - Way to transport wet paintings: (Wet panel carrier or empty pizza box)
- Paint Colors:
 - Large tube of Titanium White
 - Small tubes of:
 - Burnt Sienna
 - Prussian Blue
 - Yellow Ochre
 - Optional colors: cad red light., ultramarine, cad yellow light, greenish umber
- Brushes & Tools:
 - Flat brushes in sizes 4, 6, and 8
 - Favorite brand: Rosemary & Co. <https://www.windriverarts.com/Brushes.htm>.
You can get the "Juliana Crownover set"
- Palette knife
- Paper towels, rags, or tissues
- Plastic bag or small container for trash
- Solvent (optional)
- Gamsol Odor-Free Mineral Spirits (for cleaning brushes)
- Bring a small jar or tin if you plan to use it
- Extras for Comfort & Convenience
- Sun hat and apron
- Umbrella (for shade or light control)



- Baby wipes
- Gray scale markers and notecards or sketchbook for value studies
- Pen/ pencil book for notes
- Backpack or bag to hold all this

Oil painting schedule:

3:00 pm Check in begins on day of arrival

6:45 pm Directly following dinner in the Dining Hall, Ghost Ranch Orientation and Introductions

Monday - Friday: We will paint from 9-noon and again from 7:00-8:30 every day. The class room will be open in between class time. Everyday we will go out, some of our class time will be spent working on prepping to make Plein air more successful.

Daily Meals:

- Breakfast: 7:30 - 8:30 am
- Lunch: 12:00 (noon) - 1:00 pm
- Dinner: 5:30 - 6:30 pm