

Meet the Artist

Laurie Fox Pessemier

Laurie Fox Pessemier was born in Winsted, Connecticut.

She has painted since she was seven, illustrating a story she wrote.

Laurie studied art at NCCC and the University of Hartford (Hartford Art School) in Connecticut. Laurie has a degree in art and art history. During her college years, she worked at the Kendall Art Gallery on Cape Cod, learning from more established artists there.

In 1993, with her husband Blair, she led a group of plain air painters in France, relating the history of French Impressionism in fact and practice. Laurie won the Mayor prize for her painting plain air on the Champs-Elysees, in Paris, France, in 2000. Her work is in collections around the world, including the local museum in Port-en-Bessin, France.