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ARTISTS





Ping Chieh Lin is a Taiwanese photographer who studied telecommunications and network management at Syracuse University. She specializes in nature photography and is working in IT at Upstate University Hospital.

Brian Hindson is a contributing artist and writer with the Prison Journalism Project. His favorite styles of work are impressionism and pop art, which he particularly likes for its audacity. His favorite artist is Edward Hopper. His work has also been published by the Justice Arts Coalition. Brian is incarcerated in Texas. To learn more about his work, go to prisonjournalismproject.org/author/brian-hindson.





Yuri Kadamov is a Lithuanian artist creating his work in solitary confinement in the U.S. He has experimented with diverse genres and is particularly inspired by surrealist and abstract styles. Many of his pieces are featured throughout the issue and on our front and back covers. His playful "puzzle piece" works come from his collections "We as a Society" and "Our Kind of Society." To read more about Yuri's creative process (and the barriers he faces in solitary confinement), see page 52.





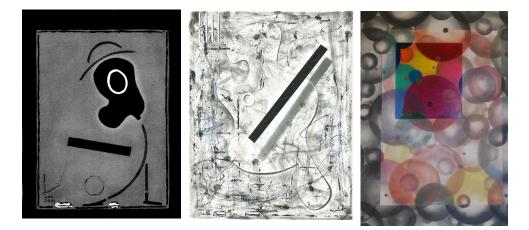


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Yuri Kadamov (continued)

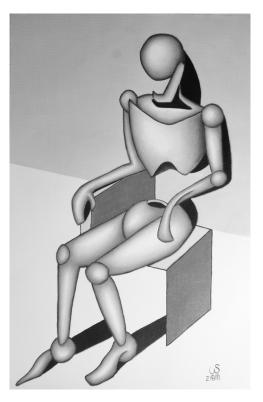




Jeff Elmore is currently incarcerated at North Alabama Community Work Center. He completed a certificate program in horticulture through Calhoun Community College. At age 66 and halfway through a twenty-year sentence, Jeff looks forward to gardening upon his release.



Deborah Nicholls began watercolor painting to help her process grief after the deaths of her children. Through art, she has found a way to express emotion, share her passion with others, and create beauty in darkness.



Sean J. White arrived in prison in 1997 at the age of 19. His abstract figurative artworks have hung in several national juried exhibitions and solo shows. As well as a fine artist, he is a writer and poet whose work has appeared in various literary journals. Samples of his work can be seen at thejusticeartscoalition.org.

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