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## biography

Lindsey Rush Hawkins, also known as L. Rush, is an artist and designer in the Atlanta area. Her personal artwork can be found on exhibit in the Roswell Cultural Arts Center, and in art shows such as Trinity, Work of Our Hands, and Dragon Con.

Issues of forgiveness, love, spirituality, and surreal relationships with nature are main focal areas of her work. These issues are expressed through the visual use of symbols, landscapes, textures, and color schemes. Much of Lindsey's inspiration comes from her childhood growing up on a farm in Southern Indiana. She still has dreams about the farmhouse and fields of open land. Within the farm community, Lindsey was in 4-H for ten years and still is just a country girl at heart. Through out the years, her graphic design career has taken her to San Francisco, New York City, Indianapolis, Chicago, and currently she has settled into the Atlanta area.

### gallery | exhibitions

2008-13 Roswell Cultural Arts Center:: Roswell, GA

Since 2008 have been invited back to exhibit at the center. In 2013, presented a solo show.

2009-14 Dragon Con Art Show:: Atlanta, GA

Dragon Con is the largest science fiction, fantasy, and pop-culture convention of its type in the world, with an attendance of over 35,000 people.

2011-12 Work of Our Hands Artists' Market :: Atlanta, GA

Presented a series of mixed medium paintings.

2007- 11 Lola Art Gallery & Gift Shop:: Historic Roswell, GA

Exhibited an on going series of paintings.

In 2008, presented a solo show.

2011 Bogan's Holiday Art Show:: Buford, GA

Presented a series of mixed medium paintings.

2009 Art Show Judge {Dragon Con, Atlanta, GA}

Judge for the Dragon Con Art Show.

2008- 09 Spotlight on Art:: Atlanta, GA:: February 19 - 23

Represented in the contemporary section. This event supports financial aid to students, instructional programs for teachers and other educational needs that enrich the lives of the students.

2007-08 Folk Fest:: Norcross, GA

Presented paintings in the world's largest folk art show specializing in self-taught art, outsider art, folk art and southern folk pottery, and anonymous antique folk art.

2007- 08 The Fifth House Studio:: Marietta, GA

Group show and exhibit at the Artisan Resource Center Spring Open Studios.



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### birthplace

Evansville, Indiana Raised on a 40-acre farm in Southern Indiana.

#### education

Southern Poly. State University MS: Information Design and Communication 2009

Northern Illinois State University Grad. courses in Fine Art

Purdue University BA: Visual Communication Design 1999

# occupation

designer artist educator

#### fine art specialties

mix medium drawing acrylic paint illustration photography

2007	Square Roots:: Decatur, GA Exhibited an on going series of paintings.
2005	Westwood Faculty Art Show:: Atlanta, GA Group show and exhibit a series on drawings.
2002	Westwood Faculty Art Show:: Schiller Park, IL Group show and exhibit a series on drawings.