## Dashuai Sun's Awards

2020	Mary Bryan Memorial Medal and \$2500 Cash in the American Watercolor Society's 153 <sup>rd</sup> Annual International Exhibition
2019	10 <sup>th</sup> Place in the 2019 Acrylic Painters USA Annual Juried Exhibition Five Award Artworks published in <i>American Watercolor Society (AWS) Newsletter</i> Winter 2019 (Issue 114) -AWS MEMBERS IN THE NEWS
2018	First Prize and Gold Medal winner in international competition jointly sponsored by France's <i>The Art of Watercolour</i> magazine and the National Watercolor Society, <i>The Art of Watercolour</i> rewarded the artist with ten full center pages for free, accompanied by an interview with the editor-in-chief, eleven works published simultaneously in the 36 <sup>th</sup> issue of the 2018 French edition and 30 <sup>th</sup> issue of the English edition  3 <sup>rd</sup> Place in the 27 <sup>th</sup> Annual Juried Experimental Art Exhibit of the International Society of Experimental Artists  "Schmincke Award" in the 2018 NorthStar Watermedia Society National Exhibition  Bronze Medal in the Red River Watercolor Society's 25 <sup>th</sup> Annual National Juried Watermedia Exhibition  "Karen and Gary Lee Award" in the 2018 Adirondacks National Exhibition of American Watercolors  "Travel Award" of the AWS 2018-2019 Traveling Exhibition  Winner of the AcrylicWorks competition of <i>AcrylicWorks 6: Creative Energy!</i> "Claude Parsons Memorial Award" in the American Artists Professional League 90 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Grand National Exhibition
2017	"Golden Award" in the NWS-The Art of Watercolour Competition, artwork featured on page 53 of <i>The Art of Watercolour</i> magazine 29 <sup>th</sup> issue  11 paintings featured in <i>The Art of Watercolour</i> 30 <sup>th</sup> issue  "Huiting Wealth Management Award" in the Rocky Mountain National Watermedia Exhibition  Award of Excellence in the Watercolor USA 2017 Exhibition  Merit Award in the 2017 Watercolor Art Society-Houston's 40 <sup>th</sup> International Exhibition  "CWA Signature Members Award" in the California Watercolor Association 47 <sup>th</sup> National Exhibition  Award of Merit in Pittsburgh Watercolor's Aqueous Open 2017-71 <sup>st</sup> Annual International Exhibition  Signature Member Award of the Watercolor USA Honor Society

2016	"Holbein Award" in the 2016 NorthStar Watermedia National Juried Exhibition  First Place Award in the 25 <sup>th</sup> Annual International Society of Experimental Artists  International Art Exhibition
	"Best of Show Award" in the International Society of Acrylic Painters 7th Annual
2016	Open Exhibition
	"WHS Morris Meyer Memorial Award" in the Watercolor USA 2016 exhibition "Excellence Award" in the 18th Artavita Competition
2015	"Second Place-Virginia and Fritz Weigand Award" in the 2015 Rocky Mountain National Watermedia exhibition
	"Catharine Lorillard Wolfe Art Club Award" in the Allied Artists of America, Inc. 102 <sup>nd</sup> Annual Exhibition
	"Judith and A.Richard Cohen Abstraction Award-3rd Place" in the 34 <sup>th</sup> Adirondacks National Exhibition of American Watercolors
2014	Painting published in <i>Acrylic Works2</i> as a <b>winner</b> of the North Light Books' 2 <sup>nd</sup> <i>Annual Acrylic Works: The Best of Acrylic Painting Competition</i>
	"Martin Family Award" in the 33 <sup>rd</sup> Annual Adirondacks National Exhibition of American Watercolors
	Painting published in the <i>Incite 3: The Art of Storytelling</i> as a <b>winner</b> of the North Light Books' competition
2013	"Salis International, Inc. Award" in the Watercolor Society of Alabama 72 <sup>nd</sup> National Exhibition
	"Daniel Smith Artists Materials Award" in the Louisiana Watercolor Society 43 <sup>rd</sup> International Exhibition
2012	Listed in Who's Who in America (66th Edition)
	First Place Watercolors in the Art Buzz the 2012 Collection
	"Board of Directors Award-4th Place" in the Watercolor Art Society-Houston 35 <sup>th</sup> International Exhibition
	Two paintings won Third Place and Recognition Award in the Associated Arts of
	Ocean Shores 43 <sup>rd</sup> Annual Juried and Open Fine Art, Photography and Electronic Media Show
	"TWSA Members Award-Top Award" in the 36th Transparent Watercolor Society
	of America Annual Juried Exhibition, one of the top 3 winners, painting published in
	American Artist Watercolor magazine Summer Issue
	<b>Honorable Mention Award</b> in the 27 <sup>th</sup> Watercolor Wyoming National Exhibition

	One of 50 winners nationwide in the <i>Alexandria Museum of Art</i> 25 <sup>th</sup> September Competition
2012	<b>Honorable Mention Award</b> in the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Art Contest organized by Artavita and sponsored by World Wide Art Books
	"NWS Members & Friends Award" in the National Watercolor Society 92 <sup>nd</sup> Annual Exhibition
2011	"Richard Barrett Memorial Award" in the California Watercolor Association 42 <sup>nd</sup> National Exhibition
	<b>Central Piece, Catalog Cover</b> and <b>Announcement Card</b> in the Rocky Mountain National Watermedia 38 <sup>th</sup> Annual Exhibition
2010	<b>Bronze Medal</b> in the Red River Watercolor Society 17 <sup>th</sup> Annual National Juried Exhibition, North Dakota
	Merit Award in the Watercolor Art Society-Houston 33 <sup>rd</sup> International Exhibition "Jack Richeson & Co. Award" in the National Art League 80 <sup>th</sup> Annual Open Exhibition
	<b>Great Art Award</b> in the artist Patchings Open Competition of the United Kingdom <b>Honorable Mention Award</b> in the Pennsylvania Watercolor Society 31 <sup>st</sup> Annual Juried Exhibition
	Honorable Mention in the National Art League Fall Members' Exhibition Signature Member Award of the International Society of Acrylic Painters Signature Member Award of the North East Watercolor Society
2009	"Gerry Lenfest Award for American Art" in the National Society of Painters in Casein and Acrylic's 55 <sup>th</sup> Annual competition
	Merit Award in the Watercolor Art Society-Houston 32 <sup>nd</sup> International Exhibition Best in Works on Paper in the Manhattan Arts International's 6 <sup>th</sup> Her Story
	Competition "American Artists' Professional League Award" in the Salmagundi Club Annual
	Juried Painting and Sculpture Exhibition for Non-Members "Ellen Owen Memorial Award" in the Southwestern Watercolor Society 46 <sup>th</sup>
	Annual Exhibition
	<b>Silver Medal</b> in watercolor category in the National Art League 79 <sup>th</sup> Annual Fall Members' Exhibition
	Three paintings featured in Kennedy Publishing's Best of America-Watermedia
	Artists, Volume II, one of three published on the <b>back cover</b> Third Place in the 39 <sup>th</sup> Annual River Road Show

2008	<b>One of ten finalists</b> of the <i>International Artist</i> magazine Challenge No. 42 People & Figures competition
	Honorable Mention Ribbon in the National Art League Small Works Exhibition
	<b>First Place</b> in the 78 <sup>th</sup> Annual Open Exhibition of National Art League
2008	"Best Painting in Show-the Newington Award" in the American Artists
	Professional League's 80 <sup>th</sup> Grand National Exhibition, first Asian Winner in
	watermedia for the Best Painting in 80 years
	Featured as <b>Best in Show-the Newington Award Winner</b> in <i>Art Times</i> , December
	2008
	Second Place and the Honorable Mention-Watermedia Award in the Miniature
	Painters, Sculptors & Gravers Society of Washington, D.C.'s 75 <sup>th</sup> Annual
	International Exhibition of Fine Art in Miniature, Washington, D.C.
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2007	One of ten finalists in the American Artist Casein Art Competition
	<b>Gold Medal</b> in the 77 <sup>th</sup> National Art League Fall Members' Exhibition
	Fourth Place in the Northwest Cultural Council Annual International Juried
	Exhibition
	<b>Third Place</b> in the Alaska Watercolor Society 33 <sup>rd</sup> Annual Juried Exhibition
	"Raymond Chow Memorial Award" in the American Artists Professional League
	79 <sup>th</sup> Grand National Exhibition
2006	"Winsor & Newton Award" in the American Artists Professional League 78th
	Grand National Exhibition
2004	Featured Artist in How Did You Paint That?-100 Ways to Paint People & Figures
2003	Included in the <i>Dictionary of the Chinese Famous Artists 1949-2002</i> by the
	Chinese Artists Association
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2000	"Honorable Mention-Acrylic Klara Herring Memorial Award" in Spring 2000
	of Washington Square Outdoor Art Exhibition
1999	Written article featured in <i>Chinese Watercolor-9</i> , three works published on <b>inside</b>
	front cover and back cover
	<b>Grand Prize</b> in the 8 <sup>th</sup> Annual Manhattan Arts International Competition, featured
	in the July-August 1999 issue of Manhattan Art International
1998	<b>Grand Prize</b> in the 7 <sup>th</sup> Annual Manhattan Arts International Competition, featured
1770	as an <b>Award Winner</b> in the Volume 15 No.2 Summer 1998 issue of <i>Manhattan Arts</i>
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	Featured in ARTIS Spectrum Volume 11/4, 1998
1997	Winners of Excellence in the 1997 Manhattan Arts International 6 <sup>th</sup> Annual Competition The only winner of the "People's Choice Award" in the Annual Individual Artists
1997	Showcase Competition  Winner in the Soho International Art Competition sponsored by Agora Gallery and ARTmine, four paintings presented by ARTmine
1996	One of two winners in the 1996-97 Individual Artists Showcase Competition, Featured as an oil and watercolor artist in the <i>Daily News</i> Introduced as an <b>Award Winner</b> in <i>Success Now! for Artists</i> newsletter
1994	The only artist with three paintings selected in the 8 <sup>th</sup> National Art Exhibition (two in Inner Mongolia, one in Beijing), one painting won the <b>Excellence Award</b> Featured in Chinese publications <i>Art</i> , <i>Art News</i> , <i>Art Panorama</i> , <i>Chinese Art Today</i> , <i>Jiangsu Art Monthly</i> , <i>Contemporary Chinese Watercolor Paintings</i> , <i>National Literature</i> , <i>Encounter Monthly of Shanghai</i> , <i>Water Color</i> , <i>Guangming Daily Newspaper</i> , <i>Worker Daily Newspaper</i> , and <i>Wenhui Monthly</i> , etc.  Invited to the <b>Chinese Contemporary Masters Exhibition</b> , paintings displayed in the Chinese History Museum  Featured in two volumes of <i>Contemporary Chinese Watercolour Paintings</i>
1992	Selected in the Second Watercolor & Gouache National Exhibition, the second watercolor and gouache exhibition after 43 years of the founding of the People's Republic of China, painting selected for the <b>Travel Show to USA</b> as the only <b>figurative painting</b> in the private collection
1989	Created <i>Bright Moon</i> independently outside of classes while a junior in college, won the " <b>Excellence Award</b> " in the Inner Mongolia Art Competition, selected in the 7 <sup>th</sup> National Art Exhibition, the nation's most prestigious academic art exhibition, held once every five years by the National Culture Ministry and the Chinese Artists Association Youngest artist featured in the " <b>50 Most Famous Artists</b> " <i>Best Selection</i> book

## **Dashuai Sun's Selected Exhibitions**

2020	Selected in the 11th Annual Signature American Int'l Watermedia Exhibition
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	Selected in the 2020 Acrylic Painters USA Juried Exhibition to be held at Scarfone/Hartley Gallery
2019	Selected in the 13 <sup>th</sup> National Exhibition of Fine Arts, exhibition of Works of Artists from Hong Kong, Macao, Taiwan, and Overseas Chinese Artists, the highest academic art exhibition in China, held once every five years by the National Culture Ministry and the Chinese Artists Association, one of fifteen finalists in Watercolor and Gouache category 2019 Adirondacks National Exhibition of American Watercolors
2018	151st Annual International Exhibition of the American Watercolor Society Georgia Watercolor Society 39th National Exhibition Florida 11th Biennial National Art Exhibition NWS Membership Exhibition Watercolor U.S.A 57th 2018 Exhibition Red River Watercolor Society's 25th Annual National Juried Watermedia Exhibition 45th Annual Rocky Mountain National Watermedia Exhibition 9th Annual International Society of Acrylic Painters Online International Open Exhibition National Oil & Acrylic Painters' Society (NOAPS) Fall International Online Exhibition
2017	Northwest Watercolor Society's 77 <sup>th</sup> Annual International Open Exhibition South Carolina Watermedia Society National Digital Show Rhode Island Watercolor Society 2017 National Show NWS 2017 Annual Members Exhibition 41 <sup>st</sup> Annual Transparent Watercolor Society of America Exhibition NWS Signature Members 77 <sup>th</sup> Exhibition American Watercolor Society's 150 <sup>th</sup> Annual International Exhibition
2016	Allied Artists of America, INC 103 <sup>rd</sup> Annual Exhibition San Diego Watercolor Society 36 <sup>th</sup> International Exhibition Northwest Watercolor Society 76 <sup>th</sup> International Open Exhibition Gibson County Visual Art Association 2016 Spring Exhibition (2 paintings) National Society of Painters in Casein and Acrylic 62 <sup>nd</sup> Annual Exhibition International Society of Acrylic Painters 7 <sup>th</sup> Annual Open Online Exhibition
2015	National Watercolor Society All Member Exhibition 21st Texas National, Stephen F. Austin State University's Acclaimed Annual Art Competition and Exhibition

2015	Rockies West National 23 <sup>rd</sup> Annual National Exhibition of Western Colorado Watercolor Society
2014	First 2014 World Watercolour Competition, France National Society of Painters in Casein and Acrylic 60 <sup>th</sup> Annual exhibition American Watercolor Society 147 <sup>th</sup> Annual International Exhibition
2013	Allied Artists of America, INC 100 <sup>th</sup> Annual Exhibition 40 <sup>th</sup> Annual Rocky Mountain National Watermedia exhibition National Society of Painters in Casein and Acrylic 59 <sup>th</sup> Annual Exhibition Transparent Watercolor Society of America 37 <sup>th</sup> Annual Exhibition Missouri Watercolor Society International 2013 Exhibition
2012	Allied Artists of America, Inc. 99 <sup>th</sup> Annual Exhibition NWS Travel Exhibition Alexandria Museum of Art 25 <sup>th</sup> September Competition 39 <sup>th</sup> Annual Rocky Mountain National Watermedia Exhibition National Society of Painters in Casein and Acrylic 58 <sup>th</sup> Annual Exhibition
2011	International Transparent Watercolor Society 43 <sup>rd</sup> Annual Juried Exhibition Rocky Mountain National Watermedia 38 <sup>th</sup> Annual Exhibition
2010	Illinois Watercolor Society 26 <sup>th</sup> Annual Open Juried Exhibition North East Watercolor Society 34 <sup>th</sup> Annual International Exhibition American Artists Professional League 82 <sup>nd</sup> Grand National Exhibition 37 <sup>th</sup> Rocky Mountain National Watermedia Exhibition Adirondacks National Exhibition of American Watercolors International Society of Acrylic Painters (ISAP) 13 <sup>th</sup> Annual Open International Exhibition Watercolor U.S.A Exhibition Louisiana Watercolor Society 40 <sup>th</sup> Annual International Exhibition Society of Watercolor Artists, Inc. 29 <sup>th</sup> Juried Art Exhibition
2009	North East Watercolor Society 33 <sup>rd</sup> Annual International Exhibition American Artists Professional League's 81 <sup>st</sup> Grand National Exhibition National Watercolor Society 89 <sup>th</sup> Annual Exhibition 17 <sup>th</sup> Annual International Juried Miniature Show hosted by the Parklane Gallery 33 <sup>rd</sup> Annual Juried Exhibition of the Transparent Watercolor Society of America

2008	Salmagundi Club 31 <sup>st</sup> Annual Juried Painting and Sculpture Exhibition for Non-Members  Connecticut Academy of Fine Arts 97 <sup>th</sup> Exhibition  Red River Watercolor Society 15 <sup>th</sup> Annual National Juried Watermedia Exhibition  North East Watercolor Society 32 <sup>nd</sup> Annual International Exhibition  Western Colorado Watercolor Society 16 <sup>th</sup> Annual Juried National Exhibition  Missouri Watercolor Society Competition  Watercolor Art Society-Houston 31 <sup>st</sup> International Exhibition  Miniature Painters, Sculptors & Gravers Society of Washington, D.C.'s 75 <sup>th</sup> Annual International Exhibition of Fine Art in Miniature, Washington, D.C.
2007	National Watercolor Society All Member Show Canadian Society of Painters in Water Colour 82 <sup>nd</sup> Open Juried Art Exhibition 28 <sup>th</sup> Annual Pennsylvania Watercolor Society International Exhibition
2005	Woodstock School of Art Regional Exhibition
2004	American Artists Professional League Membership Exhibition American Artists Professional League 76 <sup>th</sup> Grand National Exhibition Allied Artist of America, Inc. 91 <sup>st</sup> Annual Exhibition
2002	American Artists Professional League Membership Exhibition 25 <sup>th</sup> Annual Small Works Competition, held by Washington Square East Galleries and New York University
2001	Four paintings displayed in Lord and Taylor Window Show on Fifth Avenue, New York City
1991	Contemporary Chinese Watercolor Masters Exhibition at the South Sea Art Center in San Francisco, USA
1990	Exhibition at the Museum of the Buryat Autonomous Republic of the Soviet Union