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Daniel J. Hogan (b. 1981 Detroit, MI, USA)

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Daniel J. Hogan is a cartoonist who primarily works in watercolors. He employs bright colors with exaggerated expressions and details to create humorous illustrations, comics, and cartoons. Daniel also does cartooning digitally, including his comic Foxes & Boxes.

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS & APPEARANCES

- 2020 Blue Owl Coffee Featured Artist (rotating locations) REO Town Lansing, Old Town Lansing, and East Lansing, MI - Solo
- 2020 Michigan State University Comics Forum East Lansing, MI Group
- 2019 Brighton Main Street Wine Art Music Festival (Painting), Award: Third Place Brighton, MI Group
- 2019 West Shore Art Fair (Drawing) Ludington, MI Group
- 2019 Flint Art Fair (Drawing) Flint, MI Group
- 2019 East Lansing Art Festival (Drawing) East Lansing, MI Group
- 2019 April Artist Exhibition, Arts Council Greater Lansing (Apr. 5 30) Lansing, MI Solo
- 2018 Mid-Michigan Art Guild Fall 2018 All Member Show (Nov. 4th Dec. 31st) Okemos, MI Group
- 2018 Mid-Michigan Art Guild Autumn 2018 All Member Show (Oct. 7th Oct. 30th) Lansing, MI Group
- 2018 Arts Night Out Featured Artist (August, September, November) Lansing, MI Group
- 2018 Artfeast Old Town, Lansing, MI Group
- 2018 East Lansing Art Festival (Emerging Artist) East Lansing, MI Group
- 2017 Arts Night Out (May) Piper & Gold Public Relations, Lansing, MI Group
- 2016 Drawing Conclusions Ludington Area Center for the Arts, Ludington, MI Group
- 2014 2018 Michigan State University Comics Forum East Lansing, MI Group
- 2014 2016, 2018, 2019 Cherry Capital Comic Con Traverse City, MI Group
- Full list of appearances available at danieljhogan.com/about/appearances

EDUCATION

- Bachelor of Arts in Communications (Animation Emphasis), Grand Valley State University (GVSU)
 - Animated cartoon short "Lunch Date" appeared at the 2004 Grand Rapids Festival of the Arts, 2005 Muskegon Film Festival, and the 2005 Nontzeflash Animation Festival (a European festival where it was one of four American shorts selected).
 - Captain of the GVSU "Cartoon Challenge" Team at the 2005 Kalamazoo Animation Festival International.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- Studied cartooning under Dennis Preston Lansing Community College, Lansing, MI
- Business for Creatives juliettecrane.com
- Watercolor Rules And How to Break Them sketchbookskool.com
- People Drawing People sketchbookskool.com
- Illustrative Flair Mindy Lacefield
- Making Art Work 2021 Emily Jeffords

SELECTED ART & COMICS BIBLIOGRAPHY

- "ADAS Repairs," I-Car's Collision Reporter, issue 13, 2020, pg. 11, comic.
- "Career Planning," I-Car's Collision Reporter, issue 11, 2019, pg. 9, comic.
- "Repairs on Today's Complex Vehicles," I-Car's Collision Reporter, issue 9, 2019, p. 11, comic.
- "40 Years in the Making...and Beyond," I-Car's Collision Reporter, issue 8, 2019, p. 10, comic.
- "Poaching Talent," I-Car's Collision Reporter, issue 7, 2019, p. 15, comic.
- "Doing It Yourself Could Mean Doing Yourself In," I-CAR's Collision Reporter, issue 5, 2018, p. 15, comic.

SELECTED PUBLISHED WRITING

- "Freakazoid!", Exploits issue #3, 2018
- "Landing in Lansing with a Love For Comics", Lansing Capital Gains, 2013
- "Drawn Together: One Couple's Love for Anime Brings Shuto Con to Lansing", Lansing Capital Gains, 2012
- "Cultivating Art in Lansing", Lansing Capital Gains, 2011
- More available at danieljhogan.com/portfolio/writing-samples

TEACHING & SPEAKING

- 2019 The Great Cartoonist Sketch-Off, Cherry Capital Comic Con, Traverse City, MI
- 2019 Live Cartooning Demo, Art & Craft Beer Fest, Lansing, MI
- 2018 The Great Cartoonist Sketch-Off, Cherry Capital Comic Con, Traverse City, MI
- 2017 & 2018 Building an Online Artist Portfolio, Arts Council of Greater Lansing, Lansing, MI
- 2017 Local Artist Spotlight, Capital City Comic Con, East Lansing, MI

AWARDS & GRANTS

- 2019, Third Place Brighton Main Street Wine Art Music Festival.
- 2018, Awarded a spot in the Emerging Artist Tent at the 2018 East Lansing Art Festival
- 2018, First Place Sycamore Park Neighborhood Sign Topper Design Contest.
- 2015, First Place Webcomic Category, 2015 Small Press and Alternative Comics Expo Prize (SPACE) for Clattertron (clattertron.com).
- 2004, Animated short "Lunch Date" won Best Student Animation at 2004 Grand Rapids Festival of the Arts.
- 2004, Awarded a grant to attend a stop-motion animation workshop while studying at GVSU.

<u>OTHER</u>

- 2021 Began renting studio space with his wife, artist Steph Joy Hogan, at Cedar Street Art Collective in Lansing, MI.
- 2019 Self-published the full-color, all-ages graphic novel, Foxes & Boxes Volume One: No Refunds! (available on Amazon).
- 2019 Began renting studio space alongside other illustrators at Briarwood Art Collective in Okemos, MI. (left 2021)
- 2019 Commissioned to design the t-shirt for Mighty Uke Day 2019 in Lansing, MI.