

# Watermedia Workshop

# Italy 2020

Stephen Quiller  
September 6-16, 2020

(depart U.S.A. on September 5, 2020)



With Master  
Water Media  
Artist:

Stephen  
Quiller

HOSTED BY:



Jack Richeson  
& Co., Inc.

# about Stephen Quiller



Stephen Quiller is an internationally known painter who works primarily in water media, monotypes, and intaglio printmaking. He is best known for his innovative approach to watermedia painting: watercolor, gouache, acrylic, casein and their combinations, and for his use of color. He has also written six books. His research and development of a color wheel for painters - called the "Quiller Wheel" - is now used by thousands of painters throughout the world. In addition, he has developed twelve instructional DVDs produced

by Crystal Productions, as well as two DVDs produced by Jack Richeson Co.

Stephen Quiller has painted in many parts of the world, but is primarily known for his work done at or near his home in the high mountainous country of southern Colorado. These subjects include beaver ponds, snow shadows, water patterns, wild iris, and mountain rhythms, capturing the spirit of the San Juans. Through his painting, he has become a Signature member of the American Watercolor Society, National Watercolor Society, Rocky Mountain National Water Media, and Society for Painters in Acrylic and Casein, among others. He received the Gold Medal of Honor in the 2014 American Watercolor Society International Exhibit in New York. A popular workshop instructor, he teaches his approach to color, water media, composition, and on-location painting, throughout North America and internationally.



## DAY 1 Saturday September 5, 2020

Depart from U.S. Airport

Arrive in Italy on Sunday, September 6th.

If you are able to travel straight through - plan on 18-20 hours of travel.

*Consider flying from the U.S. to Rome and connecting with Flights to Lamezia Terme airport*

*\*\*You may find it easier to spend the night at a Rome/UK/European Hub Airport - traveling the next day to Lamezia Terme Airport / CODE:SUF. If this is preferred you will need to leave the USA on Friday September 4th, 2020*

## DAY 2 Sunday September 6, 2020

A coach will meet all guests in the Arrivals area at Lamezia Terme Airport at 2:30pm with a 3:00pm departure for a 1 hour ride to the Kennedy Hotel in Rochelle Ionica- your home for the next 10 nights. NOTE: If you can not meet the group for the coach transportation - you will be responsible for your own travel to the hotel.

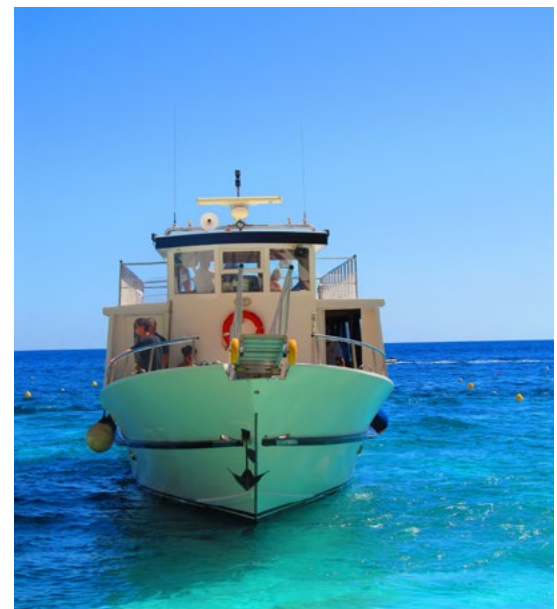
After a brief rest - we will meet for a Welcome Dinner and an early night.

## Day 3 Monday September 7, 2020

We expect everyone to be suffering from some jet lag. This will be an easy day! Supplies will be handed out and instruction given from Stephen Quiller on how to set up your gear. He will give an initial talk and demo. We will spend the afternoon painting locally.

**Lunch:** On your own.

**6:00pm:** Dinner with the group.





# The Adventure Begins

## DAY 4 Tuesday September 8th – Day 10 Monday September 14th

The next 7 days will be filled with excitement and adventure!

Because we have not painted in this region before – Stephen Quiller asked we select the sites after he arrives several days before the group arrival. Steve, Colleen, and Fabiano (Those who were with us in Sardinia and one of the Ireland workshops should remember Fabiano) will carefully select the best possible painting sites for our group.

Please prepare for the trip by researching on line the Rochelle Ionica area of Italy. Feel free to pass any exciting details you uncover to: [colleen@richesonart.com](mailto:colleen@richesonart.com). You never know! We may want to check out your find when we arrive!

Details for the next day's painting and meals will be posted on a board near reception.

**NOTE:** Please prepare – you will need to purchase:

**5 Lunches:** (5 sack lunch days are included in your fee) Estimate between \$10 & \$20 each

**2 Dinners:** (8 dinners with the group are included as part of your fee) Estimate between \$25 - \$50 each dinner you buy.

## DAY 10 Tuesday September 15, 2020

Today is sadly our last day. Following breakfast, painters will have a last chance to paint locally on your own.

**Lunch:** On your own.

After lunch, staff will meet with painters in small groups to help pack up gear.

**Dinner:** Farewell dinner and an early night.

## DAY 11 Wednesday September 16, 2020

**9am:** Coach will leave for Lamezia Terme Airport

We strongly suggest you plan to fly to Rome or other Hub – spend the night and fly out to the US on September 17th. If you do this – you should be able to connect to anywhere in the lower 48 states on September 17, 2020

## Workshop Packages & Information

### Per Person Package Prices

Sharing twin or double room:

**Artist: \$3,400**

**Non-artist: \$3,000**

Supplement for single room: \$40.00/day (single rooms limited)

### Included

- Coach transportation to and from Lamezia Terme Airport. (Approximately 1 hour)
- Ground transportation when painting with group in Rochelle Ionica Italy
- 10 nights accommodations
- All breakfasts, eight dinners and five box lunches
- Instructor fees for artists
- Welcome and Farewell Dinner (a part of the 8 provided dinners)

### Bonus for Artists Only

- BONUS \$1,200.00 retail value of artist supplies (for artists only) donated by Jack Richeson & Co.

*Supplies will be delivered to your hotel in Rochelle Ionica, Italy and returned to your U.S. home address.*

*(Shipped to homes in lower 48 states only) Special arrangements can be made for guests from HI, AK or Canada for an additional fee. Guests traveling to other countries should plan to check the supplies as luggage or ship to your home country.*

- As the Donated Materials include a Half French Easel – For the first time EVER – we are **offering an opportunity for you to upgrade your easel** to a Sienna Pochade Box or Panel holder. See the attached form for options and costs.

### Not Included

- Alcoholic beverages, soft drinks, specialty coffees, personal items and tips. (We collect tips as a group. Allow five Euro per day.) Non-artist price includes all listed items except the workshop and art supplies.

### Accommodations

- We will be staying at the beautiful Kennedy Hotel, Rochelle Ionica Italy. Bring your swimsuit!
- Visit [www.clubhotelkenedy.com/](http://www.clubhotelkenedy.com/) for more details and information.

### Roommates

If you wish to have a roommate but are travelling alone, we will do our best to assign a roommate of the same sex. If this isn't possible, please be prepared to pay the single supplement.

### Non-Artist Companions

Non-painters can enjoy walking, hiking and spending time exploring the villages.

### Air Travel

Make your own air travel arrangements. This frees you to use miles and control your own travel schedule. Final destination will be the Lamezia Terme Airport, code SUF.

We encourage you to book with a stop overnight. Most flights arrive at by 1:00pm. Flying from the U.S. the day before can make for a very long and difficult day.

### Passport

Passports are required for travel. We will require a copy of the picture page of your passport no later than March 1, 2020.



# Trip Details & Contact Information

## Who Should Attend?

For moderately experienced painters. Guests should be able to lift 40lbs. of gear as well as walk for moderate distances. Ground is often uneven and paths are grass or rock.

## Travel Insurance - IMPORTANT!

To protect your investment, it is important to consider trip insurance. It must be purchased from your local travel agent within three days of booking your trip. Please consult your local travel agent.

## Special Needs

If you have any special requests such as vegetarian meals, difficulty with stairs, etc., please add a note to the reservation form. We will pass these on and do our best to comply.

## Cancellation Policy

Up to 90 days prior to the trip departure – 100%

NO REFUNDS are possible after June 6, 2020.

## Optional Sienna Items:

Complete the Sienna Order Form and send with registration.

Requests for upgrade must be made by April 15, 2020

## Questions

Please contact Colleen for further information.

**Phone:** 920-738-0744 or 800-233-2404

**Fax:** 920-738-9156 or 800-233-2545

**E-mail:** colleen@richesonart.com

## About Your Hostess

Colleen Richeson-Maxey is Vice President of Sales at Jack Richeson & Co., Inc. - a major manufacturer and distributor of fine artist materials. She is an experienced traveler and has organized dozens of overseas painting workshops with instructors such as Daniel Greene, Stephen Quiller, Zoltan Szabo, Maggie Price, Tom Fong, Chris Van Winkle and many others.



## Price Registration and Contract

1 form required per traveller

COPIES ACCEPTED

Name (as shown on passport): \_\_\_\_\_ Preferred Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ Email (Print): \_\_\_\_\_

**\*IMPORTANT:** We will give email updates where possible. Copy of passport photo page must be submitted no later than March 1, 2020.

1. **Please check:** I am: ( ) a painter ( ) not a painter I require: ( ) Twin Bedded Room ( ) Double Bed ( ) Single Room

2. **Please list:** if you have any health or dietary restrictions (we will try to accommodate, but cannot guarantee)

3. **Please name:** the person you wish to room with (leave blank if you wish for us to find a roommate for you)

4. ( ) **Please mark** if single room supplement (\$40.00 per day added to total package price).

5. I wish to order Sienna products in lieu of Half French Easel. **Yes No** (Completed Sienna form must be returned)

Emergency contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

- \$500.00 deposit holds your spot.
- 50% of remaining balance due by February 3, 2020.
- Completed payment due by June 6, 2020.
- Fully refundable up to June 6, 2020. See details above.
- **NO REFUNDS are possible June 6, 2020 or later.**

Please secure trip insurance through your local travel agent.

Please send contract and U.S. check, money order or credit card info to:

Jack Richeson & Co., Inc.  
Attn: Italy Workshop 2020  
557 Marcella Street (P.O. Box 160)  
Kimberly, WI 54136-0160

A confirmation letter will be sent upon receipt of your deposit.

MC/Visa (check one) Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code #: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Paid: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Paid: \_\_\_\_\_