

Early Visions of Ohio, 1765-1865

Christopher Busta-Peck, CURATOR

September 12 - December 31, 2015

Early Visions of Ohio tells the story of the state from 1765 to 1865. Mr. Busta-Peck, in preparation for this exhibition, has identified more than 3,000 images of Ohio from that period, examining 300 collections in 32 states and seven countries. He has assembled a collection of over 100 objects with a significant number coming from the Cleveland Public Library.

The exhibition will document Ohio as it was perceived on the eve of European settlement and will illustrate how the landscape was transformed during the following century. It will feature the earliest views of Ohio in color, encompassing paintings and prints of Marietta, Cincinnati, Cleveland and Zanesville. A book-length catalog will accompany the exhibition.

Watercolor Workshop Masters Series, Christopher Leeper

Saturday and Sunday, September 19-20, 9am-4pm • \$175 only a few spots left!

Christopher Leeper is the author of *Realism in Watermedia*. He has illustrated four children's books for the Smithsonian and the African Wildlife Foundation.

Geology of Ohio, Marshall Craig Miller

Sunday, October 25, 2pm • \$8/\$5 members

Marshall Miller is a retired professional geologist/construction project manager living in Lancaster, Ohio.

Curator's Talk

Sunday, November 1, 2pm • \$8 / \$5 members

Mr. Busta-Peck is a graduate of Hiram College with a B.A. in studio art and Kent State University, M.A. MLIS. He is employed by the Langston Hughes Branch of the Cleveland Public Library.

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