

# Paul-Henri Bourguignon (1906–1988)

## List of exhibitions and publications

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## Selected exhibitions in the United States

(Multiple exhibitions in Europe prior to 1950 in Brussels, Paris, Marseilles, and Corsica)

- 2018** **Modern Master Painter Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, Eisele Gallery of Fine Art, Cincinnati, Ohio
- 2017** **Funky Figures**, Art Access Gallery, Columbus, Ohio
- 2017** **Paul-Henri Bourguignon Retrospective**, Ventana Fine Art, Santa Fe, New Mexico
- 2017** **Paul-Henri Bourguignon, Featured Artist**, ALT Gallery, Sedona, Arizona
- 2016** **Citizen of the World**, Artists Archive of the Western Reserve, Cleveland, Ohio; accompanying catalog with essay by Henry Adams
- 2016** **Travels By Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, Ventana Fine Art, Santa Fe, New Mexico; video at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7t65fWRq6x8> by Production Partners Media
- 2016** **Off the Walls: 100 Paintings Displayed in the Bourguignon Home**, Art Access Gallery, Columbus, Ohio; video at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ayZM1SAjRxo> by Production Partners Media
- 2015** **28th International Show Featuring Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, Harris Stanton Gallery, Akron, Ohio
- 2015** **Paul-Henri Bourguignon Remembers Haiti**, Ventana Fine Art, Santa Fe, New Mexico
- 2015** **Paul-Henri Bourguignon: From the Museum and More**, Art Access Gallery, Columbus, Ohio
- 2015** **Paul-Henri Bourguignon: First Friday Featured Artist**, ALT Gallery, Sedona, Arizona
- 2014** **Paul-Henri Bourguignon: A 50th-Anniversary Retrospective**, Columbus Museum of Art, Columbus, Ohio; accompanying catalog with essays by Ann Bremner and Louis Rose at [http://www.paulbourguignon.com/gallery\\_CMAA2014.html](http://www.paulbourguignon.com/gallery_CMAA2014.html)
- 2014** **Elsewhere: Paintings by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, River House Arts, Columbus, Ohio
- 2014** **Portraits of the World by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, The Ohio State University Faculty Club, Columbus, Ohio
- 2014** **Faces in the Crowd: Painter Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, Ventana Fine Art, Santa Fe, New Mexico
- 2013** **Apostolic Visions by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, Undercroft Gallery, St. Joseph Cathedral, Columbus, Ohio
- 2013** **Paul-Henri Bourguignon: Figures and Faces Across Oceans and Time**, City Hall, Grove City, Ohio
- 2013** **Landscapes by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, River House Arts, Perrysburg, Ohio
- 2012** **Paul-Henri Bourguignon, Master Painter**, ALT Gallery, Sedona, Arizona
- 2012** **Haitian Work by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, River House Arts, Perrysburg, Ohio
- 2012** **Hot! Haitian Images by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, Art Access Gallery, Columbus, Ohio
- 2011** **Paul-Henri Bourguignon (1906–1988)**, River House Arts, Perrysburg, Ohio
- 2010** **Paul-Henri Bourguignon: Figures and Faces Across Oceans and Time**, Schumacher Gallery, Capital University, Columbus, Ohio
- 2010** **Paul-Henri Bourguignon: The Journey**, The Ohio State University Faculty Club, Columbus, Ohio

- 2009** **Recurring Themes: Art of Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, Ross Art Museum, Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio; accompanying essay at <http://www.paulbourguignon.com/images/%20GalleryHandout.pdf> and interview of Erika Bourguignon at [http://paulbourguignon.com/video/EB\\_DVD\\_Title01.mov](http://paulbourguignon.com/video/EB_DVD_Title01.mov), both by Ann Bremner
- 2009** **Visual Poetry Exhibit**, Bourguignon visual poetry, Rare Books and Manuscripts, OSU Thompson Library, Columbus, Ohio
- 2008** **The Work of Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, Art Access Gallery, Columbus, Ohio; accompanying catalog
- 2007** **Paul-Henri Bourguignon: A Centennial Visit**, The Ohio State University Faculty Club, Columbus, Ohio
- 2005** **Four Decades of Paintings by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, Island Weiss Gallery, New York City, New York
- 2005** **Via Crucis by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, permanent installation, St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Upper Arlington, Ohio
- 2004** **Drawing and Photography**, three-person exhibition, Gallery V, Columbus, Ohio
- 2003** **Via Crucis by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Upper Arlington, Ohio
- 2001** **Paul-Henri Bourguignon, A Retrospective**, Gallery V, Columbus, Ohio
- 1999** **Paul-Henri Bourguignon La Méditerranée**, Gallery V, Columbus, Ohio
- 1998** **The Artist, the Bible, and the Storyteller: Interpretations of Genesis by Paul-Henri Bourguignon** Durham/Chapel Hill Town Hall, co-sponsored by the Museum of the Jewish Family and Chapel Hill Public Arts Commission
- 1996** **Paul-Henri Bourguignon: The Haitian Works**, Gallery V, Columbus, Ohio
- 1996** **Via Crucis by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, First Community Church, Marble Cliff, Ohio
- 1995** **A Painter's Journey: Works on Paper by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, Gallery V, Columbus, Ohio
- 1995** **Via Crucis by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Upper Arlington, Ohio
- 1995** **Ohio Artists Exhibition** curated by Gallery V, Burgess and Niple, Columbus, Ohio
- 1994** **Summer Salon**, Group exhibition, Gallery V, Columbus, Ohio
- 1991** **Group Exhibition**, Gallery 200, Columbus, Ohio
- 1990** **19th Anniversary Group Show**, Gallery 200, Columbus, Ohio
- 1990** **Via Crucis, graphics and paintings by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, Pontifical College Josephinum, Columbus, Ohio
- 1989** **Paul-Henri Bourguignon (1906–1988): A Retrospective**, Schumacher Gallery, Capital University, Columbus, Ohio, accompanying text by Ann Bremner, published in *Dialogue, Arts in the Midwest*, September/October 1989
- 1989** **Via Crucis The Way of the Cross by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, Focus Show, Governor's Residence, Columbus, Ohio, curated by Ken Emerick, Ohio Arts Council
- 1989** **Homage to Paul Bourguignon**, Gallery 200, Columbus, Ohio  
Named Best Art Show of 1989 by *Columbus Dispatch*, December 24, 1989
- 1988** **Group Exhibition**, Gallery 200, Columbus, Ohio
- 1987** **Paul-Henri Bourguignon Painting and Drawing**, Gallery 200, Columbus, Ohio
- 1985** **Group Exhibition**, Gallery 200, Columbus, Ohio
- 1972** **Group Exhibition**, Columbus Institute of Contemporary Art, Columbus, Ohio
- 1966** **Gouache Paintings by Belgian Artist Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, Jaycox Gallery, Edmonton, Alberta
- 1966** **Ohio Artists Exhibition**, Western Electric Labs in conjunction with Columbus Gallery of Fine Arts (now Columbus Museum of Art), Columbus, Ohio
- 1965** **Spanish Diary: 110 paintings and drawings by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, Battelle Memorial Institute, Columbus, Ohio; accompanying catalog

- 1964** **Paintings and Drawings by Paul Bourguignon**, Columbus Gallery of Fine Arts (now Columbus Museum of Art), Columbus, Ohio
- 1957** **Paintings and Drawings by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, The Ohio State University Union, Columbus, Ohio
- 1956** **Gouache Paintings by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, The Ohio State University Library Browsing Room, Columbus, Ohio
- 1955** **Paintings by Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, Blanden Memorial Art Gallery, Fort Dodge, Iowa
- 1955** **Drawings, Pastels, and Gouaches of Paul-Henri Bourguignon**, Grinnell College, Grinnell, Iowa

### **Selected photography**

- 2011** **Archive: The Paul Bourguignon Peru Photograph Collection (1948–1950)**  
Rare Books and Manuscripts, The Ohio State University Thompson Library, Columbus, Ohio  
In the process of being digitized and placed online
- 2007** **Archive: The Paul Bourguignon Haiti Photograph Collection (1947–1948)**  
Rare Books and Manuscripts, The Ohio State University Thompson Library, Columbus, Ohio  
<https://kb.osu.edu/dspace/handle/1811/59390>
- 1992** **Exhibit: Photographs of Peru**  
Frank W. Hale Jr. Black Cultural Center, The Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio
- 1979** ***Psychological Anthropology: An Introduction to Human Nature and Cultural Differences***  
(Illustrated using contrasting series of Bourguignon's photographs of Peru and Haiti)  
Erika Bourguignon, New York: Holt, Rinehart and Winston, 1979
- 1970** ***Afro-American Anthropology: Contemporary Perspectives***  
(Includes photographs of Haiti by Bourguignon)  
Norman E. Whitten and John F. Szwed, eds., New York: Free Press: 1970

### **Selected collections**

Artists Archives of the Western Reserve, Cleveland, Ohio

Columbus Museum of Art, Columbus, Ohio

Grinnell College, Grinnell, Iowa

City Hall, Grove City, Ohio

Musée d'xelles—Museum van Elsene, Brussels, Belgium

Museum of the Jewish Family, Durham, North Carolina

The Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art (September, 2016), Kansas City, Missouri

Ohio History Connection (formerly The Ohio Historical Society)

Richard M. Ross Museum of Art, Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio

Schumacher Gallery, Capital University, Columbus, Ohio

State Savings/Glick Collection, Columbus, Ohio

Southern Ohio Museum, Portsmouth, Ohio

Supreme Court of Ohio (September, 2016), Columbus, Ohio

Visual Poetry Collection, Rare Books and Manuscripts, Thompson Library, The Ohio State University

Represented in private collections in more than half the states in the U.S. as well as in Canada, several European countries, Haiti, Turkey, and New Guinea

## Books, short stories, and plays

### 2013 *Via Crucis The Way of the Cross*

Art by Paul-Henri Bourguignon, preface by Arthur Kleinman, introduction by Erika Bourguignon, poetry by Edward Lense, essay: "How long is the Via Crucis: Reflections Secular and Sacred?" by Paul Farmer.

### 1993 *The Greener Grass*, novel written 1960, published posthumously with postscript by Erika Bouguignon, Ariadne Press: Rockville, Maryland, 1993

### 1949–50 *Short stories with Haitian themes*

Written and adapted into Spanish by Bourguignon, published in *El Comercio* (newspaper), Lima, Peru

### 1947 *Les Sept Jours de la Création* (limited edition)

Illustrated by Alice Frey; L'Ecran du Monde: Brussels, Belgium

### 1946 *Les Nuits Blanches de St. Petersburg* (limited edition), written by F. Dostoyevsky, translated from Russian to French with Vera Porohovsky; illustrator: Marc Mendelson; *Editions Formes*: Brussels, Belgium

### 1945 *En Ecoutant Toone Jouer le Bossu*, play for puppets

Illustrated by Edgard Tytgat; R. Dupriez: Brussels; performed by human actors in Brussels, 1947

### N.D. *Le Crayon de Dieu n'a pas de Gomme*, volume of short stories with Haitian themes

Although several stories were published in Belgium and Peru, the volume remains unpublished

### N.D. *Malpeste*, novel set in Haiti, written in French (unpublished)

### N.D. *L'église au milieu du village*, novel set in a fictional country, written in French (unpublished)

Illustrated by Cristina Gálvez

### N.D. *Arrière Pensées*, collection of aphorisms and poems (unpublished)

Manuscript remained a work in process at author's death

## Articles, commentary, and other writings

### 1954–55 "Man and His Music," WOSU Radio, Columbus, Ohio

Weekly radio program with Erika Bourguignon, presenting records and discussion of world folk music

### 1951 "La incomprehension de la pintura moderna," *El Fanal* (magazine), Lima, Peru

Article about modern painting

### 1951 "La littérature humana de Gide y Malraux," *El Comercio* (newspaper), Lima, Peru

Article about two French writers, Gide and Malraux

### 1949–50 *Daily short stories and articles regarding art*, *El Comercio* (newspaper), Lima, Peru

### 1950 "Bilan du demi-siècle," *Sodalizio: Revista internazionale di arte e lettere* (magazine), Bologna, Italy

### 1947–48 *Various articles about art and other subjects*, *Le Nouvelliste* and *Haiti Journal* (newspapers), Haiti

### 1947–48 *Nous faisons un beau voyage*, *Le Phare* (newspaper), Brussels, Belgium

Series of travel articles; subjects included Martinique, Guadeloupe, Dominican Republic, Haiti

Illustrated by Belgian artist, "Ann" (pseudonym for Lucien de Roeck), Brussels

### 1945–47 *Art Critic*, *Le Phare* (newspaper) and *Le Phare Dimanche* (weekly magazine), Brussels, Belgium

Reviews of numerous exhibitions and theatre reviews in the active art scene of Brussels, including a review of *Tobacco Road* being performed in Paris; also interviews with leading visiting and local artists including James Ensor; reviews later deposited in Archives of Musée Royaux Belges in Brussels (Cited in Phil Mertens: *La Jeune Peinture Belge*, Laconti: Brussels)

### 1944–45 *Political correspondent/editor*, Agence Belga Belgian Telegraph Agency

### Various *Short stories with Haitian themes*, *Le Phare* (newspaper), Brussels, Belgium

## About Paul-Henri Bourguignon

- 2016** *Paul-Henri Bourguignon: A Tribute*  
Catalog: Artists Archives of the Western Reserve, 44 pages  
Essayist: Henry Adams
- 2016** *Bourguignon Travels*, Video; Santa Fe, New Mexico  
<http://www.vtg360.com/0200/index.html>  
Videographer: Production Partners Media, LLC
- 2016** *Bourguignon Off the Walls Exhibit*, Video; Art Access, Columbus, Ohio  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ayZM1SAjRxo>  
Videographer: Production Partners Media, LLC
- 2015** *Virtual Museum Tour of the Bourguignon Home*  
<http://www.paulbourguignon.com>  
Videographer: Virtual Tour Group
- 2014** *Paul-Henri Bourguignon: A 50th-Anniversary Retrospective*  
The Columbus Museum of Art, ISBN 978-0-918881-502, 78 pages  
Essayists: Ann Bremner and Louis Rose
- 2014** *The Archives Speak Insights & Images of Ohio Artists*  
Rotraud Sackerletzky and Roger Welchans, Artists Archives of The Western Reserve, pp. 20–21, 134
- 2013** “The Painter’s Eye: Paul-Henri Bourguignon’s Haitian Photographs”  
Journal article: Erika Bourguignon, *American Imago*, vol. 70, Number 3, Fall 2013, pp. 357–383
- 2004** “Haiti and the Art of Paul Bourguignon”  
Journal article: Erika Bourguignon, *Research in African Literatures*, 2004, vol. 35:2, pp.172–188
- 1989** *Documentary: d’Art*, WOSU-TV  
Interview with Ann Bremner, curator, and interview with Erika Bourguignon (national circulation)

## Bourguignon websites

[www.paulbourguignon.com](http://www.paulbourguignon.com)  
*Paul-Henri Bourguignon* | Facebook  
*paulhenribourguignon* | Instagram

## Related websites

[www.altgalleriesedona.com](http://www.altgalleriesedona.com) Gallery representing Bourguignon in Sedona, Arizona

[www.artaccessgallery.com](http://www.artaccessgallery.com) Gallery representing Bourguignon in Central Ohio

[www.askart.com/askart/b/paulhenri\\_bourguignon/paulhenri\\_bourguignon.aspx](http://www.askart.com/askart/b/paulhenri_bourguignon/paulhenri_bourguignon.aspx) Online artist database

[www.eiselefineart.com](http://www.eiselefineart.com) Gallery representing Bourguignon in Cincinnati, Ohio

[www.islandweiss.com](http://www.islandweiss.com) Record of Bourguignon’s 2006 New York, NY show

<https://kb.osu.edu/dspace/handle/1811/59390> Archive of Bourguignon’s Haitian photographs

[www.river-house-arts.com](http://www.river-house-arts.com) Gallery representing Bourguignon in Toledo, Ohio

[www.ventanafineart.com](http://www.ventanafineart.com) Gallery representing Bourguignon in Santa Fe, New Mexico