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Gordon Parks


Carolyn L. Mazloomi

Carolyn L. Mazloomi (American, b. 1948), Sacred Union, 1999, printed and stenciled cotton, machine quilted, Fashion Arts and Textile Deaccession Fund, 2021.8 © Carolyn L. Mazloomi

Carrie Mae Weems

Carrie Mae Weems (American, b. 1953), Untitled (Women with Friends), 1990, 3 framed gelatin silver prints, Museum Purchase: Gift of DDS Co., by exchange, 1992.2a-c © Carrie Mae Weems

James Presley Ball

James Presley Ball (American, 1825–1904), Alexander S. Thomas (late 1850s–early 1860s), daguerreotype, Gift of James M. Marrs, M.D., 1984.297

Melvin Grier

Melvin Grier (American, b. 1942), Walnut Garage Windows, undated, gelatin silver print, Museum Purchase: FotoFocus Art Purchase Fund, 2016.103, © Melvin Grier

Thom E. Shaw

Thom E. Shaw (American,1947–2010), Today I am No One. What About 2 Hours from Now. Date unknown, acrylic on canvas, Museum Purchase: James Otten College Memorial, 2015.62, © Estate of Thom E. Shaw

James Van Der Zee

James Van Der Zee (American, 1886–1983), Sunday Album (Memories), New York, 1938, 2015.62, © Estate of James Van Der Zee / Metropolitan Museum of Art

Collection Highlights

Celebrating Black History Month at the Cincinnati Art Museum

Explore works by Black artists in the Cincinnati Art Museum's collection with this self-guided tour through our galleries. Using your smartphone or tablet, enjoy commentary by museum staff and volunteers about select paintings and sculptures on view. Please use earphones while viewing videos in the museum.

The museum is actively collecting the work of Black artists across all media. Many of these are works on paper, which for their preservation are rotated on and off display. Visit cincyart.org/collection for more information.

Explore works by Black artists in the museum’s open-access FotoFocus Photobook Collection

Browse these physically compact, conceptually expansive works of art at your leisure in the Mary R. Schiff Library. Black artists represented in the museum’s FotoFocus Photobook Collection include Dawoud Bey, Andre Bradley, John Edmonds, Nona Faustine, Rahim Fortune, LaToya Ruby Frazier, Lyle Ashton Harris, Deana Lawson, Cecil McDonald Jr., Zanele Muholi, Donovan Smallwood, and many others.

Photobook Collection: cincyart.org/CAMphotobooks