

Bob Land

the Art of bob doucette

Bob Doucette directed many popular animated children's programs including the PBS SPROUT hits *Chloe's Closet* and *Dive Olly Dive*. Doucette has also worked on such award-winning shows as *Clifford's Puppy Days*, *Stephen Spielberg Presents: Tiny Toon Adventures* and *Stephen Spielberg Presents: Animaniacs*. His independently animated films won him many prestigious awards and honors and his MFA thesis film *Pink Triangle* is in the permanent collection at the New York Public Library.

Doucette has worn many titles as an artist from set designer to animator and has a wide variety of interest. What started as a career in puppetry segued into a doll-making hobby. His Ben Franklin doll, created for the White House Christmas tree in 1999, is in the permanent collection of the Smithsonian. Many of his dolls are in the private collection of Demi Moore and have been featured in magazines articles, TV programs and sold in galleries.

Currently Doucette is fulfilling his lifelong ambition to be a fulltime gallery painter and working with Disney Fine Art. Bob loves Peoria's embracing spirit and has been happy to give back to the community with several public murals and involvement with local arts organizations, teaching privately and with the Peoria Art Guild, showing art at CAC, the Peoria Art Guild and at Exhibit A Gallery in the heights.

Bob is happy to be returning to Moss Avenue where he lived for seven wonderful years before moving to a condo in north Peoria. Moss was the home where he created ArtHAUS with his fellow artists friends and looks forward to hosting some open studio nights at his studio on Moss.



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