



Dakoro Edwards

Artist Biography

Originally from Syracuse New York, Dakoro is a trend setter in the Art Industry. As an abstract artist, Dakoro creates thought-provoking pieces with bold colors and heavy textures for art collectors worldwide.

Although oil paintings are what he is widely known for creating, his murals, pop portraits, television appearances and community art classes have perpetuated this freestyle artist into a leader in creativity.

"I create from my observations of how we all adjust to the triumphs and trials of life. My brand of art is energetic, with bold colors, and adds value to your life".

With a fashion forward approach, Dakoro is also the lead designer for 9THandNorth Fashion, a brand that is exclusive to those that love to stand out with original art designs on wearable garments. His head of the class art instructor sessions call "Draw with Dakoro" is also rooted in community where he teaches the youth and adults masterful techniques, virtually, across the country. The participants learn confidence and self-esteem while creating various types of art like graffiti, landscapes, and concept art.

Dakoro also "Leads the Change" with his professional speaking seminar that was first introduced at the Dakoro Art Gallery in 2017, in Sandy Springs Georgia. This community seminar specifically targets high school and college students looking to find a career in corporate, or in entrepreneurship. Since the pandemic, this engaging and interactive seminar is now offered virtually two times a year.

Speaking and teaching are the foundation of the many talents that Dakoro has become masterful in. The surprise under all of these acts of servitude is the entertainment factor. Dakoro also wows crowds with his Live Painting Show where he creates large scale freestyle works of art that are truly in the moment. This performance includes a DJ that creates the musical vibe based upon how Dakoro sways to the beat. The more he moves, the more energetic the music becomes, and the crowd rarely can tell what is being created until the very end, and voila, the image appears.

Dakoro is also a consultant and acting curator with an eye for art ambiance, artist exposure, community art installations and events, and the connector for aspiring artist and art collectors.

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