

Michael D. Smith – Art Inventory

7/28/26

Journals - ca. 8,950 drawings

Freshman Year Journal - ca. 220 drawings

8 or 9/70 - 9/71. 112 sheets--both sides used. Ca. 220 drawings. 8½" x 11". Destroyed 1/76. Some pages remain in Drawing Folder 1.

Gray Journals (Series 1) - ca. 3,000 drawings

122 sheets each--both sides used. Each is 7¼" x 9½".

- 1) 10/71 - 1/73? - **green file cabinet drawer 2**
Pages are numbered 1-244.
- 2) 1/73? - late 4/73 or early 5/73. - **green file cabinet drawer 2**
- 3) 5/2/73 - 10/15/73- **green file cabinet drawer 2**
- 4) 10/73 - 4 or 5/74- **green file cabinet drawer 2**
- 5) 4 or 5/74 - 3/75? - **green file cabinet drawer 2**
- 6) 3/75? - 6/76 (last drawing) and 9/19/76 (coloring and borders) - **green file cabinet drawer 2**
Work through 9/19/76. The entirety of journal 6 was open to coloring and border creation to 9/76.
- 7) 9/76? - ca. 8/10/77- **green file cabinet drawer 2**
Early glued in sketches began 6/76 or 7/76.
- 8) 8) 7/9/77 - 10/77? - **green file cabinet drawer 3**
Also functions as a book-length comic strip.
- 9) 9) 10/77? - 10/20/78 - **green file cabinet drawer 3**
Declared this to be last such journal.
- 10) 10) 10 or 11/78? - 11/11/79 - **green file cabinet drawer 3**
Stopped doing this kind of art journal for 6-7 months.
- 11) 11) 6/6/80 - 1/23?/81 - **green file cabinet drawer 3**
Collages at beginning do some catching up from late 1979.
- 12) 12) 1/24/81 - 1/23/82 - **green file cabinet drawer 3**

Miscellaneous Sketchbooks- ca 3,700 drawings

- 1) 1971-72 Newsprint Sketchbook - 100 drawings - **understairs closet**
100 sheets--one side used. 12" x 18"
- 2) Australian sketchbook, 7/72 - **large storage box**
20 sheets--one side used. 10" x 11"
- 3) Green sketchbook, 10/78? - 5/80 - **large storage box**
100 sheets--one side used. 8½" x 11"
- 4) White sketchbook, 3/6/82 - 11/20/82 - **large storage box**
30 sheets--one side used. 9" x 12"

- 5) Silver sketchbook, 4/82 - 11/27/83 - **large storage box**
100 sheets--one side used. 8½" x 11"
- 6) Small brown sketchbook, 5/27/82 - 9/10/82 - **large storage box**
100 sheets--both sides used, ca, 200 drawings. 5½" x 8½". Much collage.
- 7) Brown sketchbook, 11/29/83 - 5/7/85 - **large storage box**
100 sheets--one side used. 9" x 12"
- 8) Library school sketchbook, 5/85 - 7/10/85 - **large storage box**
122 sheets--both sides used, ca 244 drawings or more. 7¼" x 9½". Created 5/85 to 7/85; mostly doodles from library school classes.
- 9) Forgotten sketchbook, 12/4/91 - 11/25/99 - **large storage box**
100 sheets--usually one side used. 19 drawings from 12/91 - 10/3/92. Rediscovered 1/99 and continued from 1/2/99-11/25/99. 5½" x 8½"
- 10) Idea journal #1, 6/10/00 - 4/5/09 - **large storage box**
60 sheets, lined lower half, spiral bound, 8½" x 11", both sides used, incorporates possibilities from 1974-on art journals, rough count of 340 drawings.
- 11) Late Goodyear to early Creekside sketchbook, 7/4/00 - 11/25/02 - **large storage box**
100 sheets--usually one side used. 5½" x 8½"
- 12) Collage journal #1, 9/1/10 - 3/29/11 - **large storage box**
Ca. 100 sheets--both sides used. Doodles from work 8/06 - 3/29/11. Ca. 2,000 images. So much glue used that the book became a fanned-out object 6-8 inches across and standing upright. Disassembled into signature page groups and put into 5 folders, 7/26/26.
- 13) Collage journal #2 and sketchbook, 8/23/11 - 1/21/13 - **large storage box**
Ca. 70 sheets--usually both sides used. Ca. 218 drawings.

Faces Journals - ca. 225 drawings

- 1) Faces # 1, 6/22/88 - 12/9/88- **green file cabinet drawer 1**
100 sheets and end page. One side used. 4" x 5"
- 2) Faces # 2, 2/18/89 - 4/8/89 - **green file cabinet drawer 1**
24 sheets. One side used. 4" x 5"
- 3) Faces # 3, 4/22/89 - 1/1/90 - **green file cabinet drawer 1**
100 sheets and end page. One side used. 4" x 5"

Journal New Series - ca. 1,800 drawings through no. 21

- 1) Black Journal # 1, 7/20/85 - 9/1/86- **green file cabinet drawer 1**
112 sheets--usually just one side used. 8½" x 11"
- 2) Black Journal # 2, 9/2/86 - 10/13/87- **green file cabinet drawer 1**
112 sheets--usually just one side used. 8½" x 11"
- 3) Black Journal # 3, 10/19/87 - 2/6/89- **green file cabinet drawer 1**
112 sheets--usually just one side used. 8½" x 11"
- 4) Black Journal # 4, 2/9/89 - 10/9/90- **green file cabinet drawer 1**
100? sheets--usually just one side used. 8½" x 11"

- 5) Black Journal # 5, 10/14/90 - 6/23/92- **green file cabinet drawer 1**
112 sheets--usually just one side used. 8½" x 11"
- 6) Black Journal # 6, 6/27/92 - 2/4/94- **green file cabinet drawer 1**
112 sheets--usually just one side used. 8½" x 11"
- 7) Black Journal # 7, 2/12/94 - 2/3/96- **green file cabinet drawer 1**
112 sheets--usually just one side used. 8½" x 11"
- 8) Black Journal # 8, 2/10/96 - 5/31/98 - **large storage box**
80 sheets--usually just one side used. 11" x 14".
- 9) Journal # 9, 6/12/98 - 12/30/99 - **large storage box**
70 sheets--usually just one side used, spiral-bound. 11" x 14"
- 10) Journal #10, 11/11/98 - 5/10/00 - **large storage box**
70 sheets--usually just one side used, spiral-bound. 8½" x 11"
- 11) Journal #11, 5/13/00 - 6/24/02 - **large storage box**
70 sheets--usually just one side used, spiral-bound. 11" x 14"
- 12) Journal #12, 6/29/02 - 12/21/03 - **large storage box**
70 sheets, 137 drawings--usually just one side used, spiral-bound. 11" x 14"
- 13) Journal #13, 12/31/03 - 4/28/05 - **large storage box**
60 sheets--usually just one side used, spiral-bound. 9" x 12"
- 14) Journal #14, 5/10/05 - 9/11/06 - **large storage box**
60 sheets--usually just one side used, spiral-bound. 9" x 12"
- 15) Journal #15, 9/17/06 - 12/7/08 - **large storage box**
60 sheets--usually just one side used, spiral-bound. 9" x 12"
- 16) Journal #16, 12/21/08 - 6/8/13 - **large storage box**
60 sheets--usually just one side used, spiral-bound. 9" x 12"
- 17) Idea Journal #2/ Journal #17, 6/6/09 - 12/31/15 - **large storage box**
100 sheets, spiral bound. 9" x 12"
- 18) Journal #18, 1/9/16-9/6/20 - **large storage box**
100 sheets, spiral bound. 9" x 12"
- 19) Journal #19, 9/9/20-12/31/22 - **large storage box**
60 sheets, spiral bound. 9" x 12"
- 20) Journal #20, 1/1/23-12/27/23 - **large storage box**
Ca. 60 sheets, spiral bound, 8" x 8". Wire binding removed 12/28/23 and pages stored in a box.
- 21) Journal #21, 3/30/23-6/18/26 - **large storage box**
100 sheets, spiral bound. 9" x 12"

Drawing Files (up to 9" x 12") - ca. 1,700 through no. 15

- 1) Folder 1, 9/25/70 - 8/72 - **black file bin behind desk**
Ca. 150 drawings. Includes fragments of Journal #1
- 2) Folder 2, 9/72 - 4/73 - **black file bin behind desk**

Ca. 120 drawings

- 3) Folder 3, Ca. 8/74 - ca. 1/78 - **black file bin behind desk**
Ca. 40 drawings
- 4) Folder 4, Early 1978 - early 1979 - **black file bin behind desk**
Ca. 50 drawings
- 5) Folder 5, Early 1979 - 1/26/80 - **black file bin behind desk**
Ca. 170 drawings
- 6) Folder 6, 1/28/80 - Spring 1983 - **black file bin behind desk**
Ca. 100 drawings
- 7) Folder 7, 5/26/87 - 2/23/89 - **black file bin behind desk**
Ca. 100 drawings
- 8) Folder 8, 2/23/89 - 2/8/90 - **black file bin behind desk**
Ca. 100 drawings
- 9) Folder 9, 2/17/90 - 12/21/92 - **black file bin behind desk**
Ca. 150 drawings
- 10) Folder 10, 1/26/93 - 11/27/99 - **black file bin behind desk**
Ca. 150 drawings
- 11) Folder 11 (culled from misc. files, 1974-1999) - **black file bin behind desk**
Ca. 30 drawings
- 12) Folder 12, 4/2/00 - 12/26/06 - **black file bin behind desk**
Ca. 150 drawings
- 13) Folder 13, 1/9/07 - 12/20/11 - **black file bin behind desk**
Ca. 150 drawings
- 14) Folder 14, 1/11/12 - 11/25/21 - **black file bin behind desk**
Ca. 200 drawings
- 15) Folder 15, 1/12/22-7/2/26 - **black file bin behind desk**
Ca. 75 drawings.
- 16) Folder 16, 7/26/26-
The current holder can take larger sheets up to 11" x 14"; these can be separated and filed elsewhere later.

Mandala and related 13.5" x 9" drawings - ca. 50 drawings

Folder of drawings; also three framed, one framed sold 2009. And two board versions (hanging). Ca. 50 drawings from 4/6/07 to ca. 2009.

Larger Drawings, 1968 on - ca. 150 drawings

Paintings on paper, collages, drawings on paper, oversized pastels - [understairs closet](#), [flat file](#), [Painting Structure C](#)

Novel Character and Related Sketches - ca. 240 drawings

Drawings, pastels, etc., usually not copied from in journals. Not counting those in acrylic/oil paintings. Ca. 240 through May 2026.

• Jack Commer Characters	62	
• Jack Commer Ships	14	
• Supreme Commander Laurie Characters	31	
• Supreme Commander Laurie Ships	4	
• The Benign Incursion Characters	10	(new to SCL series)
• The Soul Institute Characters	23	
• The Soul Institute Maps	3	
• Asylum and Mirage Characters	8	
• Akard Drearstone Characters	8	
• CommWealth Characters	13	
• Jump Grenade Characters	12	
• Sortmind Characters	23	
• University of Mars Characters	2	
• Zarreich Characters	24	(original 12 and colorized versions)
• Exile and Renaissance Characters:	4	(new to SCL series)

Comic Books/Graphic Novels - 932 images not counting #3

- 1) *The Story of Lester Quartz's Fantastic Journey, Volume 1*, 1974-1976. 280 pages. 8 3/8" x 10 3/4"- **green drawer 3**
- 2) *Acid Loses Nothing!*, 1975-1977. 280 pages. 8 3/8" x 10 3/4"- **green file cabinet drawer 3**
- 3) *Gray Art Journal #8*. 7/9?/77 - 10/77? 244 pages. 7 1/4" x 9 1/2"- **green file cabinet drawer 3**
- 4) *The Adventures of Tree Leopard*, 1984 - 1985. 280 pages. 8 3/8" x 10 3/4"- **green file cabinet drawer 3**
- 5) *Millicent Faustus* (unfinished), 1983. 22 pages. 11" x 14" - **large storage box**
- 6) *Trip to Mars*, 2014, 70 pages, 8 1/2" x 11". Published by Sortmind Press, 2017 - **bedroom closet**

Tarot Card Project, 2001-2004 - 103 images

78 cards, ink on card stock - **lower left desk drawer**
 25 colorized through 2025

Oil and Acrylic Paintings, 1969-present - 327 paintings

Listed in Paintings database. All have photographs. Also slide portfolio of major paintings, 6 copies each.
 327 through 2025

Sculptures - ca. 100 sculptures

Listed in Miscellaneous database. Includes sculptural ceramics. Photos of most.

Linoleum Block Cuts - 7 blocks, numerous prints

Listed in Miscellaneous database. - **garage black file cabinet**

- 1) Cat and Tree. 5/1/95. 5" x 4"
- 2) Thunderhead Cat. 5/17/95. 4" x 5"
- 3) Shaman Woman. 5/31/97. 5" x 4"
- 4) Abstract. 5/26/98. 6" x 4"
- 5) Face. 9/20/98. 5" x 4"
- 6) Cloud Blocks. 1/25/03. 5" x 4"
- 7) Experimental Goddess. 12/25/05. 7" x 5"

Pastels and Miscellaneous Works - ca 50

On canvas-covered boards and other media, including selected items from bound journals. Listed in Miscellaneous database. Novel character and related sketches broken out above. - [walls, flat file, Painting Structure C](#)

Ceramics - ca. 20

- 1) 1967 - 1970. Various cups and pots. Various photos exist.
- 2) 1987. Cactus holder, cups, etc. Various photos exist.