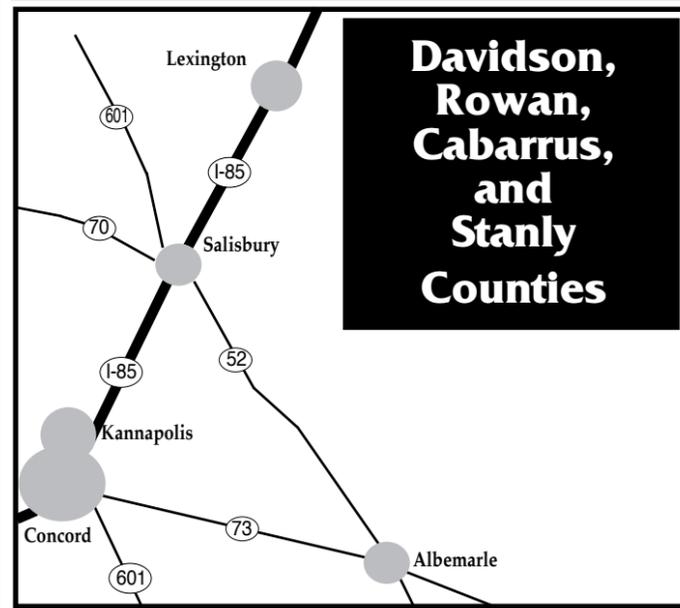
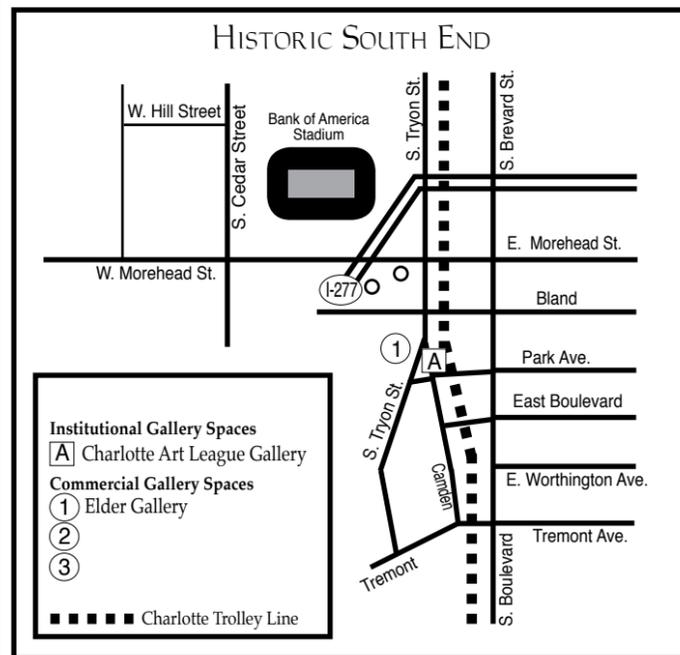


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ter, MA. HE studied at the Florence Academy of Art in Florence, Italy, from 1998 to 2002, where he also became an assistant drawing instructor from 2000 to 2002, as well as teaching summer workshops at the Academy in figure, landscape and portrait painting. Gucciardi has also taught at The Florence Design Academy and the Scuola Internazionale di Comics in Florence. His paintings, drawings are featured in numerous private collections in the United States, Europe and Asia.



Work by Michael Ziegler

Michael J. Ziegler is a native of Charlottesville, VA, and attended The Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts for sculpture. After building a machine tool company for 30 years has recommitted himself to his passion of the arts. He has studied portraiture with Tony Griffin, and most recently study with Daniela Astone and Jura Bedic at the Florence Academy of Art in Florence.

Osiris Rain (b.1986) is an international award winning post contemporary representational painter, and a native of Charlotte who received his formal studies for painting in Florence, Italy, at the Angel Academy of Art, and in Norway, under



Work by Mark Gucciardi

master painter Odd Nerdrum. Rain's work has been featured in publications such as *The Artist's Magazine*, *Southwest Art Magazine*, *Plein Air Magazine*, *Fine Art Connoisseur*, and *The Huffington Post*. His paintings are inquiries into the complex narrative of the human experience.

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