

STUDIO RESOURCES

Websites/Blogs

- **Art Biz Coach** – *Artist Business Strategies with Alyson Stanfield* - artbizcoach.com/

A former museum curator and educator, Alyson offers on-line classes, in-person workshops, membership programs, 1-on-1 consultations, and live speaking events across the country. But most importantly, her blog is a veritable treasure trove of information for artists of every level of experience.

- **Amy Lynn Andrews** – *Teaching People How and Why to Blog* - amylynnandrews.com/

Sharing her knowledge about the ins and outs of blogging may be the core of what Amy does, but her technological know-how, which she generously shares, including expert technological advice that is readable and doable by the novice, covers a much wider spectrum than her tagline might imply. Her site is one of the most comprehensive places to get quick answers to whatever technological questions you may have, with video tutorials to ease the process.

Her free weekly 'Useletter' covers the latest information she finds while combing the internet, including "behind-the-scenes business-y things" as she calls them.

Her *Knowtbook*, which she regularly updates, is a digital compendium of topics she's passionate about: online business, social media, internet marketing, blogging, and working from home.

- **Nicholas Wilton** - *Reignite Your Creativity* - nicholaswilton.com/new-blog-page/

A painter who video blogs helpful ideas about practical issues that touch all working artists, using his own work and studio practice as an example

- **Katherine Tyrell** - *Making a Mark* - makingamark.blogspot.com/ - news about major art competitions and exhibitions, interviews with artists, techniques and tips for art and business
- **Parka Blogs** - www.parkablogs.com/ - Reviews of art books, art products and supplies
- **Marc Taro Holmes** – *Citizen Sketcher* - citizensketcher.com/
- **Shari Blaukopf** – *The Sketchbook* - shariblaukopf.com/
- **Empty Easel** – *Art tutorials, Business advice, Research, etc.* - emptyeasel.com/

Podcasts:

- **Savvy Painter Podcast** by Antrese Woods - savvypainter.com/podcast/
In-depth interviews with contemporary artists
- **Art for your Ear** by The Jealous Curator - www.thejealouscurator.com/blog/art-for-your-ear-podcast/ Inside scoop stories from talented artists
- **Artists Helping Artists** with Leslie Saeta - www.blogtalkradio.com/artistshelpingartists #1 art show on BlogTalk radio
- **Magic Lessons** with Elizabeth Gilbert - www.elizabethgilbert.com/magic-lessons/ Wisdom and advice offered to artists trying to overcome creative obstacles.

Books:

- **Everyday Matters** by Danny Gregory
- **The Creative Habit** by Twyla Tharp
- **A Bigger Message, Conversations with David Hockney** by Martin Gayford
- **Studio Craft as Career** by Paul Stankard
- **The Power of Habit** by Charles Duhigg
- **Deep Work** by Cal Newport
- **I'd Rather Be In The Studio – An Artist's No-Excuse Guide to Self-Promotion** by Alyson Stanfield