

Amanda is a Certified Creative Placemaker and an Executive Board Member of the Central Ohio Chapter of the American Planning Association. She has extensive knowledge and practice in tapping and extracting the beloved local stories and values people care about in every community. She also has an insatiable curiosity for helping citizens visually define their local culture utilizing her urban planning, research, and public participation background. As a writer, graphic designer, and a plan publisher, Amanda's joy is putting her skills to work for places that want to stand out from the rest.

Amanda is co-founder of the firm and has been an active member since March 2014.

#### APPOINTMENTS

- Central Ohio APA, Director
- State of Ohio APA, Board Member
- Development Commissioner, City of Columbus, Ohio
- The Ohio Art Corridor, Treasurer

#### EDUCATION

- Master of City & Regional Planning, The Ohio State University
- Bachelor of Science in City & Regional Planning, The Ohio State University

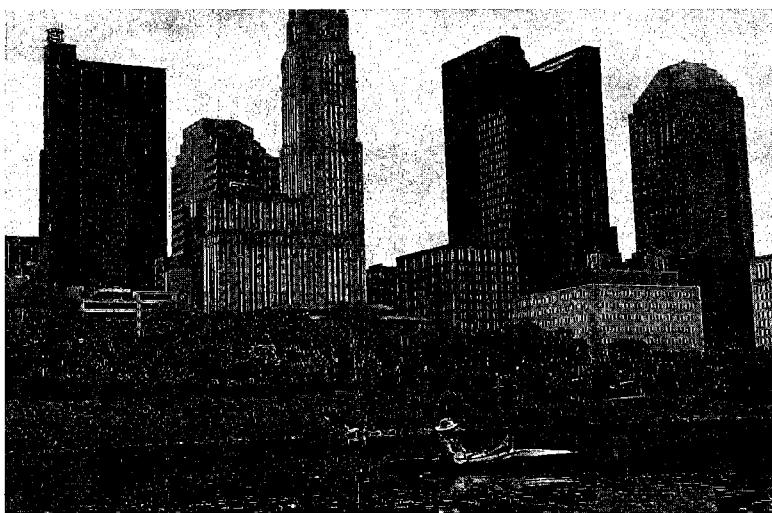
#### RECENT RELATED PROJECTS

- Station 934 Art Curation | Columbus, Ohio | Curator
- Milo Grogan Gateway Curation | Columbus, Ohio | Curator
- Fort Wayne Public Art Master Plan | Fort Wayne, Indiana | Project Manager
- Merriam, Kansas Community Center Public Art Curation | Merriam, Kansas | Curator
- Chamblee Arts Master Plan | Chamblee, Georgia | Project Manager
- Upper Arlington Arts and Culture Master Plan | Upper Arlington, Ohio | Project Manager
- Sandusky Public Art and Placemaking Plan | Sandusky, Ohio | Project Manager
- Art on High Strategic Plan and Implementation | Columbus, Ohio | Project Manager
- Frisco Public Art Master Plan Update | Frisco, Texas | Project Manager
- Montpelier, Vermont Artsynergy Public Art Master Plan | Montpelier, Vermont | Project Manager
- Los Altos Public Art Master Plan | Los Altos, California | Project Manager
- Emeryville Public Art Master Plan | Emeryville, California | Project Manager
- San Luis Obispo Public Art Master Plan | San Luis Obispo, California | Project Manager
- University District Arts and Character Plan | Columbus, Ohio | Engagement Strategist
- Duluth Public Art Master Plan | Duluth, Georgia | Principal, Project Manager
- Roswell, Georgia Public Art Master Plan | Roswell, Georgia | Project Manager
- The Essence of Athens Plan | Athens, Ohio | Principal
- Surprise Public Art Master Plan | Surprise, Arizona | Engagement Strategist



## SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- Why Creative Communities Matter | Dayton Creative Life Symposium | October 28, 2018
- Branching Out | University of Kentucky Design Weeks | Keynote Speaker | August 24, 2018
- What is Public Art and Placemaking? | Ohio Conference of Community Development | July 26, 2018
- Historic Preservation and How to Pay for It | Richland County Economic Development Club | February 16, 2018
- Integrating Art in Public Places | APA Ohio Statewide Planning Conference | September 29, 2017



## MEDIA APPEARANCES

- NBC Meet the Press | Late Summer 2018
- Columbus Neighborhoods: Olde Town East | WOSU Television | February, 2018 | [columbusneighborhoods.org/neighborhood/olde-towne-east/](http://columbusneighborhoods.org/neighborhood/olde-towne-east/)
- Columbus Unveils Plan for Art on High Street | WOSU radio | Aired January 16, 2018 | [wosu.org/post/columbus-unveils-strategic-plan-public-art-high-street#stream/0](http://wosu.org/post/columbus-unveils-strategic-plan-public-art-high-street#stream/0)
- Meet the home-grown urban planning firm behind the public art project in the Short North | Columbus Business First | September 8, 2017 | [www.bizjournals.com/Columbus/news/2017/09/08/meet-the-home-grown-urban-planning-firm-behind-the.html](http://www.bizjournals.com/Columbus/news/2017/09/08/meet-the-home-grown-urban-planning-firm-behind-the.html)

