

# NWWS WORKSHOPS INTERNATIONAL MINI WORKSHOP WITH PABLO RUBEN

# "PAINTING REFLECTIONS" Saturday, November 8, 2024, 10:00 am to 1:00 pm Pacific time

#### In this workshop you will learn how to:

- Paint two different kinds of water reflections, developing the basic skills and techniques to render these subjects successfully.
- Load just the right amount of pigment onto your brush.
- Master combining brush load with the state of your paper to produce the effect wanted.

#### **EXERCISES:** I will explain each exercise fully.

- 1. Landscape with calm water, puddles or lake.
- 2. Landscape with flowing water making waves.

I will present and explain the essential materials: easel, colors, paper and brushes.



#### PABLO RUBEN SUGGESTED SUPPLIES FOR "PAINTING REFLECTIONS"

#### Please use only high quality materials!

**Paper:** (*The most important element to take full advantage of the workshop*)
I recommend 100% cotton paper, 140lbs, fine grain (Hot Press) surface. Arches and Saunders Waterford are most advisable. I will use a 31 x 41cm (12" x 16") Arches block, fine grain.

#### **Brushes:**

A "Petit gris" mop brush (medium) — I use Escoda Ultimo or Aquario brush numbrer 10 or 12 Pointed synthetic brush (medium) — I use Escoda Perla number 14 or 12 Flat or "Hake" brush — I use Escoda Ultimo flat brush number 12 or 15 Rigger brush — I use Ecoda Chronos number 2

**Colors:** (Preferably tube colors, not pans)

All the colors I will be using are in my Daniel Smith Set:

Lavender Hansa Yellow Medium

Ulltramarine Blue Mars Yellow Indigo Titanium White Cerulean Blue Chromium Phtalo Green (BS) Opera Pink Perylene Violet

Pyrrol Red or Transparent Red Oxide Sepia

*If you have similar colors to these, you are welcome to use them.* I sometimes use colors from other brands like Blue Grey (Shin Han), Cadmium Orange (White Nights) and Jaune Brillant 1 and 2 (Holbein).

#### **Palette:**

I use a metalic palette – it is better than plastic.

#### **Accessory Materials:**

The usual: Tape, board to fix the paper to, spray bottle, water container, pencil, ruler

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-Pablo Rubén

ablo Rubén was born in Madrid, Spain. He has been dedicating himself professionally to painting for more than 20 years and since 2007 specialized exclusively in the watercolor technique. He combines exhibitions, festivals and competitions in which he has obtained around 500 national and international awards. He currently teaches watercolor courses all over the world and in his studio in Griñón opened in 2010.

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Unique colors made with
authentic mineral pigments.

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=Semi- =Opaque

The Color Key Information is on the back of this card. This paper is unsized and is used to bring the Color Dots to you. Paint-out the Color Dots on your favorite watercolor paper and enjoy!

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