Acrylic painter **Nancy Roberts** is known for her bold color, dynamic design and inventive, slightly quirky style. In this fun and fast-paced demo Nancy will be showing us her favorite acrylic techniques and walking us through the steps of her process, with little glimpses into her brain along the way. Working from sketches, memory and imagination she'll be painting a landscape on canvas, building with transparent, translucent and opaque layers to create a visual playground of shape, color and pattern. Between brush strokes she'll share her thoughts about finding your subject, designing a strong composition and choosing color schemes to add harmony and beauty to your work. She'll bring a collection of paintings so you can get an up-close look, and will also have a handout listing all of her favorite acrylic supplies. Feel free to ask questions throughout the demo -- let's get interactive!

Nancy is an avid plein air painter, art instructor and retired architect. She exhibits her work in several galleries, has been featured in solo shows, participates in regional exhibits and plein air events, teaches workshops and organizes group paint-outs. Her work has garnered many awards and is included in public and private collections across the country. Learn more about her at <u>www.nancyrobertsstudio.com</u>.

