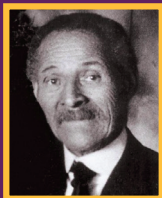


CELEBRATE BLACK HISTORY MONTH

# CHARLES ETHAN PORTER: Artist and Community

Presented by Cynthia Hawkins, Ph.D.

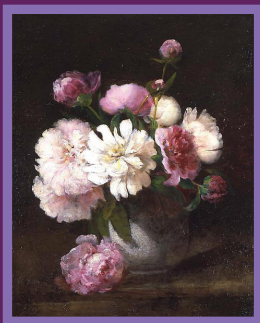
**Wednesday, February 10, 2021  
6:00 - 7:15 pm on Zoom\***



Porter (1847-1924) was born in Hartford, Connecticut. During the 19<sup>th</sup> century, he was among the few African American artists working in New York City and Hartford,

and the first African American to study at the National Academy of Design in NYC. We will discuss his life, his painting, and his Hartford community.

Cynthia Hawkins, Ph.D. is the Gallery Director and Curator at SUNY Geneseo's Bertha V.B. Lederer Gallery.



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