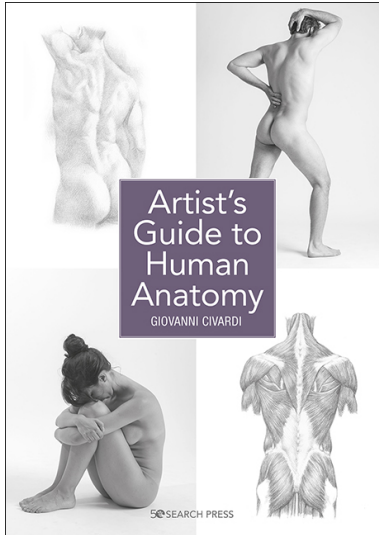


# Artist's Guide to Human Anatomy

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## Key Selling Points

- Informative and approachable guide to studying and drawing human anatomy
- Filled with dozens of annotated drawings and photographs
- Covers the basic bones and muscles through to shape, proportion and movement of the human body
- Civardi is a best-selling master artist – his books have sold over 600,000 copies worldwide in English alone.

## Description

**An approachable and informative guide to studying and drawing the human form by best-selling master artist Giovanni Civardi.**

This latest addition to Civardi's collection of much-loved instructional art books teaches you how to accurately draw the human body and find out how to compose a figure filled with character and expression.

Begin by discovering the journey artists have taken through the centuries to accurately delineate the human figure. Learn and understand the inner workings of the body, and see how our bones and muscles play their roles in our shapes, gestures and movement. Every essential aspect of anatomy is supported by photographs and diagrams, along with beautifully drawn examples by the artist.

This is a perfect introduction for any beginner artist exploring life drawing, or practised students looking for a comprehensive manual on the history of drawing the body and an anatomical guide to the human form.

## About the Author

Giovanni Civardi was born in Milan in 1947. While training to become a sculptor, portrait artist and illustrator at the Free Life-Study School of the Accademia di Brera, he also studied medicine and surgery. For over a decade, he worked as an illustrator, producing commissions for newspapers, magazines and book covers. During frequent trips to France and Denmark, Civardi put on one-man exhibitions of this work and pursued his interest in studying the relationship between medical anatomy and the human form as depicted by the artist. His experience gained from teaching anatomy, life drawing and portraiture in schools and institutions over many years has led to the publication of numerous books in which Civardi's experiences are brought into focus.

For more work and information on the artist, visit his website: [www.giovanncivardi.it](http://www.giovanncivardi.it)

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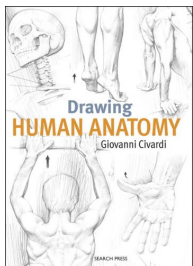
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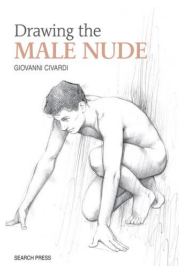
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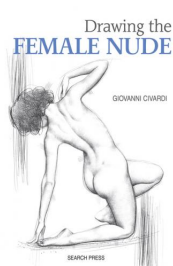
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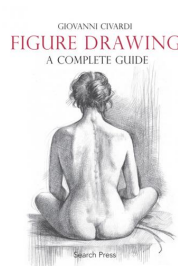
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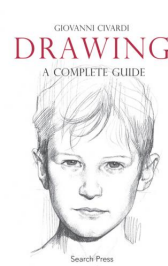
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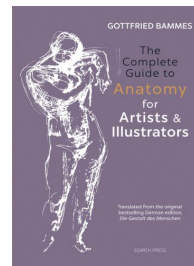
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