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Education

MFA 2009 Sculpture Southern Illinois University: Carbondale
BA 2005 Studio Art with Minor of Mathematics Baylor University

Areas of Specialization: Sculpture, Kinetics

Professional Experience

2007 – 2009 Teaching Assistant, University of Southern Illinois: Carbondale
Fall 2007 and Spring 2008, 3D Foundations
Fall 2008 and Spring 2009, Beginning Sculpture (instructor of record)

2006 – 2007 Graduate Assistant, University of Southern Illinois: Carbondale
Wood Shop Technical Support (maintained all machines, supplies, and supervised students)

2006 Fabricator, Nickell Metalsmiths, Waco, TX (architectural steel fabrication)

Exhibition Record

2009 *A Repetition of Iterations*, Surplus Gallery, Carbondale, IL, MFA Thesis Exhibition

2008 *What is Sculpture*, Surplus Gallery, Carbondale, IL, Curated by Critical Forum Art Group

Spaceship Earth: Astroarchaeology at SIUC, Hutchins Gallery, Long Island University: CW Post, Juror: Andy Messerschmidt, Painter, Ely, Minnesota

Summer Sculpture Residency / Exhibition Program, Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, IL (outdoor sculpture on exhibit until 2010)

2nd Annual SIUC Juried Art Competition, Surplus Gallery, Carbondale, IL, Juror: Riley Robinson, Studio Director, Artpace San Antonio, TX

Kinetic Image, Target Gallery at Torpedo Factory Art Center, Alexandria, VA, Juror: Patrick Lichty, Professor of Art, Columbia College, Chicago

2007 *41st Annual National Drawing and Small Sculpture Show*, Del Mar College, Corpus Christi, TX. Juror: Jack Gron, Chair of Art Department, University of Texas A&M: Corpus Christi

1st Annual SIUC Juried Art Competition, Surplus Gallery, Carbondale, IL, Juror: Mel Watkin, Curator of Public Policy Research Center Photography Gallery, University of Missouri: St. Louis

2006 *Configuration*, Surplus Gallery, Carbondale, IL, Curated by Critical Forum Art Group

2005 *Windsong or the General Circulation of the Atmosphere*, Baylor University, Waco, TX
(outdoor sculpture on exhibit until present)

Artist Residencies

2008 Summer Sculpture Residency / Exhibition Program, Eastern Illinois University,
Charleston, IL

Technical Abilities

Wood table saw, compound miter saw, band saw, jig saw, jointer, stationary sanders, lathe,
plate jointer, planer, router table, hand power tools

Metal MIG welding, TIG welding, Oxy Acetylene welding and heating, slip and tubing rollers,
basic forging, stationary grinder, angle grinder, die grinder, horizontal band saw, vertical
metal band saw

Foundry bonded-sand, ceramic shell

Digital Arduino microcontroller, video editing, sound editing, DVD authoring, CAD, Sketchup

Professional and Local Organizations

College Art Association

Critical Forum (curate, install, and organization of group and juried exhibitions in Carbondale, IL)

References

Jerry Monteith, Professor and Head of Sculpture, Southern Illinois University: Carbondale
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Alex Lopez, Professor of Sculpture, Southern Illinois University: Carbondale
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Jeffery Boshart, Professor of Sculpture, Eastern Illinois University
Office Phone: (217) 581-2624 Email: jgboshart@eiu.edu