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Profile

Professional mixed media glass artist and teacher working with vitreous enamels on glass paintings, mosaics and sculptures. Also a writer and illustrator for original material.

Education

Self taught, schooled in Ireland and lived in Corsica, France. Studied at Pilchuck Glass School with Dan Daily, Bertil Valien, Ginny Ruffner, Klause Moje, Clifford Rainey, Jiri Harcuba, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1991. Studied Ceramics with Yi Wen Kuo, Keske Mizuno, Sergei Isopov at Penland Craft School in 2001, 2002. Many classes at Pratt Fine Art Center in Seattle studying Metal techniques.

Teaching Positions and Workshops

- 2015 Toyama City Glass Institution, Toyama, Japan
- 2014 Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA
Weisser Glass Studio, Washington DC
- 2011 Museum of Glass, Tacoma, WA
- 2010 Toledo Glass Museum, Toledo, Ohio
- 2009 Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA
- 2008 Penland Craft School, Penland, NC
- 2007 Pratt Fine Art Center, Master Class, Seattle, WA
- 2002 Penland Craft School, Penland, NC
- 1993 Penland Craft School, Penland, NC
- 1992 Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA
- 1989 Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA
- 1987-89 Southeastern Massachusetts University, South Dartmouth, MA
- 1987 Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA
- 1987 Swain School of Design, New Bedford, MA

Awards and Scholarships

- 2014 Nominated for the Twinning Humber Lifetime Achievement Award, Seattle, WA
- 2013 " "
- 2012 " "
- 2010 Artist in Residence, Museum of Glass, Tacoma, WA
Artist in Residence, Toledo Art Museum, Tacoma, WA
Presenter at the 2010 GAS Conference, Seattle, WA
- 2001 Artist Trust Fellowship Award, Seattle, WA
- 1993 T.A. for David Reekie, Pilchuck Glass School, WA

Awards and Scholarships (cont)

- 1986 Massachusetts Council for the Arts Fellowship
Corning Glass Review #7
- 1984 Corning Scholarship Prize, Nominated by Ginny Ruffner, Pilchuck Glass School
- 1983 First Prize: "Leading Edge: Frontiers in Craft", Santa Fe, NM
- 1982 Museum Purchase Award: "Craft IV", Downtown Center for the Arts, Albuquerque, NM
- 1981 First Prize and Honorable Mention, Jurors Award, Santa Fe Festival for the Arts
Santa Fe, NM

Selected Public Collections

Cincinatti Art Museum, Cincinatti, OH
 Henry Ford Art Museum, Dearborn, MI
 Mobile Art Museum, Mobile, AL
 Sheldon and Myrna Paley Glass Pavilion, Lowe Museum, Miami, FL
 Spiezer Collection, Rockford Art Museum, Rockford, IL
 Museum of Art and Design, New York, NY
 Racine Art Museum, Racine, WI
 Albuquerque Museum, Albuquerque, NM
 Corning Museum of Glass, Corning, NY
 James Copely Library, La Jolla, CA
 21st Century Museum of Modern Art, Kanazawa, Japan
 Hokkaido Museum of Modern Art, Sapporo, Japan
 Mint Museum, Charlotte, NC
 Allentown Art Museum of the Lehigh Valley, Allentown, PA
 Museum of Glass, Tacoma, WA
 Tacoma Art Museum, Tacoma, WA

Commissions and Private Collections

Richard and Barbara Basch Collection, Sheldon and Myrna Paley, Charles Bronfman, Spiezer Collection, Lerner Collection, Dubois Collection, Wolf Collection, Sonny and Gloria Kamm

- 2010 Kamm Foundation Teapot commission
- 2007 Memorial piece for Andrea Bronfman commissioned by Charles Bronfman
Memorial piece, "Tallit", commissioned by Dan Silverstein
- 2005 Boat Chandelier, commissioned by Mr. and Mrs. Gorman
- 2001 Powder room mosaics and transom for Charles and Andrea Bronfman
- 1995 Front door for Charles and Andrea Bronfman

Solo Exhibitions

- 2015 Ken Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2012 Friesen Gallery, Sun Valley, ID
- 2011 Traver Gallery, Seattle, Wa
- 2006 Marx Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2005 Leo Kapland Modern, New York, NY
Pacini Lubel, Seattle, WA
- 2004 Leo Kaplan Modern, New York, NY
- 2003 "Glimmerings", mother/daughter show with Alicia Lomne, Traver Gallery, Seattle, WA
"Glimmerings Too", exhibition with Alicia Lomne, Habatat, Boca Raton
- 2002 Leo Kaplan Modern, New York, NY
- 2001 Marx Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2000 Leo Kaplan Modern, New York, NY
- 1999 Marx Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
Habatat Gallery, Boca Raton, FL
Habatat Gallery, Pontiac, MI
- 1994 Habatat Gallery, Boca Raton, FL
- 1993 Habatat, Farmington Hills, MI
Helander Gallery, Palm Beach, FL
- 1992 Holsten Gallery, Stockbridge, MA
- 1990 Habatat Gallery, Farmington Hills, MI
- 1987 Habatat Gallery, Farmington Hills, MI
- 1986 Kurland Summers Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 1982 Mariposa Gallery, Albuquerque, NM
- 1980 "Mimbres and Moderns", Dewey Kofron Gallery, Santa Fe, NM

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2014 **"Mobile Museum of Art, Selections from Fifty Years of Collecting"**, Mobile, AL
SOFA Chicago, Scott Jacobson Gallery
- 2013 **SOFA Chicago**, Scott Jacobson Gallery
Glass Weekend, Wheaton Village, Millville, NJ, Scott Jacobson Gallery
"Mosaics", Museum Installation at Fuller Craft Museum, Brockton, MA

Selected Group Exhibitions (cont)

- 2012 **"Playing with Fire: Fifty Years of Contemporary Glass"** Museum of Art and Design, NY
"Primal Inspirations; Contemporary Artifacts", KRASL Art Museum, St. Josephs, MI
"Fifty Years: Contemporary American Glass from Illinois Collections", curated by Jon Liebman, Krannert Art Museum, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, ILL
"Fifty Years of Studio Glass", Kentucky Museum of Art and Craft, Louisville, KY
"American Studio Glass; 50 Years of Extraordinary Achievement", Ringling College Academic Center, Sarasota, FL
- 2010 **"The Lerner Contemporary Glass Collection"**, Fowler Gallery, Allentown Art Museum of the Lehigh Valley, Allentown, PA
SOFA Palm Beach, Ken Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2011 **"Primal Inspirations; Contemporary Artifacts"**, Muskegon Museum of Art Wiener Gallery, Muskegon, MI
- 2010 **"Fertile Ground: Masterworks from the visiting Artist Collection"**, Museum of Glass, Tacoma, WA
"Narrative Ceramics Survey", Pacini Lubel Gallery, Seattle, WA
SOFA Santa Fe, Habatat Galleries, MI
Annual Glass Exhibit, Museo Gallery, Langley, WA
"Her Story", Ken Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
"Hot Tea", 12th Biannual Tea Pot Exhibition, Craft Alliance, Saint Louis, MO
"Wild and Tame", Pacini Lubel Gallery, Seattle, WA
"Habatat International", Habatat Gallery, Farmington Hills, MI
"Art Chicago", Ken Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2009 **SOFA Chicago**, Thomas Riley Galleries, Woodmere, OH
"The Francis and June Spiezer Collection", Rockford Art Museum, Rockford, IL
"Voices of Contemporary Glass", The Heinemann Collection, Corning Glass Museum Corning, New York
"Go Figure! The Human Form in RAM's Collections", Racine Art Museum, Racine, WI
- 2008 **"Big Ideas/Small Packages; Magnificent Glass Under 20 (20 inches)**, Bergstrom-Mahler Museum, Neenah, WI
"A Touch of Glass: Selections from the Racine Art Museum's Collection", Dane County Regional Airport, Madison, WI
"Glass Quake" Exhibition, Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA
SOFA New York, Marx Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL

Selected Group Exhibitions (cont)

- 2006 **SOFA Chicago**, Leo Kaplan Modern, NY
SOFA New York, Marx Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2005 **"Sculpting Glass"**, Mary and Leigh Block Museum of Art, Northwestern University
 Evanston, ILL
"Scents of Purpose", The Contemporary Jewish Museum, San Francisco, CA
SOFA New York, Leo Kaplan Modern, NY
SOFA Chicago, Leo Kaplan Modern, New York
SOFA Palm Beach, Marx Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2004 **"Well Heeled"**, shoe show, Kirkland Arts Center, Kirkland, WA
"Common Ground, Art in New Mexico, Selections from the Permanent Collection"
 Albuquerque Museum, Albuquerque, NM
"Familiar Artist", Fenland Gallery, Penland, NC
- 2002 **"New Artists"**, Traver Gallery, Seattle, WA
"New Art Forms", Palm Beach, FL
SOFA Chicago, Marx Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
SOFA New York, Leo Kaplan Modern, NY
- 2001 **SOFA Chicago**, Marx Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
SOFA New York, Leo Kaplan Modern, New York, NY
Group Show, Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA
"The Glass Canvas", Heller Gallery
- 2000 **SOFA Chicago**, Marx Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
SOFA New York, Leo Kaplan Modern, New York, NY
- 1999 **SOFA Chicago**, Marx Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
SOFA New York, Marx Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
"Glass Weekend", Millville, NJ
"Glass America", Heller Gallery, New York, NY
"Habatat International", Boca Raton, FL
- 1998 **SOFA Chicago**, Marx Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
SOFA New York, Marx Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
"L'Chiam", Kiddush Cup Invitational, The Jewish Museum of San Francisco

Selected Group Exhibitions (cont)

- 1997 **SOFA Chicago**, Marx Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
SOFA New York, Marx Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
"Menorah" Exhibit, The Jewish Museum of San Francisco, CA
"Glass Weekend", Millville, NJ
"Blowing Hot, Cutting Cold", Lakeview Museum of Art, Peoria, IL
"Exhibition of Promised Gifts of the Glick Collection" The Indianapolis Museum of Art, Indianapolis, IN
- 1996 **SOFA Miami**, Marx Saunders Gallery, Chicago, IL
SOFA Chicago, Kate Elliot, Seattle, WA
- 1995 **"Common Forms, High Art: Three Centuries of American Furniture"**, Los Angeles County Museum, Los Angeles, CA
Group show, Habatat, Aspen, CO
- 1994 **Wignall Museum** group exhibition, Rancho Cucamonga, CA
"Hokkaido Museum of Modern Art" Juried Glass Exhibition, Sapporo, Japan
- 1993 **"Tiffany to Ben Tre: A Century of Glass"**, Milwaukee, WI
"The Art of Contemporary Glass: Selections from the Adele and Leonard Leight Collection", J.B. Speed Museum, Louisville, KY
- 1992 **"Fifteenth Annual Pilchuck Exhibition"**, William Traver Gallery, Seattle, WA
"Material Vision: Image and Object", Tarble Arts Center, Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, ILL
"Glass from Ancient Craft to Contemporary Art: 1962-1992 & Beyond", Morris Museum, Bellevue, WA
"Cribbs, Marioni & Robinson", New Art Forms, Chicago, IL
"Artists from the Pilchuck Glass School", Sea Tac Airport, Seattle, WA
- 1991 **"Studio Glass; Selections from the Jacob Chodoroff Collection"**, Detroit Institute of Arts, Detroit, MI
"The Frozen Moment: Contemporary Northwest Images in Glass", Bellevue Art Museum, Bellevue, WA
"Selected Masterpieces of Contemporary Glass", The Los Angeles County Museum of Art, Los Angeles, CA
"Masters of Contemporary Art", Naples Philharmonic and Museum, Naples, FL

Selected Group Exhibitions (cont)

- 1990 **"Museum Menagerie"**, Albuquerque Museum, Albuquerque, NM
"Seattle Plus", Foster White Gallery, Seattle, WA
"Eighteenth Annual International Glass Invitational", Habatat, Farmington Hills, MI
"Scale and Detail", Habatat, Farmington Hills, MI
"Building a Permanent Collection", American Craft Museum, New York, NY
- 1989 **"Contemporary Glass Artists in the Corning Collection"**, Heller Gallery, New York, NY
"Seventeenth Annual International Glass Invitational", Habatat, Farmington Hills, MI
"Bewitched by Craft", Benefit Auction for the American Craft Museum, New York, NY
"Scale and Detail", Habatat, Farmington Hills, MI
"A Generation of Glass Sculpture", Florida State University Museum, Tallahassee, FL
- 1987 **"Children's Exhibition"**, Bellevue Art Museum, Bellevue, WA
"Surface Details", Muckenthaller Cultural Center, Fullerton, CA
"Scale and Detail", Habatat, Farmington Hills, MI
"The New Aesthetic", International Glass Invitational, Habatat, Farmington Hills, MI
"Now and Then", Benefit Auction for the American Craft Museum, Sotheby's, New York, NY
- 1986 **"Pilchuck Group Show"**, Traver/Sutton, Seattle, Wa

Selected Publications

- 2014 **"The Mobile Museum of Art, Selections from Fifty Years of Collecting"**
Mobile Museum of Art, Mobile, AL
- 2010 **"American Style Magazine"**, article by Lynda McDaniel, pp. 87-91
- 2009 **"Voices of Contemporary Glass"**, the Heinemann Collection, written by
Tina Oldknow, Corning Museum of Glass, Corning New York, NY
- 2003 **"International Glass Art"**, Richard Yelle, Schiffer, pp 77-79
- 2003 **"Women Working in Glass"**, by Lucartha Kohler, Schiffer, pp 133, 134
- 2001 **"Contemporary Glass: Color and Form"**, by Lier Peters Wallace, Guild Publishing
- 2001 **"Artists in Glass, Late Twentieth Century Masters in Glass"**, by Dan Klien, Mitchell
Beazly, Octopus Publishing Group, Ltd., London
- 2001 **Glass Art Magazine**, Jan/Feb, issue, written by Sean Wagner
- 2001 **American Craft Magazine**, Feb/March issue, Review by Nancy Princenthal of
Solo Exhibition at Leo Kaplan Modern, New York, NY
- 2000 **"Engraved Glass" International Contemporary Artists**, by Tom and Marilyn
Goodearl, Published by Antique Collectors Club
- 1991 **"Out of the Fire: Contemporary Glass Artists and Their Work"**, by Bonnie Miller
Chronicle Books, pp. 34-38
- 1991 **Glasswork Magazine**, Vol. 9, Cover, pp. 12-19
- 1989 **"Glass; A Contemporary Art"** by Dan Klien, Rizzoli Inc., pp. 68, 69
- 1989 **"Contemporary Glass"**, by Suzanne Franz, Harry N. Abrams, Inc., pp. 247
- 1988 **"Contemporary Glass: A Private Collection"**, by Ben W. Heinemann, Sr., Falcon Press, p. 68
- 1988 **"Glass Animals: 3,600 Years of Artistry and Design"** by Albane Dolez, Harry N. Abrams
pp. 200, 201, 205

