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EDUCATION

- 1981-1983 M.F.A. Master of Fine Arts
Sculpture/Glass, Rhode Island School
of Design, Providence, RI
- 1975-1978 B.F.A. Bachelor of Fine Arts
Ceramics/Glass, Temple University,
Tyler School of Art, Philadelphia, PA

GRANTS-SCHOLARSHIPS-RESIDENCIES-AWARDS

- 2005 Distinguished Teaching Award, VCUarts Richmond, VA
- 2003 Artists Residency, Cam Ocagi , Istanbul, Turkey
- 2000 Illinois State Council of the Arts, Individual Artists Grant
- 1999 Artists Residency, The Corning Museum, Corning, NY
- 1999, 2002 Illinois State University Research Grant, Bloomington, IL
- 1989, 1990-91 Tiffany Foundation Nominee, Grant Finalist
- 1988-1989 N.E.A., Individual Artists Fellowship,
National Endowment for the Arts
- 1986-1987 N.E.A., Individual Artists Fellowship,
National Endowment for the Art

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

- 2005-Present Full Professor, Virginia Commonwealth University
School of the Arts, Richmond, VA
- 2002- 2005 Associate Professor
Head of the Glass Area
Virginia Commonwealth University,
School of the Arts Richmond, VA
- 1998-2002 Associate Professor 3-D Dept. Head of Glass Studies
School of Art, Illinois State University, Normal, IL
- 1997-1998 Visiting Artist, Acting Head Glass Program
Illinois State University, Normal, IL
- 1991-1996 Full Professor, Toyama Garasu Zokei Kenkyu Jo
(Toyama Institute of Glass), Toyama, Japan

- 1994 Visiting Lecturer, Ai-Kyou-Dai,
(Aichi Educational University), Nagoya, Japan
- 1990-1991 Instructor, Cleveland Institute of Art, Cleveland, Ohio
- 1990 Instructor, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI
- 1988-1990 Instructor, University of the Arts,
Philadelphia College of Art, Philadelphia, PA
- 1987-1990 Instructor, Temple University, Tyler
School of Art, Philadelphia, PA
- 1987 Instructor, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI
- 1986 Visiting Faculty/Artist in Residence,
Ohio State University, Columbus, OH
- 1985 Technical and Teaching Assistant, RISD Providence, RI

SOLO EXHIBITIONS-COMMISSIONS

- 2006 Stained & Scattered, VAC Richmond, VA
- 2005 Markel Corporation. World headquarters
Richmond, VA
- 2005 "Jack Wax", Georgia Southwestern University,
Americus, GA
- 2004 "Voice Stream", Commission, Phillip Morris Corporation
Richmond, VA
- 2003 "Thrall", Anderson Gallery, Virginia Commonwealth
University, Richmond, VA
- 2001 "Élan Vital", Elliott-Brown Gallery
Seattle, WA
- 2001 "Cite", Evanston Art Center
Evanston, IL
- 1999 "Pangs", The Gallery Corning, NY
- 1998 "Chronic Fervor", Elliott-Brown Gallery
Seattle, WA
- 1997 "Ground", University Galleries, Illinois State University
Normal, IL
- 1996 "Susceptibility & Resilience", Elliott-Brown
Gallery, Seattle, WA
- 1996 "Mata", E.L.F. Gallery, Toyama, Japan
- 1994 "The Water Pieces", Elliott-Brown Gallery, Seattle, WA
- 1991 "Jack Wax", Fleischer Gallery of the Philadelphia Museum
of Art, Philadelphia, PA

(RECENT) GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2006 “Material Matters”, LA County Museum, Los Angeles California
2006 “Form and Light” Riga, Latvia
2005 “Pate Du Verre”, Wheaton Museum, Millville, NJ
2004 “ Gallery Artists”, Reynolds Gallery Richmond, VA
2004 “ Instructors”, The Haystack Mountain School of Crafts
2003 “ (In)Visibility”, Reynolds Gallery Richmond, VA (Curated)
2003 “ Private Collection”, LA County Museum, CA (invited)
2003 “ United States Artists”, Tittot Museum, Taiwan, China (invited)
2002 Art in Embassies Program, Moscow, Russia*(invited)
2001 “ MORTAL”, Betty Rymer Gallery Chicago, IL* (invited)
2000 “ Postcards From The Edge”, MCAC Gallery, Bloomington, IL
- 2001 Sculptural Objects and Functional Art Fair, (Represented by The Elliott-Brown Gallery), Navy Pier, Chicago, IL (invited)
- 2000 “ Down Town Artists”, Phoenix Gallery, Normal, IL (invited)
- 2000 “ Toyama International” Shimin Plaza Tatemono (Peoples Center Gallery), Toyama, Japan * (invited)
- 1997-2000 “ The Glass Skin”, Traveling Exhibition
Hokkaido Museum of Art, Sapporo, Japan
Gifu Museum of Art, Gifu, Japan
Shimonoseki Museum of Art, Shimonoseki, Japan
Corning Museum of Glass, Corning, NY
Coburg Castle, Coburg, Germany
Kunstmuseum, Dusseldorf, Germany * (invited)

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Ibaraki Prefecture, Ibaraki, Japan
Cam Ocagi (The Glass Furnace), Istanbul, Turkey
Tittot Museum, Taiwan, China
Glasmusee, Ebeltoft, Denmark
Toyama City, Toyama City, Japan
Los Angeles County Museum, Los Angeles, CA
Speed Museum of Art, Louisville, KY
Corning Museum of Glass, Corning, NY
Huntington Museum of Art, Huntington, WV
Hastings Collection, Louisville, KY
The Archie Bray Foundation, Helena, MT
The Pilchuck School, Stanwood, WA
The Smithsonian Institute, Washington, DC
Phillip Morris, America Richmond, VA

The Markel Corporation. Richmond, VA