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Solo and Two Person Shows

Apparatus, American Craft Council headquarters, Minneapolis, MN 2013
Agency, Dairy Center for the Arts, Boulder, CO 2012
Forgotten History, Gallery 202x, Providence, RI 2009

Museum Exhibitions

National Iron: A Juried National Exhibition of Cast Iron Art, Missoula Art Museum, Missoula, MT 2010
On Time, RISD Museum, Providence, RI 2008

Selected Shows & Exhibitions

Art of the State: A Juried Exhibition of Colorado, Arvada Cntr. for the Arts, Arvada, CO 2013
MSUD Faculty Exhibition, Emmanuel Gallery, Denver, CO 2012
Edge Invitational, Edge Gallery, Denver, CO 2011
Collective Nouns, Center for Visual Art, Denver, CO 2011
North American Sculpture, Foothills Art Center, Golden, CO 2010
Moore Inspired: Contemporary Responses to Henry Moore, Denver Botanic Gardens, Denver, CO 2010
Objects from the New Frontier, Walker Fine Art, Denver, CO 2009
RISD Graduate Thesis Exhibition, RI Convention Center, Providence, RI 2009
13th Annual Providence Fine Furnishings Show, Providence, RI 2008
That's Design, Salone di Mobile 2008. Milan, Italy 2008
FURN DEPT, Sol Koffler Gallery, Providence, RI 2008
Omni Modus, Walker Fine Art, Denver, CO 2007
23rd Annual All Colorado Art Show, (Juror: Lawrence Argent) Greenwood Village, CO 2006
Fabric, Furniture and Furnishings Show, (Juror: Susan Working) Eleanor Bliss Center for the Arts, Steamboat Springs, CO 2006
W.O.W., Core New Art Space. Denver, CO 2005
Colorado Arts Festival Curated Showcase, Republic Plaza, Denver, CO 2005
Fine Furnishings Show, Sanctuary Decor. Littleton, CO. 2005
Contemporary Furniture for the Cultured House, Walker Fine Art, Denver, CO (Also co-curated) 2004

Corporate & Public Collections

Colorado Arts Ranch, Salida, CO
The Lodge at Vail, Vail, CO.

Residencies

Terraphilia Residency Colorado Arts Ranch, Salida, CO 2012

Selected Presentations and Invited Lectures

Organizer & Guide "Floatposium: Nature + Art/ Design Interdisciplinary River Trip" 2012
Kirkland Museum of Fine and Decorative Arts "The Evolution of Plywood Furniture" 2012
The Furniture Society "Inspired by Nature: Interpreting Nature for Art and Design" 2012
Kirkland Museum of Fine and Decorative Arts "Modernist Furniture" 2011
Metropolitan State College, Department of Art, "Modernist Design" 2011
Center for Visual Arts, "Gallery Talk" 2011
Women in Design "Work is Freedom: Eileen Gray, Charlotte Perriand, Lilly Reich and Modernist Furniture Design" 2010
Metropolitan State College, Department of Industrial Design 2010
RISD, Department of Furniture Design, "The Furniture of Marcel Breuer" 2009
Metropolitan State College, Department of Art 2003

Selected Publications and Reviews

Tables Lark Books 2011
500 Cabinets, (Juror John Grew Sheridan) Lark Books 2010
500 Tables, (Juror: Andrew Glasgow) Lark Books, 2009
"Young Gifted Design", *Domus.* #917. 2008
"The New Creative Generation", *Made*. Issue 05. By Chiara Brollo, 2008
"Omni Modus", *Westword,* May 17-23. By Michael Paglia. 2007
"Gallery", *Woodwork*, #108. 2007

Bibliography

"Form + Function: The Evolution of Plywood Furniture" *Modern in Denver.* Fall 2012
"Paving the Way: Eileen Gray, Charlotte Perriand, Lilly Reich & Modernist Furniture", *Modern in Denver*. Summer 2011
"Exhibition Review: Marcel Breuer", *Furniture Matters*. Autumn 2009

Selected Honors and Awards

Service Award, RISD 2009
Finalist, Niche Awards For excellence in American and Canadian fine craft 2008
Tage & Emma Frid Scholarship, For academic excellence in Furniture Design RISD 2008
The Furniture Society & Powermatic Student Workshop Scholarship. 2008
Conover Program Excellence Scholarship, Anderson Ranch Arts Center. 2008
Graduate Fellowship, RISD. 2007 - 2009
Chosen to represent RISD at the Salone del Mobile, Milan Italy 2007
People's Choice Award, 20th Annual Exhibition of Fine Woodworking 2002

Education

Rhode Island School of Design (2007 - 2009) M.F.A. Furniture Design (with honors)
University of Iowa (1991 - 1993) B.A. History (with honors) Minor: English
Creighton University (1989 - 1991) Undergraduate studies

Academic Experience

Affiliate Professor (2010 to present) Metropolitan State University of Denver, Dept. of Industrial Design
Developed and taught undergraduate courses on topics including materials/ processes, fabrication, furniture design, and design history.

3-D Studio Manager (2009 to present) Metropolitan State University of Denver, Dept. of Art
Oversaw the activities in several teaching studios, provided instructional support to faculty, instituted safety programs, managed budgets, oversaw construction and studio maintenance, and supervised student employees. Served on committees, and chaired the inter-institutional, multi-disciplinary, 3-D Steering Committee.

Lecturer (2011) University of Colorado- Denver, Department of Visual Arts
Taught an intermediate level undergraduate sculpture course.

Instructor (2009), Rhode Island School of Design, Dept. of Furniture Design
Developed and taught course for graduates and undergraduates, focusing on principles of furniture design and fabrication.

Graduate Teaching Asst. (2008 - 2009), R.I.S.D., Dept. of Furniture Design
Assisted in the teaching of furniture design, fabrication, and furniture history courses
Adjunct Professor (2004 – 2007), Metropolitan State College, Dept. of Industrial Design
Taught undergraduate design and fabrication courses and developed a furniture design, fabrication and design history course.

Selected Professional Experience

Design and fabrication experience includes small-batch production, restoration, one-of-a-kind furniture, sculpture, and architectural work in wood, metal, and other media (1997 to present).

Owner (2004 - present) Phillip Mann Studios
Established and maintained a furniture and sculpture studio that offers design services and produces work for galleries and commissions.
Graduate Student Liaison (2008 - 2009) **Error! Contact not defined.**
Liaison to the faculty and administration/ Representative on the Graduate Student Alliance.
Furniture Maker (1998 thru 2004) Boykin Pearce Associates
Duties included the construction of high-end custom furniture at an award winning design/build firm. Worked as a project lead and trained new employees.
Instructor (1995 – 1997) Colorado Outward Bound School
River Program instructor for outdoor, experiential learning school. Additional duties included logistics and equipment management.

Selected Workshops and Activities

"Samplings" Wendy Maruyama & Judy McKie, Anderson Ranch Arts Center 2008.
Spencer Forum on Art + Design Collegiate Teaching, RISD 2008.
"Advanced Furniture Making" Stephen Proctor, Denver Center for Woodworking 2005.
Woodcarving Master Class Nora Hall, Denver, CO 2003.