

## Ren Cannon

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### Education

- 2006 MLIS University of Denver, Denver, CO
- 2002 BFA Colorado State University, Ft. Collins, CO. Concentrations in Fibers and Drawing.

### Solo Exhibitions

- 2013 **Imagined and Observed**  
SPARK Gallery, Denver, CO
- 2012 **Imagined Environments**  
SPARK Gallery, Denver, CO
- 2011 **Mapping: Pattern Recognition**  
SPARK Gallery, Denver, CO
- 2001 **Untitled Drawings: BFA Thesis show in drawing**  
Coopersmith's Brewing Company, Ft. Collins, CO
- lost, found, and lost again**  
Coopersmith's Brewing Company, Ft. Collins, CO
- action: response**  
Lory Student Center, Colorado State University, Ft. Collins, CO

### Group Exhibitions (selected)

- 2019 **Composed Hypothesis**  
Walker Fine Art, Denver, CO
- 2017 **Amalgamated Contemplation**  
Walker Fine Art, Denver, CO
- 2016 **Art of the State 2016**  
Regional juried show- Colin Pearson, Gwen Chanzit, and Michael Chavez, jurors  
Arvada Center, Arvada, CO
- Altering Natural Perceptions**  
Walker Fine Art, Denver, CO
- 2015 **HAIKU- poetry in art**  
Republic Plaza, Denver, CO
- Ice/migration**  
Walker Fine Art, Denver, CO

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- 2014
- PRINTHOUSTON: NEXT 2014**  
National juried print show  
Nicole Longnecker Gallery, Houston, TX
- Open Press 25th Anniversary Exhibition**  
Invitational Show  
McNichols Building, Denver, CO
- 2014
- Month of Printmaking Exhibit**  
Walker Fine Art, Denver, CO
- Month of Printmaking Exhibit**  
SPARK Gallery, Denver, CO
- 2013
- Los Angeles Printmaking Society 21st National Exhibition**  
National juried print show  
California State University, Northridge
- 528.0 – Printmaking Denver**  
Regional Juried print show  
RedLine, Denver, CO
- 25 years of...**  
Invitational show with Art Students League of Denver faculty  
RedLine, Denver, CO
- Annual Member Show**  
SPARK Gallery, Denver, CO
- 2012
- Annual Member Show**  
SPARK Gallery, Denver, CO
- SPARK small works show**  
SPARK Gallery, Denver, CO
- 2011
- Annual Member Show**  
SPARK Gallery, Denver, CO
- SPARK on the Road**  
Tointon Gallery, Greeley, CO
- 2010
- Small Works Show**  
SPARK Gallery, Denver, CO
- Locally Grown**  
Regional juried show  
Core New Art Space, Denver, CO
- 2005
- Fish Show**  
Open Press Gallery, Denver, CO
- 2004
- Bird Show**  
Open Press Gallery, Denver, CO

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- 2003            **A Journey Into Medium**  
LUZ Gallery, Denver, CO
- 2001            **Second Annual Front Range Student Art Exhibition**  
Represented the CSU Art Department  
O'Sullivan Arts Center, Regis University, Denver, CO

### Awards/Service

- 2014            PRINTHOUSTON: NEXT 2014  
First place prize
- 2013 - 2014    Month of Printmaking 2014, Denver, CO  
Member of the committee working to bring Month of Printmaking to life in Denver.  
Organize studio visits, perform artist demonstrations, co-conspirator, writer and editor.
- 2013 – 2014    CSArt Colorado 2014 artist, Denver and Boulder, CO  
Juried and commissioned to create 50 works of art for a community supported arts cooperative.
- 2010 – 2013    SPARK Gallery, Denver, CO  
co-operative gallery, full member
- 2002            Penland School of Crafts, Penland, NC  
Work Study Scholarship
- 2001            Colorado State University, Ft. Collins, CO  
Search Committee for a Tenure Track Drawing Professor  
Student Representative
- 2001            Colorado State University, Ft. Collins, CO  
Represented CSU at the Second Annual Front Range Student Art Exhibit. Selected from both Graduate and Undergraduate candidates.

### Teaching Experience

- 2014            University of Denver, Denver, CO  
Solarplate printmaking demo and artist's talk
- 2013            Colorado Artist's Guild, Denver, CO  
Solarplate printmaking demo and artist's talk
- 2003-2004      Colorado Free University, Denver, CO  
Workshops on Bookbinding, Paper Marbling, and Box Making. Created the design for the classes, all handouts and materials.
- 2001            Colorado State University, Ft. Collins, CO  
Teaching Assistant  
Fibers I- Spring and Fall semesters  
Introduction to Drawing- Fall semester

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### Workshops

2013

Frogman's Print Workshop, Vermillion, SD  
Stone Lithography taught by Andrew and Kathryn Polk

RedLine, Denver, CO  
Curator's Workshop 101 taught by Cortney Lane Stell

2010

Anderson Ranch Arts Center, Snowmass Villiage, CO  
Material Drawing taught by Jane Lackey

2009

Open Press, LTD, Denver, CO  
Advanced Solarplate workshop taught by Dan Welden and Mark Lunning

Art Student's League of Denver, Denver, CO  
Encaustic workshop with Patricia Aaron

2004

Open Press, LTD, Denver, CO  
Solarplate workshop taught by Dan Welden and Mark Lunning

2002

Penland School of Crafts, Penland, NC  
Shadows and Light- materiality in fiber taught by Caroline Broadhead

### Assistantships

2003-2008

Open Press, Ltd., Denver, CO  
Studio Assistant  
Helped with screenprint and intaglio editions, general shop maintenance, assist with workshops, provide basic assistance to clients.