

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.

Teaching Experience

- 2022-present Art Students League of Denver, Denver, CO
teen printmaking workshops, adult workshops in printmaking, drawing, and clay
- 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

Group Exhibitions (selected)

- 2025 **delecTABLE** a juried show
Art Students League of Denver, Denver, CO
- 2024 **Zea Mays Printmaking mentee show**
Sanborn Gallery, Northampton, MA
- Faculty Show**
Art Students League of Denver, Denver, CO
- 2023 **Internal Mapping**
Walker Fine Art, Denver, CO
- 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

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Altering Natural Perceptions

Walker Fine Art, Denver, CO

2015

HAIKU- poetry in art

Republic Plaza, Denver, CO

Ice/migration

Walker Fine Art, Denver, CO

2014

PRINTHOUSTON: NEXT 2014

National juried print show - won first prize
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

2013

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

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Locally Grown

Regional juried show
Core New Art Space, Denver, CO

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

Awards/Service

- 2025 - 2026 Month of Printmaking 2026, Denver, CO
Open Portfolio organizer, artist demonstrations, teach workshops
- 2025 - present Art Students League of Denver
Member, Board of Directors - Faculty Representative
- 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

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Colorado State University, Ft. Collins, CO
Represented CSU at the Second Annual Front Range Student Art Exhibit. Selected from both Graduate and Undergraduate candidates.

Collections

Colorado State University, Ft. Collins, CO - University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT - University of Colorado, Boulder, CO, various private and corporate collections.