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### SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

- 2021** **Epiphany Center for the Arts**, *Chicago, IL*, Gargoyles and Escutcheons, (Upcoming)  
**Zhou Brothers Art Center**, *Chicago, IL*, Voices Embodied III, (Upcoming)
- 2018** **Firecat Projects**, *Chicago, IL*, Hidden Agenda, (Two-person show with Margie Criner)  
**Beverly Arts Center**, *Chicago, IL*, 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Art Competition  
**Firecat Projects**, *Chicago, IL*, Winter Fundraiser
- 2017** **Water Street Studios**, *Batavia, IL*, Extravagant Nature, (Two-person show with Mike Noland)  
**Slow**, *Chicago, IL*, Loo Projects: Relief  
**DePaul Art Museum**, *Chicago, IL*, Stranger Things, (Group exhibition of recent purchases and gifts to the DPAM collection.)  
**UNUM**, *Chicago, IL*, Muscle Fiber Sunrise, (Two-person show with Steve Williams)
- 2015** **ArtSpace 1550**, *Chicago, IL*, Wall to Wall
- 2014** **Beverly Arts Center**, *Chicago, IL*, 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Art Competition  
**Brickton Art Center**, *Park Ridge, IL*, Abstraction III  
**Kohler Arts Center**, *Sheboygan, WI*, Ray Yoshida's Museum of Extraordinary Values, (One of my pieces exhibited as part of Ray Yoshida's collection)
- 2013** **Slow**, *Chicago, IL*, Continued Dissent Is No Long Goodbye, (Two-person show with Carron Little)  
**Woman Made Gallery**, *Chicago, IL*, Human Beings II  
**Beverly Arts Center**, *Chicago, IL*, Chatterbox Fiction
- 2012** **Slow**, *Chicago, IL*, Euphemize.
- 2008** **Access Living**, *Chicago, IL*. Group Exhibition.
- 2004** **Kaohsiung Museum of Fine Arts**, *Kaohsiung, Taiwan, ROC, C.A.* Tinquero: The Theater Collection, (With Riverbed Theater)  
**Betty Rymer Gallery, SAIC**, *Chicago, IL*, Faculty Sabbatical Exhibition

- 2001 Chicago Cultural Center, Chicago, IL, Blotted Escutcheons, (One Person Show)**
- 2000 Kulterbahnhof, Bremen, Germany, Duchamp, (Traveling Group Exhibition)**  
**Emmanuel Heller Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel, Duchamp**  
**The Artist's Museum, Lodz, Poland, Duchamp**
- 1995 Evanston Art Center, Evanston, IL. Chicago Abstract Painters**  
**Phyllis Kind Gallery, Chicago, IL. Off the Wall**
- 1993 Phyllis Kind Gallery, Chicago, IL. Divided Space**  
**International Museum of Surgical Science, Chicago, IL. The View From the Bed**  
**Reicher Gallery, Barat College, Lake Forest, IL. Tools & Strategies**
- 1992 Phyllis Kind Gallery, Chicago, IL. Underexposed Talent**  
**Betty Rymer Gallery, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL. From America's Studio: Drawing New Conclusions**
- 1991 Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, IL. New Acquisitions: The MCA Collects.**  
**Gallery 2, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL. Amalgamations**
- 1990 Compass Rose Gallery, Chicago, IL (One Person Show)**  
**Sarah Spurgeon Gallery, Central Washington University. Ellensburg, Washington. 29 Chicago Artists**
- 1989 Milano Internazionale D'Arte Contemporanea, Milan, Italy.**  
**Compass Rose Gallery, Chicago, IL. Summer Hydra**
- 1988 Compass Rose Gallery, Chicago, IL. Fun\*House (One Person Show)**  
**Ricky Renier Gallery, Chicago, IL. Child's Game**
- 1987 Compass Rose Gallery, Chicago, IL. Individuals**  
**Klein Gallery, Chicago, IL. Masks**
- 1986 N.A.M.E. Gallery, Chicago, IL. Magic: Artist as Alchemist.**  
**1840 West Hubbard Gallery, Chicago, IL. The 1840 Show.**
- 1985 Illinois State Museum, Springfield, IL. 37th Illinois Invitational**  
**State of Illinois Building Gallery, Chicago, IL. Collection Artists Select**  
**Memorial Union Gallery, University of California, Davis, CA.**

**Randolph Street Gallery, Chicago, IL. Confluence Without Influence**

### **EDUCATION**

- 1981 School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL. MFA, *Painting & Drawing.***
- 1978 School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL. BFA.**
- 1973 American International College, Springfield, MA. BA, *Liberal Arts.***

### **AWARDS**

- 2020 Chicago Artists Coalition, *SPARK Grant***
- 2018 Beverly Arts Center, *42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Competition: 3D Award***
- 2017 3Arts, *Make a Wave Grant***
- 2014 Beverly Arts Center, *38<sup>th</sup> Annual Competition: 3D Award***
- 2002 Illinois Arts Council, *Individual Artist Grant***
- 1990 City of Chicago Percent for the Arts Program, *Logan Square Public Library***
- 1981 Anna Louise Raymond Fellowship, *School of the Art Institute of Chicago***
- 1978 Honorable Mention, SAIC, BFA Fellowship Exhibition**

### **PUBLIC AND CORPORATE COLLECTIONS**

- Museum of Contemporary Art, *Chicago, IL.***
- DePaul Art Museum, *Chicago, IL.***
- First National Bank of Chicago, *Chicago, IL.***
- Logan Square Branch Public Library, *Chicago, IL.***
- American Medical Association, *Chicago, IL.***
- Access Living, *Chicago, IL.***

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- The Chicago Tribune**, *October 7, 1988, pg. 62. David McCracken, Artists Turn Out Different Kind of Kid Stuff*.
- 37<sup>th</sup> Illinois Invitational: Contemporary Illinois Art**. 1985, Illinois State Museum (exhibition catalog – illus.)
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- 2017** Smoky Mountain Vista – An Interview With Duncan Robert Anderson by David Richards, <http://neotericart.com/2017/11/21/smoky-mountain-vista-interview-duncan-robert-anderson-david-richards/>
- Virtual Whirl – An Interview with George Blaha by David Richards, Neoteric Art <http://neotericart.com/2017/10/04/virtual-whirl-interview-george-blah-david-richards/#more-4645>

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<http://neotericart.com/2017/08/18/cosmic-roulette-interview-dan-gamble-dave-richards/>

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<http://neotericart.com/2017/02/07/playing-bones-interview-elizabeth-riggle-david-richards/>

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*Plocka Galeria, Plock, Poland*