

**Jason Stein**, Charlotte, NC / United States

*Education*

2010 **Master of Fine Art**, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC, USA

2008 **Bachelor of Fine Arts**, Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY, USA

*Professional Positions*

2011-Present **Custom and Bench Jeweler**, Perry's Diamonds and Estate Jewelry, Charlotte, NC, USA

2017-2021 **Professor/Instructor** - Jewelry, Central Piedmont Community College, Charlotte, NC, USA

2010 **Instructor**, Metal Design Survey, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC, USA

2008-2009 **Graduate Assistant**, Metals Studio and Gallery, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC, USA

2007 **Studio Resident Assistant**, Touchstone Center for Crafts, Farmington, PA, USA

*Solo Exhibitions*

2023 **"Untitled"**, Solo Exhibition (Upcoming), Appalachian Center For Craft, Smithville, TN, USA

2011 **Surreal Worlds**, Uptown Art Gallery, Greenville, NC, USA

2010 **Surreal Worlds: Sculptural Forms and the Architecture of the Unconscious**, Wellington B. Gray Gallery, East Carolina University, Greenville, Nc, USA

2009 **Aftermath**, Cabarrus Arts Council, Concord, NC, USA

*Group Exhibitions (Selected)*

2022 **Until Death Do Us Part**, Munich Jewelry Week, Werkstatt-Galerie, Munich, Germany

**Adorned Spaces**, 2022 SNAG Conference, Providence, RI

**Until Death Do Us Part**, Brussels Jewellery Week, Alliages at Syntra Center, Brussels, Belgium

**SMCK On Reel**, Weltraum Gallery, Munich, Germany/Virtual Exhibition

**Fuller Craft Biennial**, Fuller Craft Museum, Brockton, MA

**Metamorphoses**, Bayerischer Kunstgewerbeverein (Bavarian Crafts Council), Munich, Germany

2021 **Until Death Do Us Part**, Alliages Gallery, Lilles, France

**Remote Viewing**, AdornAxis Online Exhibition, USA

**Paper Alchemy**, Radford University Art Museum, Radford, VA, USA

**Painful Hope**, Lalabeyou Gallery, Madrid, Spain

**Drawn to Detail: Metalsmiths of North Carolina**, Blowing Rock Art & History Museum, Blowing Rock, NC, USA

**Metal+Glass Group Exhibition**, Alchemy at C3, Charlotte, NC, USA

**The Flying Circus**, Munich Jewelry Week, ZLR Betriebsimperium/Gallery Welltraum, Munich, Germany

2020 **Guidelines Volume 2**, Baltimore Jewelry Center, Baltimore, MD, USA

**Painful Hope**, Alliages Gallery, Lilles, France

**Fallout: Art In This Time**, Online Exhibition, Grunwald Ballery, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN

**Arte Y Joya**, Contemporary Jewelry Yearbook, Online Exhibition, Barcelona, Spain

**War: Polemos**, Munich Jewelry Week, Gallery Welltraum, Munich, Germany

**Broken Beauty**, Alliages Gallery, Lilles, France

**Brooching The Subject**, Online Exhibition, Balefire Goods, Arvada, CO, USA

**Belt Buckle Expo / 6<sup>th</sup> World Belt Buckle Championship**, Form & Concept Gallery, Santa Fe, NM, USA

2019 **Get It On: The Ultramodern Necklace**, Soil Gallery, Seattle, WA, USA

**5<sup>th</sup> Annual World Belt Buckle Championship**, Bozeman, MT, USA

**Articulating Craft**, The Arts Center Gallery at Nazareth College, Rochester, NY, USA

**Front of the House/Back of the House**, Heidi Lowe Gallery, Rehoboth Beach, DE, USA

**Materials: Hard+Soft**, Greater Denton Arts Council, Denton, TX, USA

2018 **Craft Forms 2018**, Wayne Art Center, Wayne, PA, USA

**Refined**, Stephen F. Austin State University Gallery, Nachadoches, TX, USA

**The Schwa Show**, Emerge Gallery, Greenville, NC, USA

**Bank of the Arts Juried Exhibition**, Craven Arts Council, New Bern, NC, USA

- Past & Present: Alumni and Faculty Show**, Central Piedmont Community College, Charlotte, NC  
**Quadriennial: Buckles from the US & Abroad**, Society For Contemporary Craft, Pittsburgh, PA, USA  
**52<sup>nd</sup> Founders Juried Award Exhibition**, Naples Art Center, Naples, FL, USA  
**Spring Free for All**, Hart Witzen Gallery, Charlotte, NC, USA
- 2017 **Craft Forms 2017**, Wayne Art Center, Wayne, PA, USA  
**The Juried Art Show**, Imperial Arts Center, Rocky Mount, NC, USA  
**I Spy**, Ciel Gallery, Charlotte, NC, USA  
**Handcrafted**, Imperial Arts Center, Rocky Mount, NC, USA  
**Collective Voices: An Alumni Exhibition**, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC, USA  
**Fall Free for All**, Hart Witzen Gallery, Charlotte, NC, USA
- 2016 **(Up)Setting The Stone**, Online Exhibition, Society of North American Goldsmiths, USA  
**DADA Soirre: An Absurd Art Show**, C3 Lab, Charlotte, NC, USA  
**State of Matter: Juried Small Iron Works**, STEAMworks, Scranton, PA, USA
- 2015 **Alumni Exhibition**, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC, USA  
**Carolinas Got Art June Salon Exhibition**, Elder Gallery, Charlotte, NC, USA
- 2014 **Mint Hill Fine Arts Center Exhibition – July**, The Gallery at Mint Hill Arts, Mint Hill, NC, USA
- 2013 **Spring Into Art**, Charlotte Art League, Charlotte, NC, USA  
**Carolinas Got Art Juried/July Salon Exhibition**, Elder Gallery, Charlotte, NC, USA
- 2011 **La Noche Del Brooch**, Equinox Gallery, San Antonio, TX, USA  
**The Power of Innovation**, Charlotte Art League, Charlotte, NC, USA  
**Shifting Traditions Exhibition**, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC, USA
- 2010 **Metals Alumni Exhibition**, Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY, USA  
**Research Works By**, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC, USA  
**Adroit**, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC, USA  
**Material Topics Student Show**, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC, USA
- 2009 **2<sup>nd</sup> Joyner Library Graduate Student Exhibition**, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC, USA  
**4<sup>th</sup> Annual Intercollegiate Metals Exhibition**, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, USA  
**Indeterminate Causalities**, Jenner Art Gallery, Jennerstown, PA, USA
- 2008 **1<sup>st</sup> Joyner Library Graduate Student Exhibition**, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC, USA  
**Westmoreland Art Nationals**, Latrobe, PA, USA  
**Senior Exhibition**, Visual Studies Workshop Gallery, Rochester, NY, USA  
**Overflow Exhibition**, Society of North American Goldsmiths Conference, Savannah, GA, USA  
**Close to the Skin**, Armory Art Center, West Palm Beach, FL, USA
- 2007 **Studio Resident Assistant Exhibition**, Touchstone Center for Crafts, Farmington, PA, USA  
**Student Honors Exhibition**, Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY, USA  
**Surreal Landscapes**, Gallery R, Rochester, NY, USA
- 2006 **Student Honors Exhibition**, Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY, USA

#### *Grants, Awards, and Residencies*

- 2022 **Pocosin Summer Residency**, Metals Studio, Pocosin Arts, Columbia, NC, USA  
2021 **Maxwell/Hanrahan Guest Artist Residency**, Peters Valley School of Craft, Layton, NJ, USA  
2020 **Penland Winter Residency: Metals Session II**, Penland School For Crafts, Penland, NC, USA  
**Art With Heart – First Place Award**, Juried by Sonya Pfeifer, Elder Gallery, Charlotte, NC, USA
- 2017 **Regional Artist Project Grant Recipient**, Arts and Science Council, Charlotte, NC, USA
- 2016 **4<sup>th</sup> Annual World Belt Buckle Championship – Honorable Mention**, Bozeman, MT, USA
- 2012 **Spring Into Art - 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Award**, Charlotte Art League, Charlotte, NC, USA
- 2010 **Westmoreland Art Nationals – Best in Show Award**, Latrobe, PA, USA
- 2008 **Raw Talent III - 1<sup>st</sup> Place and Honorable Mention**, Cabbarus Arts Council, Concord, NC, USA

#### *Publications*

- 2022 **Escape Artists**, Metalsmith Magazine Issue, Society of North American Goldsmiths, USA  
2021 **Shape Of Nature**, Exhibition Catalog, DBX International Designer Space, Beijing, China

**“Three Rivets”**, Article/Non-fiction writing, SMCK Magazine Issue #3 and Klimt.02 Online  
2018 **2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Jewelry and Metals Survey**, Society of North American Goldsmiths Publication, USA

*Artist Talks*

2018 **Charlotte Mini Maker-Fair Public Demonstration/Presenter**, Discovery Place, Charlotte, NC, USA  
**Past & Present: Alumni/Faculty Exhibition Lecture**, Central Piedmont Community College,  
Charlotte, NC, USA

2017 **Charlotte Mini Maker-Fair Public Demonstration/Presenter**, Discovery Place, Charlotte, NC, USA  
**Chasing & Repousse 2-Day Workshop**, Jewelry+Metals Art Collective, Charlotte, NC, USA

2007 **Visiting Artist Demonstration and Lecture**, Penn State School of Visual Arts, State College, PA, USA

*Collaborative Projects*

2018 **Studio Consultant/Assistant to Lee Baumgarten**, Hugh McManaway Sculpture Restoration,  
Charlotte, NC, USA

2016 **Firefest Iron Pour**, STARworks, Star, NC, USA

2010 **Stone/Color: International Land Art Sculpture Symposium**, Pedvale Sculpture Park, Latvia  
**International Iron-Casting Symposium**, The Baltic Center, Kellokoski, Finland

2009 **National Conference for Cast Iron Art**, Sloss Furnaces, Birmingham, AL, USA

*Professional Development*

2017 **Diamonds and Diamond Grading**, Gemological Institute of America, Distance Education

2012 **Stone-Setting Comprehensive**, New Approach School for Jewelers, Franklin, TN, USA

*Memberships*

2020-Present **Klimt\_02**, Member

2015-Present **Society of North American Goldsmiths**, Member