

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 **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 Jewellery 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 / 6th World Belt Buckle Championship, Form & Concept Gallery, Santa Fe, NM, USA

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

5th 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

52nd 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 **2nd Joyner Library Graduate Student Exhibition**, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC, USA
4th Annual Intercollegiate Metals Exhibition, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, USA
Indeterminate Causalities, Jenner Art Gallery, Jennerstown, PA, USA
- 2008 **1st 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

- 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 **4th Annual World Belt Buckle Championship – Honorable Mention**, Bozeman, MT, USA
- 2012 **Spring Into Art - 2nd Place Award**, Charlotte Art League, Charlotte, NC, USA
- 2010 **Westmoreland Art Nationals – Best in Show Award**, Latrobe, PA, USA
- 2008 **Raw Talent III - 1st 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 **2nd 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