

## RESUME

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## EDUCATION:

Virginia Commonwealth University - Bachelor of Fine Art in Sculpture 1993

## SOLO SHOWS:

Glave Kocen Gallery "*Helium Ghost*" - Richmond, Virginia - September 2016  
Virginia MOCA "*Habitat*" Virginia Beach, Virginia - April 2016  
Glave Kocen Gallery "*Playfield*" - Richmond, Virginia - November 2014  
Quirk Gallery "*Very Sleepy River*" 2014 "*Woodland Skin Tales*" - Vault Show, December, 2012, 2013- Richmond, Virginia  
Gail Peirson Gallery "*New Work*" 2013 / "*Birds and Beecycles*" 2012 / New Work 2011 / "*New Work*" 2010 / "*Floating Room*" 2009 Cape May, New Jersey  
The Flippo Gallery @ Randolph- Macon "*Hive*" - Ashland, Virginia - 2012  
Rocketts Landing "*Beecycles*" 2012 / "*Work*" 2010 Richmond, Virginia  
Adam Cave Fine Art Gallery "*Small Things*" / "*Recent Work*" 2009 Raleigh, North Carolina - 2012  
Gallery X - "*Cul de Sac*" - Richmond, Virginia - 2011  
Rennolds Art Gallery - St. Catherine's - "*Accidental Necessities*" - Richmond, Virginia - 2011  
J Fergeson Gallery - Farmville, Virginia - "*Ignoring the Roar of Doom*" - 2010  
PVCC - Charlottesville, Virginia - "*Odebla*" - 2010  
CMOR - Richmond, Virginia - Show in conjunction with Studio 101 Visiting Artist Workshop - 2010  
Adam Cave Gallery - Raleigh, North Carolina - "*Home*" - 2009  
Red Door Gallery - Richmond, Virginia - "*Home*" - 2009  
The Hunt Gallery @ Mary Baldwin College, Staunton, Virginia - "*Live Smoke*" - 2007  
Avery and Powers - "*New Work*" 2006 / 2007 Avalon, New Jersey  
Art 6 - Richmond, Virginia - "*Dead/Alive*" - 2006  
Project Space - Plant Zero, Richmond, Virginia - "*Smoke*" - 2006  
Peabody Gallery - San Francisco, California - "*New Works*" - 2005, 2006  
Main Art Gallery - Richmond, Virginia - "*The Wind Chill Factory*" - 2006  
Artspace Gallery - Richmond, Virginia - "*Fable of the Transatlantic Tube Train*" Installation - 2004 / "*Super-Mom*" - 2002  
Bennett Gallery - Nashville, Tennessee - "*Paintings*" - 2002  
Liss Gallery - Toronto Canada - "*Works*" - 2001  
Resource Forum - Atlanta, Georgia - "*New Paintings and Drawings*" - 1999  
Rosenbaum Contemporary - "*Matt Lively*" - Boca Raton, Florida - 1998  
Nations Bank Plaza - Atlanta, Georgia - "*Money Rabbits*" - 1997  
Bennett Gallery - Nashville, Tennessee - "*New Works*" - 1997  
Smith Gallery - Atlanta, Georgia - "*New Paintings*" - 1996  
Ariel Gallery at TULA - Atlanta, Georgia - "*Moves*" - 1995

## GROUP SHOWS:

Virginia Museum of Fine Arts / Installation Mural / *ARTcycle* August 2015 - June 2016 / *Go Bike 2015* - 3 year installation starting September 2015  
1708 Gallery - Cabin Fever 2015 annual auction 2015/ Monster Drawing Rally 2014 / Inlight Richmond 2012 /2014 / 2015 / 2016 / *Exquisite Corpse* 2014 / InLight "Place-ables" Lantern Installation / Save Planet Art - Art Auction / Inlight 2015 installation at the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts  
International Invitational 2005 / "Small Wonder" - 2010 / "Lucky 21" / 2011"Home is Where the Art is" Annual Auction - 2010/ "Mixology" -  
Glave Kocen Gallery "*Cycles*" Honoring the Richmond 2015 UCI Road World Championships. Featuring work by Matt Lively and Benjamin Frey 2015 / "*Cahute*" - 5 person show 2016  
Unos Gallery / 2015  
Visual Arts Center of Richmond *Joie de Vivre* / silent auction 2015 / Collectors Night Auction 2016  
*Size Doesn't Matter* Glave Kocen Gallery - 2015  
Aqua 12 Art Basel - Miami, Florida - 2013-2014  
2013/2010 InLight - International Juried Exhibition "NASA Wagon"- Richmond, Virginia - 2010 / - Globe for the 30th anniversary of the 1708 Gallery / Small Wonder - 2009 / Annual Art Auction - April, "Holiday in a Box" - 2008

Artspace Gallery - *Art Roulette* 2014 / "NFS" - 3 person show - Richmond, Virginia - 2014 / "Radius250 2011" Award of Excellence - (Juror Leigh Anne Chambers) - 2011, 2017 Think Small International Invitational Miniature Show - 2003, 2005, 2007, 2009 / 1st annual Auction 2016  
 Richmond Street Art Festival contributing artist - "Beecycles" mural and Hands On Richmond Collaboration with the Color Run - 2013, RVA Street Art Festival contributing artist 2016  
 VMFA Faculty Show - 2008,2009,2010,2013, 2014, 2015 - Richmond, Virginia  
 Main Art Gallery - Small Works Show Richmond, Virginia - 2011  
 Metro Space Gallery - "Draw the Line" (curator) Richmond, Virginia - 2011  
 Gallery 5 - "Skull Appreciation Day" Invitational, Richmond, Virginia - 2011  
 PVCC - "Let There Be Light" Invitational, Charlottesville, Virginia - 2011  
 Gallery5 - Richmond, Virginia "Dia De Los Muertos" Screening of "Death" a short film - (Producer) - 2010  
 Sax Fifth Avenue Art Auction to benefit Massey Cancer - Richmond, Virginia -  
 Adam Cave Gallery - Raleigh, North Carolina - 2010  
 Art Papers 11th Annual Art Auction - Mason Murer Fine Art. Atlanta, GA - 2010  
 Lewis Ginter Botanical Gardens Richmond, Virginia - Auction - 2010  
 Ghostprint Gallery - Richmond, Virginia - "Whodunnit?" - 2009  
 1212 Gallery - Richmond, Virginia - 2008  
 Quirk - Richmond, Virginia - "Whodunnit?" - 2008  
 PVCC - Charlottesville, Virginia - "The Other Show" - 2008  
 The Flippo Gallery @ Randolph- Macon, Ashland, Virginia - "The Animal Exhibition" - 2008  
 D'Art Center - Norfolk, Virginia - "Howling at the Moon" - 2008  
 Gallery at Flashpoint - Washington, DC - "Anonymous III" - 2007  
 Red Door - Richmond, Virginia - "Times and Places" - 3 person show - 2007  
 Project Space - Plant Zero, Richmond, Virginia - Pine Camp Auction - 2006  
 Alcove Gallery - Atlanta, Georgia - 2006 3 person show - 2007  
 Eggspace - Richmond, Virginia - 2 person show - 2006  
 Schoharie County Arts Council - Cobleskill, New York - National Juried Small Works Exhibition Award winner - 2003  
 Hunter Museum of American Art - Chattanooga, Tennessee - National Juried Exhibition - 2001  
 A.A.W.S - Winston-Salem, North Carolina - "Dimensions 2001" National Juried Show - 2001  
 Warehouse Living Arts Center - Corsicana, Texas - 18th Annual National Juried Exhibition - 2001  
 Page Bond Gallery - Richmond, Virginia - 2001  
 Eyedrum - Atlanta, Georgia - Juried Show - 2000  
 Smith Gallery - Atlanta, Georgia - Spotlight on Southern Artists - 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999  
 Lansdell Galleries - Atlanta, Georgia - "Young Masters" - 1997  
 Key Gallery - Richmond, Virginia - Juried Shows 1992, 1993  
 Anderson Gallery - Richmond, Virginia - V.C.U. Juried Fine Arts Exhibition 1992, 1993

## **INTERVIEWS:**

WRIR 97.3 interview about significance of murals in Richmond / July 2016  
 ABC News Richmond - interview for Positively Richmond about a collaborative mural with DFHS students  
 ABC News Richmond - interview about art in the Main Street Village for the UCI World Championships  
 Murals in Richmond / talk at the Pine Camp Cultural Arts Center / 2015  
 Zero Hour / radio interview / WRIR 2014, 2012  
[Artist's Blok Magazine](#) interview 2013  
 Lite98 / The Wake Up Show / Interview about "Squiggle This" Collaborative blog / July 12th 2013  
 CBS 6 / Virginia This Morning / Interview for "Very Sleepy River" show at Quirk Gallery / June 14th 2013 // Interview about the Ukrops Monument Avenue 10K original art / January 27, 2010 / Interview for InLight Richmond / September 3, 2009  
[Virginia Living](#) / Interview - Matt Lively is "Ignoring the Roar of Doom" Jarrod Ferguson / December 2010  
 NBC 12 / Interview - "Children's Minute" Children's Museum of Richmond / September 2010  
 Talk 20 gallery talk at 1708 Gallery / September 2009  
[RVA Magazine](#) / Interview / "Matt Lively Goes Home and Talks About Armageddon" April 2009 / Matt Lively's Interview with Ed Trask / April 2008  
[Urge Magazine](#) / Q&A / Matt Lively Happy-go-Lucky Little Critters / Winter 2008 Issue #4  
 VCUarts documentary - alumni interviews / 2008  
 NPR interview / The State of Things Frank Stasio host/ WUNC radio live on April 22, 2008  
[Style Weekly](#) / (cover story) / June 2006 "A Man Apart"  
[Richmond Times Dispatch](#) / November 19, 2006 "Lively Displays" Dead/Alive and Smoke  
[Single-eYe-twilighT](#) / October 2004/ Interview and Review of "The Fable of the Transatlantic Tube Train" installation

Punchline/ October 2002/ "Super-Mom: A Lively Story"

**PUBLICATIONS / REVIEWS:**

Richmond Times Dispatch - Business / Mural celebrating 40th anniversary of Regency mall  
Amazon purchase award 2015  
Artists Coloring Book Vol.2 / artist and Coordinator 2015  
Whurk Magazine - cover Issue 26  
VCU *Make it Real* TV and print spots  
Richmond Magazine - December 2012 15th annual Theresa Pollak Award for Excellence in the Arts (Fine Art/Visual Arts)  
Permanent mural for the Richmond Folk Festival 2012 - reoccurring  
Poster for the 2011 Richmond Folk Festival and accompanying shirt design  
Squiggle This. Blog that posts weekday drawings from squiggles made by random people ( Squigglethis.com )  
Artists Who Teach online publication featured artist (www.artistswhoteach.org)  
Studio Visit edition 14 Juried publication  
Squiggles Grandma's Big Breakfast and 99 Other Drawings by Squiggle Champion of the World Matt Lively  
Book to benefit Art 180 Contributor to Unstuck: 52 Ways To Get (and Keep) Your Creativity Flowing by Noah Scalin  
Ukrops Monument Avenue 10k official poster artist  
The Virginia Independent Film Festival / "Death" / Finalist / February 28, 2010  
The Hook / Lively Envisions the Future / February 9, 2010 / Laura Parsons  
The Collegian / InLight festival Illuminates downtown / September 26, 2009 / Cate Harkin  
Myartspace.com / Featured Artist for the month of August / 2008  
C-Ville / Charlottesville News and Arts / "And now for something completely different.. "  
Brendan Fitzgerald / Issue# 20.22  
WVCV / Cinemaphiles: "Death" / Producer and co-creator of 30 minute film / May 19, 2008  
Arts Journal / Review of "Recent Work" / Dave Delcambre / May 2008  
The Virginia Pilot / March 2008 / review of Howling at the Moon group show  
The Mechanicsville Local / 2008 / The Animal Exhibition  
Turnrow / Featured artist and cover artist 2007  
Art in Richmond : A Guide to Galleries / cover artist 2007  
Richmond Magazine / September 2006 / " Hot Tickets: 25 Can't Miss Events for the Upcoming Year" /  
#13 Matthew Lively's exhibition at Plant Zero /July  
Poster for Richmond Magazine "Lively Monument" 2008  
Style Weekly / 2007 / "Art-Tee Ideas" Ink Tank publishing / June 2007 / Red Door group show "Times and Places"/  
2008 - Richmond poster "Monument" 2008 / Red Door Solo Show - Arts and Entertainment / April 2009 /  
February 2008 "Mid Season Art Review" / June 2009 Beecycle  
Richmond Times Dispatch / December 19, 2004 "The Art of the Co-op"/ April 23, 2009 "Lively Show at Red Door  
Gallery" / April 20, 2010 Article about help with art project at Swift Creek Elementary  
POLO magazine 2005 cover artist / Poster for the Sarasota Polo Championship  
Art World News / Jan. 2004 "Lively Starts Publishing Company" / Sept. 2002 / Oct. 2000 " Liss Gallery.."  
Illustrator: "Stuff Guys Need to Know: How to Do Just About Everything" Kensington Press,2001  
Art Business News / Sept. 2002 / " Matt Lively Named Expo Official Artist" / Poster for Decor Art Expo  
US ART / February 2000 / "Top 50 prints of 1999" (#6)  
Boca Life / May 1999 / Arts and Entertainment  
Creative Loafing June 1996 / "Young Masters" / October 1999 / "Best of Atlanta 1999 - Best Artist / March 1995 /  
"Lively Moves"  
Trawick Prize finalist 2003, semi-finalist 2008  
New American Paintings / Vol. 22 1999 / Vol. 33 2001

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

Self-employed artist 1993 - present  
1708 Gallery Board President 2013, Exhibitions co-chair, Facilities Chair, Search Committee 2010,  
Resident Artist Tin Shop, Breckenridge, Colorado 2017  
Dominion Riverrock RVA Plein Air Paint Off coordinator, co-organizer and participating artist 2017  
Mural at headquarters of Dominion Energy 2017  
Ink Tank founder and director 2007 - present  
Art Director and co-founder Belly of the Whale film production company  
Interbake- Team building collaborative art installation at company's annual meeting. Organized the activity and  
installed the final piece in Richmond headquarters 2016  
Children's Hospital of Richmond - 12 x 36 foot commissioned painting for the main lobby of the new facility opening

March 2016

Virginia Museum of Fine Arts - Mural for a 10 month exhibit "Beecycles" 2015-2016

Outdoor collaborative mural with Hamilton Glass and volunteers organized by Hands On Greater Richmond. The temporary and portable mural was in place for the UCI World Championships

Children's Museum of Richmond permanent outdoor mural "Virginia : Tidewater, Piedmont, Mountains " - 2012/"Farm to Table" -2013 /Beecycles Mural 2014

2012 Richmond Folk Festival permanent entrance mural - 2012 - reoccurring

Yapple Yogurt interior mural series - Westfield, NJ, Carytown, Richmond, VA, West End, Richmond, VA, Harrisonburg, VA

Contemporary Art Center of Virginia 2011 Boardwalk Art Show (Juror)

Served as Critique Leader for 2 terms (20 months) for private group of individual artists

Performed as "Squiggle Champion of the World" for Inline Consulting, Capital One, Art 180, CMOR, and Richmond Folk Festival 2012, 2013

VMFA Portfolio Review Day reviewer - February 2011

Quirk Gallery Filmtastic! Collaboration with 10 local kids to make a film ("Time Feet") in 2 weeks - July 2010

CMOR Studio 101 Visiting Artist Workshop - January 2010

Producer and co-creator of "Death" (30 minute film), Producer and creator of "The Wind Chill Factory" (10 minute film)

Virginia Independent Film Festival / "Death" / Byrd Theatre, Richmond, VA / February 2010

Served as Exhibition Installer for 1708 Gallery, Art6, Artspace, Ghostprint and many individual artists

Served as Juror for All Media show at Artworks 2008, 2009, 2011 / Juror for FCCA 2010 / National Exhibition juror 2012

Beecycle, llc. founder and art director 2006 - present

Lively Art publishing company co-owner 2004 - 2005

Exhibition Committee Art6 Gallery 2004 - 2005

Chair of Exhibitions at Artspace Gallery in Richmond 2002 - 2003

#### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

- Visual Arts Center of Richmond - Drawing Fundamentals, Intermediate Drawing 2015

-Virginia Commonwealth University adjunct faculty 2004 - 2014

Foundation Studio, 2-D Design Methods, Surface Research, Space Research, Painting -

University of Richmond adjunct faculty (beginning October 2010) Observational Painting, Speaker at the Joan Oates Institute for Partners in the Arts 2013

-VMFA Studio School Instructor 2008 - present Accidental Abstraction, Intro to Painting, Painting Studio, Figure Drawing and Painting, Intermediate Drawing,

- VCU Summer Discovery 2009 / Inventive Mold Making and Charcoal to Painting / Summer Intensive 2012-2015 Painting

-Virginia Commonwealth University T.A. and substitute Sculpture instructor 2003

-Henrico and Chesterfield County Public Schools guest speaker and workshops 1993 - 2015

-Richmond City Public Schools guest speaker and workshops 2003 - 2014

-University of Richmond Governors School guest speaker and workshops 2001, 2011