

Rob McKirdie

Curriculum Vitae

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Born 1980, Chicago, Illinois
Lives and Works in Spokane Washington

Education

Rhode Island School of Design (2012- 2014)

Master of Fine Arts in Sculpture

Portland State University (2007- 2011)

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Arts Practices, *cum laude*
Bachelor of Science in Sculpture, *cum laude*

University of Utah (2004-2006)

Salt Lake Community College (2003-2006)

Associate Degree General Studies

Teaching Experience

Spokane Falls Community College (September 2015 to Present)

Tenured Sculpture Instructor

Marywood University (Aug 2014- June 2015)

Visiting Artist / Adjunct Professor

Solo Shows

2024 “Mechanical Gestures ” Central Washington University, Ellensburg, WA

2022 “Featuring Rob McKirdie ” Marmot Gallery, Spokane, WA

2019 “Mechanical Gestures ” Vino!, Spokane, WA

2019 “Featuring Rob McKirdie ” Marmot Gallery, Spokane, WA

2019 “Embedded Consciousness” Eastern Washington University, Cheney, WA

2018 “Eminent Decay” Tacoma Spaceworks, Tacoma, WA

2017 “Eminent Decadence” Columbia Basin College, Pasco , WA

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2023 “New Acquisitions” Memorial Union Gallery, University of North Dakota ,Grand Forks, ND
- 2023 “Drawn to the Wall” Jundt Art Museum, Spokane, WA
- 2023 “Terrain 14” Terrain, Spokane, WA
- 2023 “Poetics of Space”, Spokane Falls Community College, Spokane, WA
- 2022 “Terrain 13” Terrain, Spokane, WA
- 2022 “Orbiting Misfits” New Moon Gallery, Spokane, WA
- 2022 “Over the Line: A Regional Faculty Art Exhibition” Lewis and Clark State College, Lewiston, ID
- 2022 “Object/Artifact” Spokane Art School, Spokane, WA
- 2022 “10x10x10” Mighty Teiton, Teiton, WA. Curated By Bruce Guenther
- 2021 “Regional Faculty Exhibition” Gonzaga Urban Arts Center, Spokane, WA
- 2020 “2020 Online Art Auction” North Dakota Museum of Art, Grand Forks, ND
- 2020 “Paper Mill” Gallery 110, Seattle, WA
- 2020 “Art in Isolation” North Dakota Museum of Art, Grand Forks, ND
- 2020 “7th Annual Abstract Sanctuary” Verum Ultimum Art, Portland, OR
- 2020 “Faculty Free for All” Gonzaga Urban Arts Center, Spokane, WA
- 2020 “10th Annual Juried Show” Gallery110, Seattle , WA
- 2019 “Not Black Friday” Terrain Gallery, Spokane, WA
- 2019 “10x10x10” Mighty Teiton, Teiton, WA. Curated By Beth Sellars and Christina Orr-Cahall.
- 2019 “Descendant Constructs ” Lewis and Clark State College, Lewiston, ID
- 2019 “Side by Side ” Spokane Falls Community College, Spokane, WA
- 2019 “Rethinking Downtown” Lewis and Clark State College, Lewiston, ID
- 2018 “The All Media Juried Exhibition 2018” Chase, Spokane, WA
- 2018 “Meta Maquette” Trackside Gallery, Spokane, WA
- 2018 “Ten Years of Terrain” Terrain Gallery, Spokane, WA
- 2018 “Out of Print” Saranac Art Project, Spokane, WA
- 2018 “Regional art & design faculty exhibit ” Lewis and Clark State College, Lewiston, ID
- 2018 “Move Me” Saranac Art Project, Spokane, WA
- 2017 “Reclaim Revolution” Lewis and Clark State College, Lewiston, ID

2017 “10x10x10” Mighty Teiton, Teiton, WA. Curated by Lloyd Herman.

2017 “Neoteric Abstract V” Limner Gallery, Hudson, NY

2017 “7th Annual Juried Show” Gallery110, Seattle , WA

2017 “Spread” Saranac Art Project, Spokane WA

2017 “Horse/Crow” Little Dog Gallery, Spokane, WA

2017 “4th Annual Abstract Sanctuary” Verum Ultimatum Art, Portland, OR

2016 “Forget Them” Brooklyn Metal Works, Brooklyn , NY

2016 “Box Show” Art Escape, Sonoma , CA

2016 “Eminent Collapse” SFCC Fine Arts Gallery, Spokane, WA

2016 “Neoteric Abstract IV” Limner Gallery, Hudson, NY

2016 “Terrain 8” Terrain, Spokane, WA

2016 “EcoCreations Seven ” Arts Longmont , Longmont CO

2016 “Alter + Combine ” Kresge Art Center, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI

2015 “Small Works Show” Saranac Gallery, Spokane WA

2015 “Fresh” Saranac Gallery, Spokane WA

2015 “Northeastern Biennial” Art Works Gallery, Scranton PA

Selected Awards

2022 Grants for Artists’ Progress Grant (GAP), Artist Trust, Washington

Selected Press

2024 The Daily Record, Ellensburg, Washington

Residencies

2013 “Relevant Artist Residency” Kimball Art Center, Park City Utah

Selected Collections

2022 University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, North Dakota

2019 Beautiful Downtown Lewiston, Lewiston, Idaho

2014 Ava Apartments, Avalon Bay, Prudential Center, Boston Mass.

2014 Roger Williams Zoo, Providence Rhode Island, Permanent Collection