

Brian Wells
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EDUCATION

1982-1984 MFA University of Kentucky at Lexington
1979-1982 BFA Miami University at Oxford, Ohio

SELECTED
EXHIBITIONS

2018 Solo Exhibition Kimball Arts Center, Chicago, IL
2018 Brian Wells New Paintings-Rainbo Club, Chicago, IL
2018 VACA Members Show-Beverly Arts Center, Chicago, IL
2018 Just the Fax-Illinois State Museum, Lockport, IL
2017 15th Annual Cardboard Show-Birdhouse Museum, Chicago, IL
2008 Annual Cardboard Show-Birdhouse Museum, Chicago, IL
2006 Annual Cardboard Show-Birdhouse Museum, Chicago, IL
2001 Joymore Gallery-Chicago, IL
2000 Carburetor City-Chicago, IL
1995 Three Rivers Arts Festival-Pittsburgh, PA
1993 World Tattoo Gallery-Chicago, IL
1991 Thirtieth Anniversary Exhibition
Triangle Gallery-San Francisco, CA
1990 All California Juried Exhibition
Christopher Brown, Juror
1990 Annual Emeryville Celebration of the Arts
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1984 Center College-Danville, KY
1984 Center for Contemporary Art-Lexington, KY
1983 Barnhart Gallery-Lexington, KY
1983 Works on Paper National Exhibition
Virginia Intermont College-Bristol, VA
1982 DeKalb National Invitational Prints & Drawings
Northern Illinois University-DeKalb, IL

EXPERIENCE

Taught beginning level drawing and assisted
intermediate and advanced drawing classes
University of Kentucky at Lexington

AWARDS

Award Winner-All California Juried Exhibition
San Diego Museum of Art 1990

COLLECTIONS

Cary and Barbara Chubin-Chicago, IL
Estate of Thom DeVita-Newburgh, NY
Michael Eisenmenger-New York, NY
Frank Frey-Middletown, OH
Aubrey Greenberg-Chicago, IL
Georgia Greenberg-Chicago, IL
Don Ed Hardy-San Francisco, CA/Honolulu, HI
Doug Hardy-San Francisco, CA
Darby Harper and Jimmy Garbe-Riverside, IL
Scott Harrison-Portland, OR
John Himmelfarb-Chicago, IL
Estate of Michael Malone-Honolulu, HI
Rebecca Norman and Jack Ginay-Chicago, IL
Terry Nishimura-Oakland, CA
Dmitry Samarov-Chicago, IL
Dee Taira-Chicago, IL
Paul Vega-Chicago, IL
Karen Wobken and Rick Marshall-Bloomington, MN

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<http://voyagechicago.com/interview/art-life-brian-wells/>
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