Alumni + Friends

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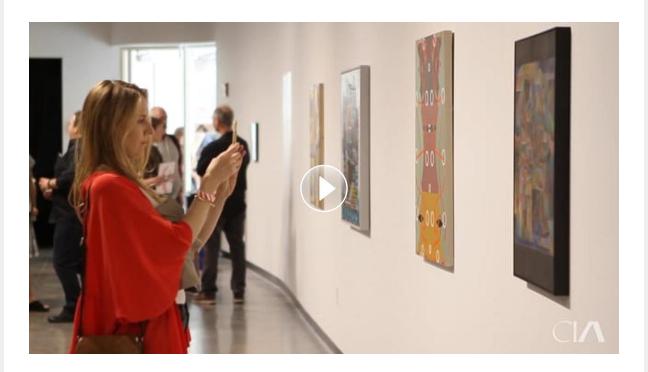








FRONT International



The Cleveland Institute of Art is proud to be a presenting partner for FRONT International: Cleveland Triennial for Contemporary Art, a summer-long exhibition of contemporary art from around the world taking place now through September 30, 2018. CIA is excited to host the Great Lakes Research exhibition, one of the many events that comprise FRONT International. Great Lakes Research is on view through October 7.

Also in Cleveland: Have you stopped by CAN Triennial yet? It's full of contemporary art from Northeast Ohio, featuring new discoveries, rising stars, and some of the region's most accomplished artists. The exhibition fills three floors of 78th Street Studios (1305 W. 80th Street, Cleveland) and is on view through July 29. The closing party is Friday, July 27.

Zisla legacy shines on through website

In the past, it was a brochure. Now, every artist needs a website. To create one for Harold Zisla '50, his daughter, Beverly Zisla Welber, wanted the outcome to reveal her father's personality as well as his art. "Although every artist is unique, yielding a website with content that no one else's has, I was looking for a way to capture what made him so unusual," she said.



"Me and My Zisla" became the means to do so.

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Cleveland: A Cultural Center at Wolfs Gallery

Center, an exhibition at Wolfs Gallery on view through August 31. The exhibition includes work by many CIA artists, including Julian Stanczak, Ed Mieczkowski, Joseph O'Sickey, Clara Driscoll, and Frank Wilcox. And save the date for a panel discussion on July 19, from 6 to 8pm.

Stand Up Together on July 21 in Lakewood

CIA alum Jessica Adanich '09 is on the board of the Ohio Suicide Prevention Foundation (OSPF), located in Columbus. OSPF, in partnership with the ADAHMS Board of Cuyahoga County and Comedy Connected, is hosting an event at the Lakewood Civic Auditorium on July 21, 2018. Stand Up Together: An Evening of Comedy Honoring Nick Ramsey will feature stand-up comedians, and the ticket sales benefit suicide prevention in Ohio.

Alumni News and Highlights

Julian '54* and Barbara '90 Stanczak have an exhibition at the Harris-Stanton Gallery called *Transcendence: Silkscreens by Julian Stanczak and Stone Carvings by Barbara Stanczak*. They also have a show at Bonfoey Gallery through July 28, and a mural of Julian's is being replicated downtown as part of the FRONT Triennial.

Thomas Roese '71 had his work included in the permanent collection of the new University Hospitals facility in North Ridgeville (see image below).

Kim Zarney '71 has his painting "Mallards" included in *The 61st Chautauqua Annual Exhibition of Contemporary Art*, one of the oldest continuously running juried shows in the country. This year, 27 pieces were accepted out of almost 400 submissions.

Debrah Butler '74, Pam Pastoric '77, Dennis Long '78, Alan Mintz '80, Joe Stavec '80, David Verba '80, Tina Elkins '82, George Kozmon '82, Judy Takács '86, Judith Brandon '87, Greg Martin '89, Todd Hoak '91, Laura D'Allesandro '93, and Kimberly Chapman '17 had work accepted into the juried Ninth Annual May Show at Lakeland. Judith Brandon and Judy Takács both won a jurors award.

Babs Reingold '78 had work in the group exhibition *Water Over the Bridge: Contemporary* **Seascapes** at the Morean Art Center in St. Petersburg, Florida.

Julie Tesser '81 had a new piece in Atlantic Gallery's recent show, *Connections III; Artists*Selecting Artists.

Susan Squires '83 has an exhibition titled *Small Works over the Years: A Retrospective*, at the Shaker Historical Society's Lissauer Gallery through August 31. The Shaker Historical Society is located at 16740 South Park Blvd, Shaker Heights.

Sophie Cayless '89 illustrated the children's picture book *Skuggs: The Patriot Squirrel who Helped Save America*, for Independence National Historical Park.

Dawn Tekler '94 is participating in Watch it Wednesdays on August 1 at 78th Street Studios. Watch a video about it here.

Susan Danko '98 has work in three upcoming exhibitions. She has a cut and painted paper installation in *CAN Triennial* at site B - ramp level location; a cut and painted paper installation in *Unknown Terrain*, a group installation exhibition at the Morgan Art of Papermaking Conservatory and Education Foundation in Cleveland; and work in *Contemporary Nature, Landscapes by Susan Danko Solo Exhibition* at **The Nature Center at Shaker Lakes**.

Leigh Bongiorno '01 has been **selected** as one of 25 fine artists to help transform the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority (RTA) into a rolling art museum for contemporary art. LAND studio in partnership with the City of Cleveland, the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority (RTA), NOACA, Anisfield-Wolf and the Cleveland Foundation are transforming the rapid transit line through a series of large-scale, artist-designed murals, installations, and experiences.

Lauralee Hutson '01 is pleased to announce that "Dancing til Dawn" was accepted in the *Northeastern Enamelist Guild 2018* exhibition at the Krikorian Gallery in Worster, Massachusetts this fall.

Mark Reigelman '06 designed a playground in Domino Park in NYC. The Domino Park Playground, also known as Sweetwater, references the Domino Sugar Factory in its design. Read an article about the playground **here**.

Brian Peterson '09 was featured in the Huffington Post for Faces of Santa Ana, a non-profit organization he co-founded in which he paints portraits of homeless people in Santa Ana.

Read the article here.

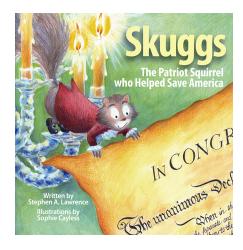
Rachel Yurkovich '14 was invited to show her film *Black Grass* in the exhibit *Ecosystems* in Berlin, Germany November 1-24. *Black Grass* will also be shown during Berlin Science Week.

Job Opportunities and Call for Artists

- The Yale University School of Art invites applications for an open-ranked tenured or tenure-track faculty appointment in the area of Painting and Printmaking to begin July 1, 2019. Candidates must hold an MFA or equivalent degree. Read more and apply here.
- The Cleveland School of the Arts is looking to fill an artist in residence position in the photo and imaging lab. Read the details of the position here.
- Stark Enterprises in Cleveland is seeking a graphic designer. This position is responsible for the look and brand development of all company and property materials.
 Apply here.
- Marcus Thomas in Cleveland is searching for an experienced, versatile and
 exceptionally talented art director who is full of ideas. They want to hire a conceptual
 creative with a book of work that proves it. Read the full details and apply here.

And check out CIA's College Central, with listings for freelance, part- and full-time work, and internships.

Alumni Artwork





Sophie Cayless '89

"Skuggs: The Patriot Squirrel who Helped Save America"

Dawn Tekler '94

"Quiet Passage"



Thomas Roese '71

University Hospitals, North Ridgeville



Barbara Stanczak '90

From *Harmonic Duality*



Babs Reingold '78

"The Last Sea"



Mark Reigelman '06

Domino Park Playground, NYC

By the way, remember to send us info about your upcoming exhibits using our **easy upload tool** on the Exhibition Watch page. If you're an alum, please include your graduation year.

Important Events

- 7/7-29: **CAN Triennial**
- 7/11-8/31: Cleveland: A Cultural Center, WOLFS
- 7/14-10/7: The Great Lakes Research exhibition, Reinberger Gallery
- 7/14-10/7: Critical Feedback: 2018 Faculty Exhibition, throughout CIA
- 7/19: Cleveland: A Cultural Center panel discussion, 6-8pm, Wolfs Gallery
- 7/20: Pre-College Exhibition: Session One, 5-6:30pm, Fourth-floor painting studios

- 8/3: Pre-College Exhibition: Session Two, 5-6:30pm, Fourth-floor painting studios
- 9/20-22: ThinkCraft Symposium, Cleveland Institute of Art

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