

RENA BRANSTEN

GALLERY

SIDNEY MACDONALD RUSSELL

Born in San Francisco, California, 1948

EDUCATION

- 1965 - 66 Art Institute of San Francisco (studied with Jay DeFeo)
- 1971 UC Berkeley, Bachelor of Art Degree (studied with George Miyasaki, Felix Ruvolo, David Simpson, Patrick Tidd, Marvin Liposki, Peter Selz, and Spiro Kostof)
- 1978 UC Berkeley, Master Program in Design (studied with Mark Trieb, Penny Dahmers, Anthony Dubovsky, Lars Larup, and Claude Stoller)
- 1993 UC Davis, Graduate Program in Fine Art (studied with Squeak Carnwath, Lucy Puls; Lectures of Wayne Thiebault)

AWARDS

- 1988 26th Annual Juried Exhibition of Northern California Artists, Sun Gallery and Hayward Area Forum of the Arts, Honorable Mention for "Fly" (144" x 144")

PROFESSIONAL AND WORK EXPERIENCE

- 1972 Merola Opera at Stern Grove, San Francisco, Designed, Painted and Built Set for "La Boheme"
- 1972 - 84 San Francisco Opera, Scenic Artist
- 1972 - 84 San Francisco Ballet, Scenic Artist
- 1979 Television Series "Streets of San Francisco," Scenic Artist
- 1979 Feature Film "Escape from Alcatraz," Scenic Artist
- 1975 - 2015 Faribault Food Corporation, Minneapolis, MN, Board of Trustee
- 1977 Feature Film "Invasion of the Body Snatchers" directed by Phillip Kaufman, Prop Painter

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2016 *Sidney Russell: New Work*, Rena Bransten Gallery, San Francisco, CA
Rare Books, Objects on Books, Bluxome Street Projects, San Francisco, CA
- 2015 *Devices and Desires*, Painting on Canvas, Atlantic Gallery, New York, NY
- 2014 *Northern Pike*, Bronze Sculpture, Calistoga, CA
- 2013 *Black Bass*, Bronze Sculpture, Atlantic Gallery, New York, NY
- 2012 *The Lake House*, Mixed Media Sculpture, Atlantic Gallery, New York, NY
- 2010 *Moist Deluxe*, Cast Aluminum Sculpture, Atlantic Gallery, New York, NY

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- 2009 *Superheroes*, Painting on Canvas, Atlantic Gallery, New York, NY
- 2008 *Popes and Fishermen*, Painted Quilts, Atlantic Gallery, New York, NY
- 2007 *Men Fishing*, Painted Quilts, Bluxome Street Projects, San Francisco, CA
- 2005 *Shipwrecks*, Paintings on Canvas, Bluxome Street Projects, San Francisco, CA
- 1999 *The Mall*, Cut Steel Sculpture, Emmie Smock Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- 1998 *Shirts*, Cast Wax and Oil Paint, Bradford Smock Gallery, San Francisco, CA

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2006 *Shirt*, Cast Wax and Oil Paint, SOMA Artists Exhibit, San Francisco, CA
- 2006 *Shirts*, Cast Wax and Oil Paint, Bluxome Studios, San Francisco, CA
- 2004 *Breakfast Rolls*, Cast Plaster, Group Show with Evri Kwong, 63 Bluxome Street Project Space, San Francisco, CA