

RESUME Sean O'Meallie / February 2010

EDUCATION

1973-77 University of New Orleans
1978 University of Colorado at Colorado Springs

COLLECTIONS

Museum:

The Museum of Art and Design, New York, NY
The Kamm Museum of the Teapot, Sparta, NC
The Museum of Decorative Arts, Arkansas Arts Center, Little Rock, AK
The Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, Colorado Springs, CO
The Sangre de Cristo Arts and Conference Center, Pueblo, CO

Public:

The State of Colorado
The City of Woodland Park, Colorado
The West Custer County Library, Westcliffe, CO
The City of Denver, Convention Center Hyatt, Denver, CO
Memorial Hospital Department of Oncology, Colorado Springs, CO
Spanish Peaks Library, Walsenburg, CO

Corporate:

Kaiser Permanente, Denver, CO
Fountain Valley School, Colorado Springs, CO
Hohner Veterinarkrankenhaus, Bad Kreuznach, Germany
The Denver Children's Hospital, Denver, CO
The Cheyenne Mountain Zoo, Colorado Springs, CO
DeCotiis Erhard, Colorado Springs, CO
Hoffman Reilly Pozner & Williamson, Denver, CO
Moye Giles O'Keefe Vermeire & Gorrell LLP, Denver, CO
Invesco Funds, Denver, CO
Baird Kurtz & Dobson, Colorado Springs, CO
HealthOne/HCA, Denver, CO
Ernst & Young, Denver, CO
W. G. Nielsen & Company, Denver, CO
G E Johnson Construction, Colorado Springs, CO
Isaacson Rosenbaum Woods & Levy, Denver, CO
Advanced Eye Care, Colorado Springs, CO
Chai, LLC, Denver, CO

Private:

Works placed in numerous private collections.

EXHIBITIONS

Solo:

- 2010 The Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, Colorado Springs, CO
The Business of Art Center, Manitou Springs, CO
- 2009 Estel Gallery, Nashville, TN
- 2008 LeMieux Galleries, New Orleans, LA
Savageau Gallery, Denver, CO
- 2007 Estel Gallery, Nashville, TN
- 2005 Savageau Gallery, Denver, CO
- 2004 Sylvia Schmidt Gallery, New Orleans, LA
- 2003 Laughing Ladies, Salida, CO
- 2002 Sangre de Cristo Arts and Conference Center, Pueblo, CO
- 1999 The Business of Art Center, Manitou Springs, CO
- 1996 Bedford Gallery, Fountain Valley School, Colorado Springs, CO
- 1995 Thunderstruck Gallery, Colorado Springs, CO

Two Person and Group:

2010 -

- LeMieux Galleries, New Orleans, LA
- Foothills Art Center, Golden, CO
- Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA

2009 -

- Foothills Art Center, Golden, CO
- Redline, Denver, CO
- The Sugarcube Building, Denver, CO
- Cultureclash Gallery, Salida, CO
- COPPeR, Colorado Springs, CO

2008 -

- The Albuquerque Museum, Albuquerque, NM
- The University of New Mexico, Las Cruces, NM
- Bryan & Scott Gallery, Colorado Springs, CO
- Savageau Gallery, Denver, CO
- Estel Gallery, Nashville, TN

2007 -

- National Irish Craft Gallery / Kilkenny, Ireland
- Letterkenny Art Centre, Donegal, Ireland
- Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA
- Estel Gallery, Nashville, TN
- LeMieux Galleries, New Orleans, LA

2006 -

Cultureclash Gallery, Salida, CO
Smokebrush Foundation, Colorado Springs, CO
LeMieux Galleries, New Orleans, LA
SOFA Chicago
Estel Gallery, Nashville, TN
SOFA New York
The Downtown Studio, Pikes Peak Community College, Colorado Springs, CO
Arts Students League, Denver, CO

2005 -

Sylvia Schmidt Gallery, New Orleans, LA
Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA
UCCS Gallery of Contemporary Art, Colorado Springs, CO
Foothills Art Center, Golden, CO
Colorado State Fair, Pueblo, CO
Hyatt Regency, Denver, CO

2004 -

Sylvia Schmidt Gallery, New Orleans, LA
ZIP 37, Denver, CO
The Knoxville Museum of Art, Knoxville, TN
Beth-El College of Nursing, Colorado Springs, CO
Smokebrush Foundation, Colorado Springs, CO
Art Students League, Denver, CO
Republic Plaza, Denver, CO
UCCS Gallery of Contemporary Art, Colorado Springs, CO
Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, Colorado Springs, CO
Bryan & Scott Jewelers, Colorado Springs, CO
Sangre De Cristo Arts and Conference Center, Pueblo, CO

2003 -

SOFA Chicago
ZIP 37, Denver, CO
Savageau Gallery, Denver, CO
UCCS Gallery of Contemporary Art, Colorado Springs, CO
Smokebrush Foundation, Colorado Springs, CO
Bryan & Scott Gallery, Colorado Springs, CO
Commonwheel Gallery, Manitou Springs, CO
The Rockford Art Museum, Rockford, IL
Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, Colorado Springs, CO
Tri-Lakes Arts Center, Palmer Lake, CO
Republic Plaza, Denver, CO

2002 -

SOFA Chicago

Savageau Gallery, Denver, CO

University of Southern Colorado, Pueblo, CO

Colorado Springs Airport, Colorado Springs, CO

UCCS Gallery of Contemporary Art, Colorado Springs, CO

Parkside Gallery, La Veta, CO

Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, Colorado Springs, CO

Foothills Art Center, Golden, CO

2001 -

Cheyenne Mountain High School, Colorado Springs, CO

Chaffee County Arts Center, Buena Vista, CO

Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, Colorado Springs, CO

UCCS Gallery of Contemporary Art, Colorado Springs, CO

2000 -

Sangre de Cristo Arts and Conference Center, Pueblo, CO

Colorado State Fair, Pueblo, CO

The Business of Art Center, Manitou Springs, CO

Tri-Lakes Arts Center, Palmer Lake, CO

Western Colorado Center for the Arts, Grand Junction, CO

Arkansas Arts Center, Little Rock, AR

The Business of Art Center, Manitou Springs, CO

Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, Colorado Springs, CO

Tri-Lakes Arts Center, Palmer Lake, CO

Sophia Georg Gallery, Denver, CO

1999 -

UCCS Gallery of Contemporary Art, Colorado Springs, CO

Sangre de Cristo Arts & Conference Center, Pueblo, CO

The Business of Art Center, Manitou Springs, CO

Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, Colorado Springs, CO

University of Colorado, Boulder, CO

1998 -

The Warehouse Gallery, Colorado Springs, CO

Sophia Georg Gallery, Denver, CO

Colorado Springs Airport, Colorado Springs, CO

Thunderstruck Gallery, Colorado Springs, CO

Chaffee County Arts Center, Buena Vista, CO

Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, Colorado Springs, CO

Sangre de Cristo Arts and Conference Center, Pueblo, CO

1997 -

The Warehouse Gallery, Colorado Springs, CO
Colorado College Worner Center, Colorado Springs, CO
Harmony Park Gallery, Fort Collins, CO
Thunderstruck Gallery, Colorado Springs, CO
The Business of Art Center, Manitou Springs, CO
Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, Colorado Springs, CO
UCCS Gallery of Contemporary Art, Colorado Springs, CO

1996 -

OneWest Art Center, Fort Collins, CO
AAA Open Show, Denver, CO
UMC Fine Art Gallery, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO
Colorado State Fair, Pueblo, CO
Pikes Peak Urban League, Colorado Springs, CO
Smokebrush Center for the Arts, Colorado Springs, CO,
Pikes Peak Center, Colorado Springs, CO

1995 -

Roby Mill Gallery, Colorado Springs, CO
The Art Department, Denver, CO
UMC Fine Art Gallery, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO
The Bridge Gallery, Colorado Springs, CO
Chaffee County Arts Center, Buena Vista, CO
Smokebrush Center for the Arts, Colorado Springs, CO
UCCS Gallery of Contemporary Art, Colorado Springs, CO
Permanent Professors Gallery, USAFA, Colorado Springs, CO

1994 -

City Art Works, Colorado Springs, CO
The Business of Art Center, Manitou Springs, CO
Max Art, Colorado Springs, CO
Roby Mill Gallery, Colorado Springs, CO

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Books:

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ISBN 0-07-287061-3
- Meilach, Dona Z., "Teapots: Makers & Collectors", Schiffer Books, 2005
ISBN 0-7643-2214-1
- E. Branham and B. Young, "Time Travelers; The Twentieth Century Through Art," The Arkansas Art Center 2000-2002 Artmobile Exhibition,
ISBN 1-8844240-32-2

Film/Television/Radio:

- "Toymaker Tell-All," KRCC Radio, November 25, 2009
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13, 2006

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March 23, 2006

Arnest, Mark, "Fair Art Aims Higher," The Gazette, August 26, 2005

Acord, Deb, "O, Benches, Where Art Thou?," The Gazette, June 23, 2005

Musick, Patricia, "American Beauty," Orion Magazine, March/April, 2005

Rath, Von Martin, "Rivalitat," Berufsziel Jobmagazin, January 2005, Koln,
Germany

Hazelhurst, John, "Art Revival; Four Locals Who Color Our World," The
Colorado Springs Independent, Thursday, March 3, 2005

Delk, Laurie, Gallery Walk, The New Orleans Art Review, January/February
2005

MacCash, Doug, "Playing With Our Minds; Sean O'Meallie's Toy-Like
Sculptures Carry Adult Messages," The New Orleans Times Picayune,
Lagniappe, Friday, December 24, 2004

Hazelhurst, John, "Things of Beauty," The Colorado Springs Independent,
August 26, 2004

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Exhibits," The Gazette, January 30, 2004

Arnest, Mark, "Figure, Form and Fun; Three Artists Ply Their Trade at Downtown
Jewelry Shop," The Gazette, August 8, 2003

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Exhibits," The Gazette, June 24, 2002.

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Brain," The Colorado Spring Independent, May 30, 2002

Thomas, Aaron, "CCCA Opens Season with Layers of Meaning and Memories,"
The Chaffee County Times, May 31, 2001

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The Independent News Weekly, June 7, 2001

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30, 2000

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Deeper Meaning," The Gazette, December 19, 1999

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1998

Migash, George, "Disposable Kids," The Independent News Weekly, December
17, 1997. (cover)

McBee, Jane, "Local Folk: Sean O'Meallie," The Independent News Weekly,
January 22, 1997

Metz, Judith, "No Two Alike," Springs Style Magazine, 96-97, January 1, 1996
Heath, Jennifer, "To Wit: The Art of Whimsy," The Boulder Planet, September 25, 1996
Rosen, Steve, "On the Edge of Alternative Art," The Denver Post, January 11, 1996
Eastburn, Kathryn, "Playing with the Prince of Darkness," The Independent News Weekly, December 6, 1995
Asakawa, Gil, "The Art of Fun, Artist Sean O'Meallie Finds Happiness by Simply Playing Around," The Gazette Telegraph, November 18, 1994
Frost, Hunter, "Catch A Rising Star," Steppin' Out Magazine, April 1, 1994

EMPLOYMENT

2005- Full-time artist
O'1996-05 Lecturer in Beginning and Advanced Sculpture, Beginning and Advanced Wood Sculpture, 2D & 3D Studio, Department of Visual and Performing Arts, The University of Colorado at Colorado Springs
1987-97 Toy Inventor and Designer - World Markets
1986-87 Current, Inc., Colorado Springs / Sculptor and Engineer
1984-85 Michael Garman Productions, Colorado Springs, CO / Muralist, Sculptor, R&D
1977-84 Van Norman Design, Inc., Colorado Springs, CO / Furniture Production, Design, Employee Training, Manufacture, Management
1975-77 Studio Assistant to the Artist Ida Kohlmeyer, New Orleans, LA