## selected PUBLIC ART PLANS & COMMISSIONS

- Rivers and Veins, I-579 Frankie Mae Pace Park CAP Park, Commissioned by Pittsburgh Public Arts Council for the Sports and Exhibition Authority, Pittsburgh PA
- Nest + Flow, with Ecologist Lea R. Johnson, part of CALL/WALKS, a WALK to examine the ecology of the Jones Falls Watershed. Sponsored in part by the Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD.
- Coordinating Artist: Oversee design fabrication and build, conduit between commissioned artists and contractors, fabricators and engineers. Sponsored by the Sports & Exhibition Authority, administered by the Pittsburgh Public Arts Council, I-579 Cap Project, Pittsburgh, PA.
  - *Argo,* (Collaboration with Marian Ochoa and Kirsten Walsh), Light City Baltimore Festival, Baltimore Office of Promotion and the Arts, Baltimore, MD.
  - Percolare, Sandy Forks Road Widening Project, Raleigh, NC.
- Jewels of the River, Fairmont Waterworks Museum, Philadelphia, PA.
  - I-70 Park & Ride Station, MTA Baltimore Redline, Baltimore, MD. Not realized due to lack of funding.
- *Stream,* HOTWALLS: Large-scale projection on the Maryland Science Center, hosted by Luminous Intervention, Baltimore, MD.
  - Filtrum, CATTFish, CREATE Lab: Sculpture using water conductivity data, Pittsburgh, PA.
- Calligraphic Algae, Commission for installation at Waterworks Island. Office of Arts, Culture and the Creative Economy, Philadelphia, PA.
  - Art Master Plan for MTA Baltimore Red Line Light Rail Project: Design concepts for stations and large infrastructure elements, Baltimore, MD.
- Water Sonettos: A program promoting water awareness through an art exhibition, discussion with Global Water Program, John Hopkins University and Baltimore-based NGO's whose mission focuses on water, workshops for youth and family events, In/Flux Gallery, Baltimore, MD.
- Brightwater Wastewater Treatment Facility, Lead artist: Design development, commissioned artist for the "Confluence" along the Street of Alchemy, Seattle WA.
- Columbia Heights Neighborhood Revitalization Phase II: Mosaic design for metro plaza and mentoring community artists' designs for sidewalk medallions along 14th street, Washington D.C..

# selected GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- Double Take, Juror Rachel Seligman. Trolley Barn Gallery, Art Effect, Poughkeepsie, NY.
- PORTALS, Juror Traer Scott. Virtual Exhibition, New York Center for Photographic Art, nyc4pa.com.
- Luminosity: The Beauty of Light, Juror Louise Fedotov-Clements. Virtual Exhibition, New York Center for Photographic Art, nyc4pa.com.
  - Garden Gallery Exhibition 2020, Japan. 3D Virtual Exhibition, RedArtBox, redartbox.com.
- it can begin with the clouds, curated by john ros. Pinkard Gallery, Baltimore, MD.
  - 40th Anniversary Exhibition, School 33, Baltimore, MD.
  - On The Edge, Resilience: Issue 2, Paperbark Literary Magazine, University of Massachusettes, Amherst MA.
  - That Which is Most Precious, King Street Gallery, Montgomery College, Silver Spring, MD.
- Faculty Exhibition, Decker Gallery, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD.
  - Art On The Fly: Unsung Heroes, Maryland State Arts Council, Baltimore, MD.
  - "Rays in Reflection", Article in Issue 2, *Crisis*, Full Bleed: A Journal of Art and Design. Text in Collaboration with Jennifer Wallace. Printed by the Maryland Institute College of Art. Baltimore, MD.
- Intricate Observations x2, Silber Gallery, Goucher College, Baltimore, MD.
- 2014 K @ 20, Kreeger Museum, Washington, D.C..
- Water Sonettos, Exhibiting Artist and Project Curator, In/Flux Gallery, Baltimore, MD.
  - 100 X John, www.eartoearth.org/johnx100.html.
- Art With Roots in the Earth, First International Biennial of Contemporary Art, The Universidad Autónoma Chapingo, Chapingo, Mexico.

## selected GRANTS AND AWARDS

- Creativity Grant: to support the design & publication of the book *Heart Beating Beneath the Earth,* Maryland State Arts Council, Baltimore, MD.
- Honorable Metion, *PORTALS*, Juror Traer Scott. Virtual Exhibition, New York Center for Photographic Art, nyc4pa.com.
- First Place, Reefscape/Habitat/Environment category. First Place & Third Place, Macro category, 2020 Reef Underwater Photography Contest, reef.org.
  - First Place Photograph, "Out of Nowhere". Inlcuded in Luminosity: The Beauty of Light, Juror Louise Fedotov-lements. Virtual Exhibition, New York Center for Photographic Art, nyc4pa.com.
  - Marcella Brenner Faculty Research & Development Grant, Maryland Institute College of Art Baltimore, MD
- Smithsonian Artist Research Fellowship, Smithsonian Institute, Washington, DC..
  - Research Project focusing on Manta Ray Cleaning, Feeding/Socializing behaviors, Manta Trust, Maldives.
- Brenner Faculty Enrichment Grant, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD.
- Faculty Research Grant, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD.
- Brenner Faculty Enrichment Grant, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD.
- Individual Artist Award for Sculpture, Maryland State Artist Grant, Baltimore, MD.
  - Brenner Faculty Enrichment Grant, Maryland Institute, College of Art, Baltimore, MD.
- CATTFish Research Project, Carnegie Mellon Robotics Institute, Pittsburgh, PA.
- Research Initiation Grant, collaboration with Johns Hopkins Global Water Program, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD.
  - Osprey Foundation Grant, Research trip to Mali, Africa.
  - Community Engagement Grant: funded youth public programs connected with *Water Sonettos*, an exhibition at In/Flux Gallery, Baltimore, MD.
  - Water Sonettos, funding for collaboration with John Hopkins University Global Water Program, sponsored by Office of Research and Technology, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD.
- Open City Competition, First Runner Up, in collaboration with C. Ryan Patterson: engaging the community along the proposed Red Line corridor, D Center, Baltimore, MD.
- Urban Land Institute's "Award of Excellence in the Americas" for *Resonance*, a neighborhood revitalization project in the Columbia Heights neighborhood of Washington, D.C..
  - Creative Baltimore Fund Grant, Maryland States Art Council, Baltimore, MD.
- 2009 Research Initiation Grant: Eugene Clark marine biologist, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD.

# selected VISITING ARTIST RESIDENCIES/LECTURES/PANELS

- Artist In Residence, The Arctic Circle 2020, Artist and Scientist Residency, International Territory of Svalbard and Arctic Ocean. \*\*rescheduled from 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic
- Creative Team, Signal Station North, NEA Our Town Grant Funded project, Baltimore, MD.
  - Lecture, "Contemporary Public Art Infrastructure Projects", Maryland Arts Summit, University Of Maryland Baltimore County, Baltimore MD.
  - Panel Discussion, "That Which Is Most Precious", Group Exhibition, King Street Gallery, The Morris and Gwendolyn Cafritz Foundation Arts Center at Montgomery College, Silver Spring, MD.
- Workshop, "Public Art Workshop For Artists", Collaboration with Liesel Fenner, Maryland State Arts Council, Baltimore, MD.
  - Presenter, "Nature, Joy and the 21st Century" sponsored by Ecologic Institute, NYU, Washington DC.
  - Juror, 2017 Advisory Review Panel for the Arts & Humanities Fellowship Program for Visual Artists, DC Commission on the Arts and Humanities, Washington, DC.
  - "Sculpture in the Landscape," Ladew Topiary Gardens, Monkton, MD.
- Municipal Officer (6 years), Public Art Commission, City of Baltimore, Mayor Sheila Dixon, Baltimore, MD.
- Speaker, International Sculpture Conference, Chicago, IL.

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- 2012 Speaker, Buckminster Fuller Conference, Asheville, NC..
- 2013 Municipal Officer, Public Art Commission, City of Baltimore, Mayor Sheila Dixon, Baltimore, MD. /07
- 2012 Speaker, International Sculpture Conference, Chicago, IL.
  - Speaker, Buckminster Fuller Conference, Asheville, NC.
- Osprey Foundation/Lutheran World Relief Organization sponsored trip to Mali, Dogon Women's Shallot Cooperative, Mali, Africa
  - Member of Advisory Panel, Station North Arts & Entertainment District (SNEAD) NEA Our Town Grant, Baltimore. MD.
  - Panel Discussion Brightwater: an extraordinary union of art, design, science, ecology, and community, sponsored by the Seattle Design Festival, 4Culture, Seattle, WA.

### selected MEDIA RECOGNITION

- "Frankie Mae Pace Park", project featured in CODAMagazine: Art for Social Change. Online Magazine
  Published by CODAWORX, March 1st, 2022. https://www.codaworx.com/codamagazine-issue/?maga
  zine=art-for-social-change
  - Physical & online Spotlight for jury-selected work "Stare", Trolley Barn Gallery, Art Effect, Poughkeepsie, NY
  - "A Sparrow on the Floor of a Cathedral", https://photomonitor.co.uk/portfolio/a-sparrow-on-the-floor-of-the-cathedral/, feature for online magazine. Photomonitor UK., 2022.
  - Bill O'Driscoll, "Public art is an integral part of Pittsburgh's newest neighborhood park", https://www.wesa. fm/arts-sports-culture/2022-01-04/public-art-is-an-integral-part-of-pittsburghs-newest-neighborhood-park, WESA for NPR, January 4th, 2022
- "Rays in Reflection", Article in Issue 2, *The Crisis Issue* of Full Bleed: A Journal of Art and Design. Text in collaboration with Jennifer Wallace. Printed by the Maryland Institute College of Art. Baltimore, MD.
  - Rinehart Graduate Cohort, "Interview With Jann Rosen-Queralt", Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD., March 7th, 2018.
  - "Jann Rosen-Queralt: The Artist As Change Agent", Medium, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD., March 30th, 2018.
- "Intricate Observations x2", exhibition catalogue, Silber Art Gallery, Goucher College, Baltimore, MD.
- "Kreeger @ 20", exhibition catalogue, Kreeger Museum, Washington D.C..
  - Michael O'Sullivan, "Kreeger Celebrates All That It Has", Washington Post, March 14, 2014.
- "100 X John: A growing List of compositions", www.eartoearth.org/johnx100.html, Participant.
  - Baynard Woods, "Collaborative exhibit emphasizes the importance of water", City Paper, May 9, 2012.
- "Follow the Red Line, Open City Competition: Engaging community along the proposed Red Line corridor", Urbanite Magazine, pg. 43, October, 2011.
- "Textiles Give Voice to D.C.'s Diverse Residents", magazine, The Textile Museum, Washington D.C., 2010.

### **EMPLOYMENT**

1979- 2022 • Faculty, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore MD.

• Director Emeritus, Rinehart School of Sculpture, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore MD.

#### **EDUCATION**

- · Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan, MFA
- Syracuse University, School of Visual and Performing Arts, Syracuse, New York, BFA (cum laude)