

WICHITA NATIONAL ALL-MEDIA EXHIBITION

SEPTEMBER 8 - OCTOBER 15, 2017



Ye Qiang Wang, *Return to Classicism - Portrait of a Lady* (detail)
First Place - Mary R. Koch Memorial Award



WELCOME TO THE WICHITA NATIONAL
ALL-MEDIA EXHIBITION.

The Wichita National occurs biennially and is Mark Arts' longest running and most diverse exhibition. You will enjoy a fantastic array of artistry in acrylic, ceramics, fiber, jewelry, mixed media, oil, photography, printmaking, sculpture, watercolor and more.

We are also thrilled to welcome back juror Kyle Reicher to the Mark Arts family. Reicher was an artist in residence here in 1993. His sculpture *Untitled (Earth House)*, will be making the move with us to our new campus at 1307 N. Rock Road that opens in January 2018.

Thanks for helping inspire the artist in each of us!

KATY DORRAH
Executive Director



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AWARD WINNERS

FIRST PLACE MARY R. KOCH MEMORIAL AWARD – \$1,000
Yeqiang Wang, *Return to Classicism - Portrait of a Lady*

SECOND PLACE – \$750
Michael Pointer, *Pasture Survey - Blue Cow and Sun*

THIRD PLACE – \$500
James Ehlers, *Artifice*

HONORABLE MENTION – \$250
Rick Frisbie, *Listening to Trees*
Justin Lister, *Basement - Woman Exploring After Husband's Death Blue*
Michael Rohde, *Blue*



MISSION

The mission of Mark Arts is to be a vibrant arts hub in Wichita and the region by providing opportunities to appreciate and create art in an atmosphere of lifelong learning.

EXHIBITION GENEROUSLY UNDERWRITTEN BY



JUROR

KYLE REICHER

The action of making allows us to connect. To see, feel and share – that is what is unique and universal to being human.

Exploring the work submitted for this year's Wichita National was thought-provoking. The artists' ability to express themselves in their chosen medium is inspiring.

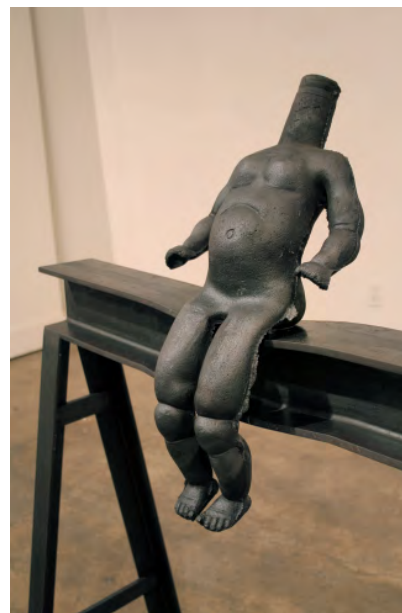
The works that formally placed are exceptional. The body of work exhibited captures what is unique to Kansas and what is universal to all of us, allowing us to see the feelings and thoughts of each artist who created them.

Thank you for the privilege and opportunity to be your juror.



Kyle Reicher was hired as a visiting artist at Mark Arts, then known as the Wichita Center for the Arts, in 1993. During his residence, he created an original outdoor sculpture for the Mark Arts collection. The result, *Untitled (Earth House)*, is an open-air structure designed with trees and plants growing in the interior and with vines growing up the sides. The piece will be relocated to our new campus at 1307 N. Rock Road this fall.

Kyle Reicher, noted metal sculptor, received his BFA in sculpture from Alfred University in New York and his MFA from Wichita State University. After graduate school, Reicher spent a year in Tallin, Estonia on a Fulbright fellowship. Post Fulbright, Reicher returned to the United States and relocated to San Francisco. He found artistic representation with the Braunstein/Quay Gallery and a day job as a builder assisting ceramic artist Peter Voukos. Reicher established connections in the art and design world and began collaborating with designers, architects, artists and builders to realize their visions in metal. After 12 years of growing a business in a glorified garage under his own name, he incorporated and became Ferrous Studios Inc. Ferrous now employs 12 talented metal artisans and boasts a fabrication shop with almost 20,000 square feet.



Untitled Doll #12 \$7,800



Balloon # 8 \$3,800



Untitled Coffee Table #1 \$8,700



Untitled Letters #6 \$600

EXHIBITING ARTISTS



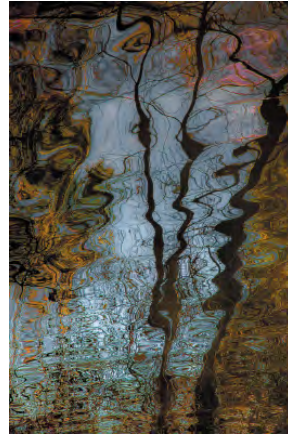
BRUCE ALVES Wentzville, MO
Heads Will Roll 13" x 8" x 7" \$500



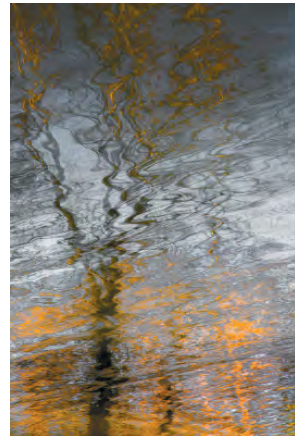
KATHY BESTHORN Wichita, KS
Rising Moon 20" x 10" \$285



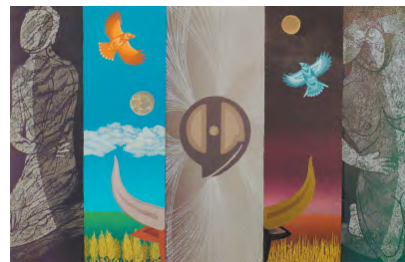
KATHY BESTHORN Wichita, KS
Moonset 24" x 20" \$175



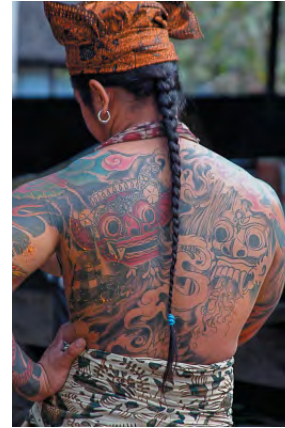
DAVID BARTLETT Farmington Hills, MI
Hypnagogia I 20" x 30" \$650



DAVID BARTLETT Farmington Hills, MI
Hypnagogia VII 20" x 30" \$650



DOUG BILLINGS Wichita, KS
Nature of Things VI 17" x 11" \$425



PAMELA BJORK Wichita, KS
Barong & Rangda Balinese Tattoos
11" x 14" \$250



PAMELA BJORK Wichita, KS
Balinese Girl Wearing Geringcing & Gold
11" x 14" \$250



BERNADETTE BRADSHAW Wichita, KS
On the Surface 36" x 24" \$1,500



DAVID BRACKETT Lawrence, KS
Square Peg 53" x 54" \$2,500



DAVID BRACKETT Lawrence, KS
Open Season 36" x 28" \$2,400



GEORGE-ANN BOWERS Berkeley, CA
Pod Cluster 2 12" x 14" x 20" \$800



PHIL CHALK Johnstown, CO
The Crate Escape 11" x 17" \$1,400

EXHIBITING ARTISTS



MARK COLE Carl Junction, MO
Canoes In the Mountains 28" x 44" \$1,500



MARK COLE Carl Junction, MO
My Dream Is Here 42" x 28" \$1,500



JAMES EHLERS Emporia, KS
Farewell 6" x 9" \$500



FREDRIC COWART Wichita, KS
No Parking (Rockport, Massachusetts)
15.5" x 9.75" \$1,500



KAT DORCAS Allen, KS
Obvara Bowl 1 3" x 11" \$200



DON DUMONT Memphis, TN
Life Spirit Box 48" x 37" x 11" \$6,000



JAMES EHLERS Emporia, KS
Artifice 7.25" x 9" \$600

THIRD PLACE



MARKO FIELDS Minneapolis, MN
Greetings From Fukushima - Tourist Ware
8.5" x 11.5" • 9.5" x 6.5" • 4" x 2.5" • 4" x 2.5"
\$2,100



JANET FISHER Wichita, KS
Joie De Vie 15" x 16" \$450



GENEVIEVE FLYNN Kansas City, MO
Tree Frog Teapot 8" x 4" x 6" \$5,000



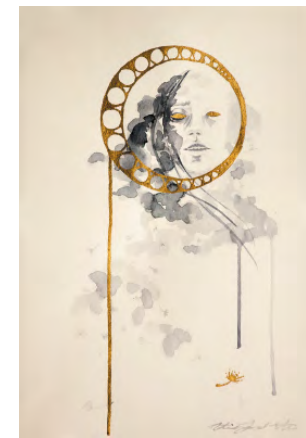
NATALIE FRANCEL-STONE Wichita, KS
Ascension 18" x 12" \$500



SHEILA FERRI Middletown, NY
Grandfather Knolls Best
14" x 15" x 5" \$1,500



GENEVIEVE FLYNN Kansas City, MO
Ssssssumptuous Teapot 16" x 3" \$5,000

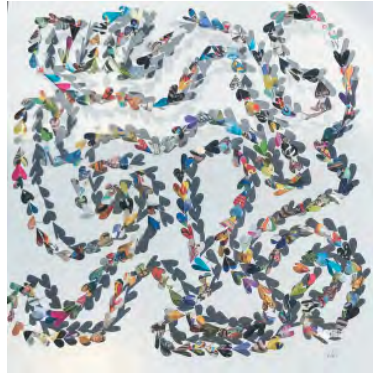


NATALIE FRANCEL-STONE Wichita, KS
Perception 12" x 18" \$500

EXHIBITING ARTISTS



RICK FRISBIE Salina, KS
Listening to Trees 17.75" x 30" \$650



POLLY GENTRY Andover, KS
Follow Your Heart 24" x 24" \$1,000



VICKY HANSEN Penrose, CO
Canyon Series 1 12" x 10" x 9" \$500



SHARON HARPER Springfield, MO
Puppy 17" x 6" x 8" \$1,100



ELEANOR HEIMBAUGH Lindsborg, KS
Strata with Plastic and Glass Bottle Artifacts
36" x 24" x 12" \$1,200



ELEANOR HEIMBAUGH Lindsborg, KS
Sliced Circuitry Strata
13" x 48" x 13" \$1,500



PASSLE HELMINSKI Erie, PA
Copper Flying 37" x 23" x 23" \$800



JEAN JUDD Cushing, WI
Abstract Textures 2.1
37.75" x 43.75" \$7,600



TERESA KIRK Pembroke Pines, FL
Fragment of Unconscious Song
30" x 23" \$1,000



PASSLE HELMINSKI Erie, PA
Feathering #2 13" x 14" x 12" \$500



JEAN JUDD Cushing, WI
Sound Waves #3: Ionosphere
13.25" x 43.25" \$2,100



PATRICIA KENNEDY-ZAFRED
Murrysville, PA
American Portraits: Final Harvest
48" x 44" \$2,500



TERESA KIRK Pembroke Pines, FL
Ladies in Waiting XXX 26" x 32" \$1,100

EXHIBITING ARTISTS



HOWARD KOERTH Oklahoma City, OK
Dreamweaver XXIV (The Arrival)
21" x 24" x 7" \$2,500



HOWARD KOERTH Oklahoma City, OK
Dreamweaver XXV (The Gathering)
23" x 26" x 8" \$3,000



WENDY KOWYNIA Steamboat Springs, CO
Line Drawing: Ode to Agnes 8
17.5" x 17.5" x 2" \$800



WENDY KOWYNIA Steamboat Springs, CO
Line Drawing: Ode to Agnes 5
17.5" x 17.5" x 2" \$800



TED KRONE Wichita, KS
Mariana Trench: Section F (Shift)
12" x 12" x 4" \$325



TED KRONE Wichita, KS
Continental Shelf Tectonic Shift: Section B
12.25" x 12.5" x 4" \$325



KATHLEEN KUCHAR Hays, KS
Small Talk 12" x 12" \$600



JUSTIN LISTER McPherson, KS
Basement — Woman Exploring After Husband's Death Blue
30" x 40" \$1,700



JUSTIN LISTER McPherson, KS
Shipwrecked 30" x 40" \$1,700



JOAN NORTH Stevens Point, WI
Lifeline 4" x 2.5" x .75" \$350



BRENT LITSEY Wichita, KS
Raku Pottery # 1 15" x 14" \$985



BRENT LITSEY Wichita, KS
Radiation 41" x 65" \$2,985



KRISTINA MCCOMB Gill, MA
Two Sides of Self #1 10" x 14" x 6" \$800

HONORABLE MENTION

EXHIBITING ARTISTS



MICHAEL POINTER Wichita, KS
Pasture Survey - Rain 22" x 77" \$2,500



MICHAEL POINTER Wichita, KS
Pasture Survey - Blue Cow and Sun 22" x 57" \$2,200

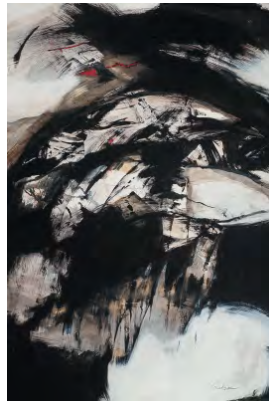
SECOND PLACE



LARRY PETERS Topeka, KS
Fetish Jar 106 28" x 15.5" \$1,300



TYLER QUINTIN Topeka, KS
The Optimist 26" x 18" x 14" \$2,000

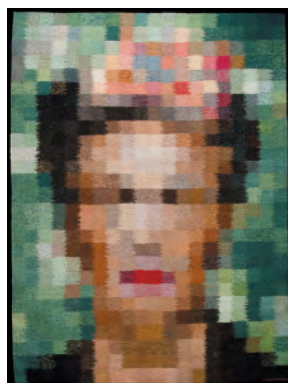


KAREN POULSON Broomfield, CO
Expressions in Black and White 48" x 34" \$3,600



MICHAEL ROHDE Westlake Village, CA
Blue 37" x 33" \$4,000

HONORABLE MENTION



MICHAEL ROHDE Westlake Village, CA
Reality 43.5" x 32.5" \$4,000



BRIAN ROW San Marcos, TX
The Arrival 5" x 7" x 1.25" \$750



BRIAN ROW San Marcos, TX
The White Tie Affair 5" x 7" x 1.25" \$750



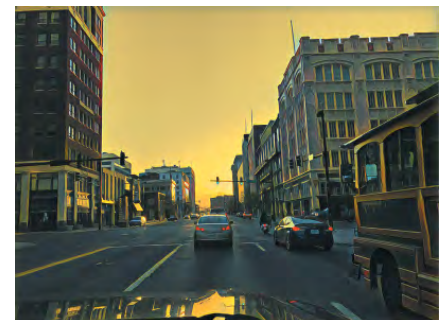
AMY SCHMIERBACH Hays, KS
Caim 2 28" x 22" \$400



KATHLEEN SCHROEDER Canton, KS
La Nina 7" x 24" x 10" \$350



KAREN SCROGGINS Wichita, KS
1942 Book - The Hundred Dresses 12" x 12" \$300



AUSTIN SHAW Wichita, KS
Dandelion 12" x 15" \$375

EXHIBITING ARTISTS



TAYLOR SIJAN Wichita, KS
Dendritic Box 1.25" x 3" x 2.5" \$750



JIM SIMPSON Wichita, KS
Kansas Blue 30" x 40" \$1,400



JIM SIMPSON Wichita, KS
Kansas Orange 18" x 24" \$700



JIM SIMPSON Wichita, KS
Borrowed Clay 24" x 36" \$670



JIM SIMPSON Wichita, KS
Lester's Bird 40" x 30" \$1,800



WANDA SULLIVAN Mobile, AL
Synthetic Magnolia (White) 8" x 8" \$900



NANCY TEAGUE Lincoln, NE
Thinking of You 30" x 30" x 1.5" \$1,580



KIM TAGGART Olathe, KS
Just Baled 35.5" x 35.5" \$2,300



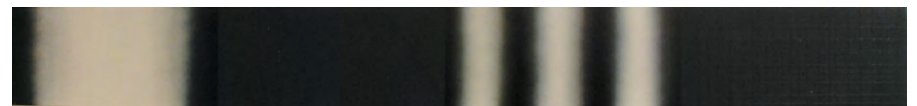
BEVERLY TODD Omaha, NE
Heart of our Life Together 40" x 60" \$2,100



BEVERLY TODD Omaha, NE
Beautiful Questions 36" x 36" \$2,100



L. SUSAN STARK
Mill Valley, CA
Movin' On 12" x 42"
\$1,800



THOMAS STEPHENS Greeley, CO
Sequence #19 7" x 60" \$1,000

EXHIBITING ARTISTS



SHELLYE TOW Sachse, TX
Caged Bird 20" x 16" \$650



SHELLYE TOW Sachse, TX
The Eye 20" x 16" \$650



YEQIANG WANG Topeka, KS
Return to Classicism - Portrait of a Lady
48" x 32" \$25,000



JENNIFER WALTERSCHEID Wichita, KS
Thistle Cross 11" x 8" \$4,995



SOON WARREN Fort Worth, TX
Cosmos in Marbles 22" x 30" \$7,000



BENJAMIN WINANS Richmond, VA
Spaceman 25" x 19" \$200

CALENDAR

WICHITA NATIONAL ALL-MEDIA EXHIBITION
September 8 - October 15

VERSUS: A LIVE ART BATTLE
September 22

FALL CLASS QUARTER
September 25 - December 9

HOLIDAY TABLES
November 3 - 5

KANSAS WATERCOLOR SOCIETY NATIONAL EXHIBITION
November 17 - December 17

HOLIDAY STUDIO SALE
December 8 - 9

MIDNIGHT @ MARK ARTS
December 31

WINTER CLASS QUARTER
January 8 - March 17

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PRIVATE PARTIES & RENTALS

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