

John E. Bannon

VISUAL ARTIST

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2004-2015 **Adjunct Assistant Professor** SCHOOL OF THE ART INSTITUTE OF CHICAGO • Holography - Department of Art & Technology Studies

SELECTED HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2013, 15 **Catwalk Institute Artist Residency Scholarship** SCHOOL OF THE ART INSTITUTE OF CHICAGO • Catskill, New York
- 2011 **Individual Artist Support Grant** ILLINOIS ARTS COUNCIL
- 2009 **International Holography Fund Travel Grant** 8th International Symposium on Display Holography • Shenzhen, China
- 2008 **Artist in Residence Scholarship** OXBOW SCHOOL OF ART • Saugatuck, Michigan
- 2007 **Special Projects Assistance Grant** ILLINOIS ARTS COUNCIL
- 2006 **Governor's International Arts Exchange Grant** ILLINOIS ARTS COUNCIL
7th International Holography Symposium Visiting Artist Grant FUJI HUNT / FUJIFILM
Special Projects Grant THE SCHOOL OF THE ART INSTITUTE OF CHICAGO
- 2004 **Honorable Mention** Florida International Arts Competition FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY
Community Arts Assistance Program Grant CHICAGO DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS
- 2001 **Exhibition Scholarship** THE SCHOOL OF THE ART INSTITUTE OF CHICAGO
- 1998 **Visiting Artist Grant** PENLAND SCHOOL OF ART • Penland, NC
- 1997 **Featured Artist** CHICAGO ARTISTS' MONTH • Chicago, IL
- 1996-95 **Finalist** REVERE GRAPHICS CALENDAR • Chicago, IL
- 1987 **Artistic Merit Tuition Waiver** THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT URBANA-CHAMPAIGN
- 1985 **Blue Ribbon Finalist** SCHOLASTIC ART AWARDS • New York, NY
Honorable Mention etching and lithography HARPER AREA ART AWARDS • Palatine, IL

SELECTED PUBLIC ART PROJECTS

- 2017 *The Test of Time* Rowan University • Glassboro, NJ
- 2016 *Presenting the Past to the Future* Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority • Cleveland, OH
- 2013 *Evlove* City of Blue Springs • Blue Springs, MO
- 2010 *Universe* Lollapalooza Music Festival • Chicago, IL
- 2005 *Transit* Chicago Transit Authority • Chicago, IL
- 2005 *Eye Candy* Looptopia • Chicago, IL
- 2003 *Point of You* Purdue University North Central • Westville, IN

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2011 *John E. Bannon* DENÉ GALLERY • Geneva, IL
- 1998 *Annual Neon and Light Exhibition: John E. Bannon* ZENITH GALLERY • Washington DC
- 1995 *Propaganda for Positive Thinking* STUDIO HIP HOP • Chicago, IL
- 1994 *Mental Gum* THE ASYLUM • Chicago, IL
- 1993 *Feast Your Eyes* STUDIO HIP HOP • Chicago, IL
- 1990 *Explorations in Perception* LEVIS FACULTY CENTER • Urbana, IL

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

- 2019 *A Lifetime in the Making* WATER STREET STUDIOS • Batavia, IL
GLEAM Art in a New Light OLBRICH BOTANICAL GARDENS • Madison, WI
Chicago Sculpture Exhibit CHICAGO, IL
- 2018 *Art on the River* THE PORT OF DUBUQUE • Dubuque, IA
Art on the Rooftop MONONA TERRACE • Madison, WI
Original Voices KEN SAUNDERS GALLERY • Chicago, IL
- 2017 *Art on Clark 3D* public sculpture exhibition • Chicago, IL

- 2016 **Chicago Sculpture Exhibition 2017** • Chicago, IL
Bending Brilliance The Bergstrom-Mahler Museum • Neenah,WI
Art on Clark 3D public sculpture exhibition • Chicago, IL
- 2015 **Reflecting on Art from the Site Lines of Nature** Catwalk Institute • Catskill, NY
Art on Clark 3D public sculpture exhibition • Chicago, IL
- 2014 **Art on Clark 3D** public exhibition of two sculptures • Chicago, IL
Wicker Park Fest public exhibition of *Eye Candy* • Chicago, IL
Phases of the Moon Art and Music Festival public exhibition of *Universe* • Danville, IL
Neon and Plasma Exhibition GLASS ART CONFERENCE • Chicago, IL
- 2012 **Chicago Park District Outdoor Sculpture Exhibition** CHICAGO PARK DISTRICT Promontory Point • Chicago, IL
11th Annual Lakefront Sculpture Exhibition CHICAGO SCULPTURE EXHIBITION • Chicago, IL
- 2011 **Neon 2011** LION VS GORILLA • Chicago, IL
Come Together HAIRPIN ARTS CENTER • Chicago, IL
- 2010 **9th Annual Lakefront Sculpture Exhibition** CHICAGO SCULPTURE EXHIBITION • Chicago, IL
- 2008 **Chicago Looks: Portraits of Chicago** DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS • Chicago, IL
Looptopia CHICAGO LOOP ALLIANCE • Chicago, IL
- 2007 **Odyssey 2007-08 Sculpture Exhibition** PURDUE UNIVERSITY NORTH CENTRAL • Westville, IN
For Public Consumption HYDE PARK ARTS CENTER • Chicago, IL
- 2006 **3D Discovery** LUBEZNIK CENTER FOR THE ARTS • Michigan City, IN
- 2005 **Odyssey 2004-05 Sculpture Exhibition** PURDUE UNIVERSITY NORTH CENTRAL • Westville, IN
- 2004 **Combined Talents Competition** MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS AT FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY • Tallahassee, FL
- 2003 **Odyssey 2003-04 Sculpture Exhibition** PURDUE UNIVERSITY NORTH CENTRAL • Westville, IN
ArtSanFrancisco5 FASSBENDER-STEVENSON GALLERY • San Francisco, CA
- 2002 **Quirks and Quarks: The Idiosyncrasies of Four Emerging Artists** FASSBENDER-STEVENSON GALLERY • Chicago, IL
Odyssey 2002-03 Sculpture Exhibition PURDUE UNIVERSITY NORTH CENTRAL • Westville, IN
Master's Thesis Exhibition: The School of the Art Institute of Chicago G2 GALLERY • Chicago, IL
Invitational Exhibition of Light Art UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN AT MADISON • Madison, WI
Enlightened Art Biennial BOB RAUSCHENBERG GALLERY • Fort Myers, FL
- 2001 **Fluid Interfaces** G2 GALLERY • Chicago, IL
- 2000 **Enlightened Art Biennial** LEE COUNTY ALLIANCE FOR THE ARTS • Fort Myers, FL
Dishman Art Competition 2000 LAMAR UNIVERSITY • Beaumont, TX
- 1999 **Traveling Light** GLASS ART SOCIETY CONFERENCE • Hsin-Chu City, Taiwan
Chicago Print Exchange ZYGOTE PRESS • Cleveland, OH
Annual Neon and Light Exhibition ZENITH GALLERY • Washington DC
- 1998 **Evanston and Vicinity Biennial Exhibition** EVANSTON ART CENTER • Evanston, IL
Travel Light GLASS ART SOCIETY INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE • Seto, Japan
Enlightened ANGEL'S GATE CULTURAL CENTER • San Pedro, CA
Enlightened Art Biennial LEE COUNTY ALLIANCE FOR THE ARTS • Fort Myers, FL
- 1997 **Up In Lights** CREATIVE ART CENTER • Burbank, CA
Chicago Artists Illuminate DOWNTOWN GALLERY • Kansas City, MO

EDUCATION

- 2002 **Master of Fine Arts in Studio** THE SCHOOL OF THE ART INSTITUTE OF CHICAGO Department of Art & Technology
1990 **Bachelor of Fine Arts in Painting** THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT URBANA-CHAMPAIGN