

Curriculum Vitae

Slate Grove

b. 1979 Fort Dodge, Iowa, USA

Education

2013 M.F.A.; Illinois State University; Normal, IL, USA

2006 B.F.A; Cleveland Institute of Art; Cleveland, OH, USA

Professional and Committee Experience

Present Aalto University; Espoo, Finland

Glass Workshop Master

Lecturer, School of Art

Lecturer, School of Design

School of Art, Design and Architecture Academic Affairs Committee 2022-2025

2019-2020 Illinois State University; Normal, IL, USA

Instructional Assistant Professor (Sabbatical replacement)

Courses taught include Introductory Glass, Intermediate Glassblowing, Advanced Glass, and 3-D Fundamentals.

2016-2019 Ball State University; Muncie, IN, USA

Glass Facilities Manager and Assistant Teaching Professor.

Courses taught include Introductory Glass, Intermediate Glassblowing, Advanced Glassblowing, Neon, 3D-Foundations, Sculpture I, Sculpture II and Advanced Sculpture.

University Committee assignments:

2018/19 Finance and Budget

School of Art Committee assignments:

2018/19 Sculpture Search Committee, and Frederick Myers Lecture Series

2017/18 Visiting Artist Selection, and Student Exhibition

2019 Kent State University; Kent, OH, USA

Visiting Artist Lecture

2015 University of North Carolina Pembroke; Pembroke, NC, USA

Visiting Artist Lecture

Sandhills Community College; Pinehurst, NC, USA

Visiting Artist Lecture

Pittsburgh Glass Center; Pittsburgh, PA, USA

Glass Sculpting Instructor

2013-2014 Urban Glass; Brooklyn, NY, USA

Studio Manager

2013 Museum of Arts and Design's 2014 NYC Makers Open; NYC, USA

Nominator

2013 Metropolitan Museum of Art, NYC, USA

Designer Study Day

2010-2013 Illinois State University; Normal, IL, USA

- 2012 Introduction to Glass Instructor
Uptown Normal Multi-Modal Transportation Center; Normal, IL, USA
Description: Served as a juror on a panel of 3, jurying works to become part of a publically displayed, permanent exhibition located in the Normal, IL Multimodal Transportation Center. 128 applicants applied for the project that had a \$150,000 budget
- 2011-2012 Illinois State University; Normal, IL, USA
College Council; Graduate Student Representative
- 2010 Tavastia Vocational school; Nuutajärvi, Finland
Glass Sculpting Instructor
- 2008-2010 Penland School of Crafts; Penland, NC, USA
Glass Studio Coordinator
- 2007-2008 Heller Gallery; New York, NY, USA
Head of Shipping Receiving and Installation
- 2006-2008 Brooklyn Glass; Brooklyn, NY, USA
Production Glassblowing Assistant

Exhibitions and Residencies

- 2022 "Ihminen - tarinoita lasissa"; Voipaala taidekeskus, Sääksmäki, Finland
- 2019 "In God We Trust: Reflections of Religion in America"; Hera Gallery
Wakefield, Rhode Island , USA
"Material World"; Pittsburgh Glass Center, Pittsburgh, PA, USA
"Designer Beliefs Presentation";
Religion and Spirituality in Society Conference Granada, Spain
"Pop & Lock"; Habatat Galleries, Royal Oak, MI, USA
- 2018 "Nefelibata"; Indiana University Union Street Gallery, Kokomo, IN, USA
"Guns in the Hands of Artists"; Swords into Plowshares Gallery, Detroit, MI, USA
"Heartland Glass"; Cinema Gallery, Urbana, IL, USA
UrbanGlass Gala Auction; Brooklyn, NY, USA
"Hoosier Salon"; Indiana State Museum, Indianapolis, IN, USA
Ball Sate Univ. Glass Exhibition; Arts Place, Portland, IN, USA
- 2017 SOFA Chicago; Hive Contemporary; Chicago, IL , USA
SOFA Chicago; Ball State University; Chicago, IL, USA
FORM Miami; Hive Contemporary; Miami, FL, USA
- 2016 Intersections; University of Tennessee; Knoxville, TN, USA
SOFA Chicago, Hive Contemporary; Chicago, IL, USA
SOFA Chicago, Ball State University; Chicago, IL, USA
Faculty Exhibition; Ball State University; Muncie, IN, USA
"Hot Glass Toledo"; The Arts Commission; Toledo, OH, USA
- 2015 3-Month Artist in Residence; Starworks Glass Lab; Star, NC, USA
Art On Fire; Pittsburgh Glass Center; Pittsburgh, PA, USA
- 2014 "Hot Glass Toledo"; The Arts Commission; Toledo, OH, USA
UrbanGlass Gala; UrbanGlass, Brooklyn, NY, USA

- 2013 “eXpose”; Habatat Galleries; Royal Oak, MI, USA
 “Shattered: Contemporary Sculpture in Glass”; Frederik Meijer Gardens
 & Sculpture Park; Grand Rapids, MI, USA
 “Glass Weekend”; Creative Glass Center of America; Milleville, NJ, USA
 “Young Sculptors”; Miami University; Oxford, OH, USA
- 2012 “Studio Glass at 50: A Tradition in Flux”; Illinois State University; Normal, IL, USA
- 2011 “Lasikompania – Glass Artists of Nuutajärvi”; Finnish Glass Museum;
 Riihimäki, Finland
 “MFA Biennial”, Illinois State University; Normal, IL, USA
 “MCGAG Emerging Artists”; Marx Saunders Gallery; Chicago, IL, USA
- 2010 Instructor Collaborative Residency with Leo Tecosky,
 Corning Museum of Glass; Corning, NY, USA
 “Slate Grove: Portraits of the Artist” Solo Exhibition, Gallery M at
 Mellwood; Louisville, KY, USA
 “Memento Mori” Solo Exhibition, Permanent Collection Gallery Art;
 Fort Dodge, IA, USA
 “Chopped and Channeled”; Ice House Gallery; Louisville, KY, USA
 “Melting the Cultural Fringe”; Vonfire Gallery; Louisville, KY, USA
- 2009 “Cheers! A drinking Glass Invitational”; Louisville Glassworks; Louisville, KY, USA
 “Winter Show”; Green Hill Center for North Carolina Art; Greensboro, NC, USA
- 2008 “Exposure”; Prism Contemporary; Chicago, IL, USA
 “A Cabinet of Natural Curiosities”; Roq La Rue; Seattle, WA, USA
- 2007 “Glass Works”; Marymount Manhattan College; New York, NY, USA

Awards

- 2018 Excellence in Education; Ball State University Student Government; Muncie, IN, USA
- 2013 Nomination: Louis Comfort Tiffany Award; New York, NY, USA
 “Rising Star”; Glass Weekend. Creative Glass Center of America;
 Milleville, NJ, USA
 Finalist: “Young Sculptors”; Miami University; Oxford, OH, USA
- 2012 Outstanding Glass Artist; Florida Glass Art Alliance; FL, USA
 Mayor’s Purchase Award; Uptown Normal Transportation Center; Normal, IL, USA
- 2011 Pilchuck Partial Scholarship; Pilchuck Glass School; Stanwood, WA, USA
 Charles and Jeanne Blines Scholarship, Illinois State University; Normal, IL, USA
 Honorarium for Travel to Nuutajarvi, Finland, MCGAG; Chicago, IL, USA
- 2010 Best Student Work; Midwest Contemporary Glass Art Group; Chicago, IL, USA
- 2006 Niche Student Award; Winner Glass Sculpture; Philadelphia, PA, USA
- 2005 The Malcolm McBride Scholarship for Glass; Cleveland Institute of Art;
 Cleveland, OH, USA
 Penland Partnership Scholarship; Cleveland Institute of Art; Cleveland, OH
- 2004 Viktor Schreckengost Excellence in Glass; Cleveland Institute of Art; Cleveland, OH

Publications

- March 6, 2019 Material World, Pittsburgh City Paper; Pittsburgh, PA, USA
- Winter 2014 Slate Grove; The Making of a Studio Manager; www.glassartmagazine.com
- Nov./Dec. 2014 UrbanGlass; All That Was Old Made New Again ; Glass Art Magazine;
Westport, KY, USA
- Oct. 23, 2013 Slate Grove's Everyday Heroes; Daily Art Muse; ww.dailyartmuse.com
- Summer, 2013 Fashioned in glass, tools and implements become "Everyday Heroes" in MFA
Exhibition; Glass Quarterly; Brooklyn, NY, USA
- May 07, 2012 Council OKs artworks for Uptown Station; Pantagraph; Bloomington, IL, USA
- June 2011 Transplant; Pure, Uncut, Candy; Volume 1 Issue 5, Louisville, KY, USA
- July 29, 2010 Glass can sculpt: American Slate Grove teaches the newest techniques in
Nuutajärvi Urjalan Sanomat; Urjala, Finland
- July 27, 2010 The glass artist was a tattooist: Skulls challenging flower vases Glass artist
Slate Grove teaches breaking symmetry in Nuutajärvi Forssan Lehti;
Forssa, Finland
- May 2009 A Free Exchange of Ideas: Penland Hosts Glass Technician Summit; Glass Art
Society News; Seattle, WA, USA