

REPRESENTATION

Rafius Fane Gallery *Boston MA***EMPLOYMENT**

1986- present **Rhode Island School of Design** *Providence, RI* Professor, Division of Experimental and Foundation Studies1989 – 1991 **Rhode Island School of Design** *Rome, Italy* Chief Critic, European Honors Program**SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2017 **Rafius Fane Gallery** *Boston MA*2016 **Bristol Art Museum** *Bristol RI*2015 **Tarble Arts Center** *Charleston IL*2011, 2007, 2004 **Luise Ross Gallery** *New York NY*2011 **Indiana University** *Bloomington IN*2010 **Bob Rauschenberg Gallery** *Fort Myers FL*2006, 2002, 1999 **Lenore Gray Gallery** *Providence RI*2006, 2004, 2003, 2002 **Department of Architecture, University of Arkansas** *Fayetteville AR*2003 **Rivier College** *Nashua NH*2000 **College of Architecture, Construction and Design, Auburn University** *Auburn AL*1995 **Tyler School of Art / Temple University** *Rome Rome Italy*1994 **Space One Eleven Gallery** *Birmingham AL***Asbury College** *Wilmore KY*1993 **Wheeler Gallery** *Providence RI***171 Cedar Arts Center** *Corning NY*1992 **BEB Gallery, Rhode Island School of Design** *Providence RI***SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

2017 **“Two Printmakers”** **BEB Gallery, Rhode Island School of Design** *Providence RI*2016 **“Drawing Upon Drawing”** **Indiana University Center for Art + Design**; curated by Jennifer Riley *Columbus IN***“The Little Biennale”** Traveling Exhibition **Temple University** *Philadelphia PA and Rome, Italy*2015, 2009, 2006, 2005, 2003 **Luise Ross Gallery** *New York NY*2015 **“Land Ho!”** **Fitchburg Art Museum** *Fitchburg MA***The University of Wyoming Art Museum**; curated by Harvey Hix *Laramie WY*2014 **Front Room Gallery** curated by Linda Griggs *Brooklyn NY***Torrance Art Museum**; curated by James Scarborough *Torrance CA***“From RISD in Rome”** Rhode Island School of Design *Providence RI*2013 **“Metro Show”** (through Luise Ross Gallery) *New York NY***“Contemporary Drawing”** New Bedford Art Museum *New Bedford MA***Printmaking Exhibition** Benson Hall Gallery, Rhode Island School of Design *Providence RI*2012, 2009, 2005, 2002 **Collectors’ Exhibition** Arkansas Arts Center *Little Rock AR***“Timestamp”** The Chazan Gallery at Wheeler *Providence RI*

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS *continued*

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- 2011, 1998, 1992 **Rhode Island State Council on the Arts Fellowship Exhibitions** (First Prizes in Painting)
- 2010 **Southern Graphic Council Conference** *Philadelphia PA*
Jewett Gallery, Wellesley College *Wellesley MA*
- 2009 **American Academy in Rome** *Rome Italy*
“**Treasures from the Boston Athenaeum**” *Boston Athenaeum Boston MA*
- 2009, 2007, 2005, 2004, 2003, 2001, 2000, 1999 **Lenore Gray Gallery** *Providence RI*
- 2008 **Chazan Gallery** *Providence RI*
Kansas State University *Manhattan KS*
- 2005 **Mississippi Museum of Art** *Jackson MS*
- 2004 “**Landscapes Seen and Imagined: Sense of Place**” **DeCordova Museum and Sculpture Park** *Lincoln MA*
“**Paperworks**” **Providence Art Club Juror’s First Prize** *Providence RI*
- 2002, 1987 **The Drawing Center** *New York NY*
- 2001 **Grimshaw-Gudwicz Gallery, Bristol Community College** *Fall River MA*
Adirondack Community College *Glens Falls NY*
- 2000 “**Virginia Lynch: A Curatorial Retrospective**” **The Rhode Island Foundation** *Providence RI*
- 1999 “**Front Line: Contemporary Draughtsmen in New England**” **The Boston Athenaeum** *Boston MA*
- 1998 **Associated American Artists** *New York NY*
Bristol Art Museum *Juror’s First Prize Bristol RI*
- 1997 **Allan Stone Gallery** *New York NY*
Hunt Cavanagh Gallery, Providence College *Providence RI*
- 1995 **Exhibition and Symposium, Rhode Island School of Design** *Providence RI*
“**Studio Aperto**” **Studio Claudio Carli** *Assisi Italy*
Virginia Lynch Gallery *Tiverton RI*
- 1994 **Yale University Gallery** *New Haven CT*
Hera Gallery *Wakefield RI*
- 1993 “**11 Artists /11 Visions**” **DeCordova Museum** *Lincoln MA*
Selected Faculty Works, Rhode Island School of Design *Providence RI*
171 Cedar Arts Center *Corning NY*
Hydrangea Gallery *Newport RI*
- 1992 **Cornell University** *Ithaca NY*
“**Drawing: Across the Board**” **Maryland College of Art MD** and **Bucks County Community College PA**
- 1991, 1990 **European Honors Program Gallery, Rhode Island School of Design** *Rome Italy*
- 1990 **Residence of the United States Ambassador** *Rome Italy*
- 1989 **Urban Institute of Contemporary Art** *Grand Rapids MI*
Virginia Lynch Gallery *Tiverton RI*
- 1987 – 2017 **Biennial Faculty Exhibitions, Museum of Art, Rhode Island School of Design** *Providence RI*

LECTURES, VISITING ARTIST

- 2016 **“Drawing and the Brain” Symposium** Presenter; Indiana University Center for Art + Design *Columbus IN*
- 2015 **Eastern Illinois University** *Charleston IL*
Featured Artist: Art & Design Today Peru State College *Peru NE*
- 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014, 2013, 2012, 2011, 2010, 2009, 2008, 2007
Harvard University, Graduate School of Design Lecturer; Summer Program *Cambridge MA*
- 2012 **Solo Juror** Annual Bristol Art Museum Juried Exhibition *Bristol RI*
- 2011 **The Distinguished Bryant Lecturer, Kansas State University** *Manhattan KS*
State University of New York, Purchase *Purchase NY*
Indiana University *Bloomington IN*
Rhode Island School of Design Department of Illustration Lecturer, Critic *Providence RI*
- 2011, 2010, 2009, 2008, 2007, 2006, 2004 **Parsons School of Design** *New York NY*
- 2010 **University of Arkansas** School of Architecture Summer Urban Studio *Mexico*
- 2008 **Harvard University, Graduate School of Design** Lecturer, Pecha Kucha #4 *Cambridge MA*
The Bauhaus, Architecture Visiting Student Group Drawing Workshop, Lecturer, Critic
Dessau Germany and *RISD Department of Architecture Providence RI*
- 2008, 2007, 2001, 2000, 1999, 1997 **Harvard University, Graduate School of Design** Lecturer, Critic *Cambridge MA*
- 2008, 2002, 2001, 1994, 1991 **Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, School of Architecture** Lecturer, Visiting Critic *Rome Italy*
- 2008, 2002, 1999, 1995, 1994 **Rhode Island School of Design, European Honors Program** Lecturer, Critic *Rome Italy*
- 2008 **Rhode Island School of Design** Lecturer, Symposium on Teaching and Learning *Providence RI*
- 2003 **Cranbrook Academy of Art** Lecturer, Critic *Bloomfield Hills MI*
- 2002, 1994, 1991 **Tyler School of Art/ Temple University Rome** *Rome Italy*
- 2001, 1999, 1997, 1996 **University of Massachusetts** *Dartmouth MA*
- 2000 **Auburn University, College of Architecture, Design & Construction** *Auburn AL*
- 1995 **Aegean Center for the Fine Arts** *Paros Greece*

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Arkansas Arts Center *Little Rock AR*
Boston Athenaeum *Boston MA*
Columbia Museum of Art *Columbia SC*
DeCordova Museum and Sculpture Park *Lincoln MA*
Fitchburg Art Museum *Fitchburg MA*
Herbert F. Johnson Museum of Art, Cornell University *Ithaca NY*
Keuka College *Keuka Park NY*
Museum of Art, Rhode Island School of Design *Providence RI*
Parrocchia Lateranese di Sant’ Agnese fuori le Mura *Rome Italy*
Saint Leo University *St. Leo FL*
SGC International Archive, Millsaps College *Jackson MS*
Tyler School of Art / Temple University Printmaking Permanent Collection *Philadelphia PA*

HONORS, AWARDS, PUBLISHED ARTICLES

- 2017 **Book and Website Essay and Poems, *The Work of John Udvardy***
- 2017 **NAEA National Convention: Presenters' Workshop: "A Place in Your Heart: Exploring the Work of Thomas Lyon Mills"** by Professors Patricia Belleville, Katelin Portz, Kelsey Thrush *New York, NY*
- 2016, 2008, 2004, 1999, 1998, 1994, 1993 **Professional Development Grants, *Rhode Island School of Design***
- 2013 **Loom** art magazine, inaugural issue *central spread*
- 2011, 1998, 1992 **Rhode Island State Council on the Arts Fellowship in Painting** (First Prizes in Painting)
- 2011, 2009, 2007, 2004 **Division of Foundation Studies Grants *Rhode Island School of Design***
- 2008 **Catalog and Website Essay, *The Work of Jonathan Hynd***
- 2005, 2004 **Who's Who Among America's Teachers**
- 2001 **Catalog Essay, Hackett-Freedman Gallery "John Evans: the Intimacy of Deep Space" *San Francisco CA***
- 1999 **Essay, *RISD Views*, December Issue *Providence RI* "Pathways to the Invisible"**
- 1996 **John R. Frazier Award for Excellence in Teaching *RI School of Design***
- 1992 **MacDowell Colony Fellowship *Peterborough NH***

EDUCATION

- 1980 **MFA Cranbrook Academy of Art *Bloomfield Hills MI***
- 1978 **BFA Cleveland Institute of Art *Cleveland OH***
- 1977 **Yale Summer School of Music and Art *Norfolk CT***

Foreign Language Experience: Fluency in Italian

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