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## **Selected Exhibitions**

- 2013** *Solo Exhibition*, Perimeter Gallery, Chicago, IL (1.11-2.25)
- 2012** *Ariel's Song: New Paintings by Paul Rinaldi*, Circa Gallery, Minneapolis, MN (9.21-10.27)  
*Something Sacred*, Imogen Holloway Gallery, Saugerties, NY (November 2-December 2)  
*Tactile Encounters*, Kemper Gallery, Paul V. Galvin Library, Illinois Institute of Technology
- 2011** *Solo Exhibition*, Perimeter Gallery, Chicago, IL  
*Fused*, Black Cloud Gallery, Chicago, IL  
*New Encaustic Explorations*, Noyes Cultural Arts Center, Evanston, IL  
*Summer Group Exhibition*, Circa Gallery, Minneapolis
- 2010** *Encaustic: Hot Art*, The Art Center, Highland Park, IL  
*Summer Group Exhibition*, Circa Gallery, Minneapolis, MN  
*Art Chicago*, Perimeter Gallery, Chicago, IL  
*Brainstorm*, Visual Arts Gallery, Governors State University, University Park, IL  
*Fused Chicago II*, Gallery 537, Chicago, IL
- 2009:** *Winter Show*, Circa Gallery, Minneapolis, MN  
*Fused! Art & Wax in Chicago*, Gallery 537, Chicago, IL
- 2008:** *The Drawing Show*, Beverly Arts Center, Chicago, IL  
*Regional Faculty Exhibition*, Visual Arts Gallery, Governors State University, University Park, IL
- 2007:** *Summer Show*, Shimmery Gallery Munster, IN
- 2006:** *Group Exhibition*, Perimeter Gallery, Chicago, IL  
*Intersections*, Shimmery Gallery, Munster, IN (solo exhibition)  
*Group Exhibit*, EXP Gallery, Chicago, IL  
*10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Show*, Christopher Art Gallery, Prairie State College, IL
- 2005:** *New in Chicago*, Gwenda Jay Addington Gallery, Chicago, IL  
*3 x 5*, CRN Exhibition Space, Chicago, IL  
*Emergence*, Traveling group show: EXP Gallery (Chicago), Lincoln Land College (Jacksonville), Governors State University, IL, Prairie State College, IL  
*In House III*, Christopher Art Gallery, Prairie State College, IL
- 2004:** *Halleluiah*, Union Street Gallery, Chicago Heights, IL  
*2004 Regional Exhibition*, Governors State University, IL
- 2003:** *Islands in a Stream Juried Exhibit*, Union Street Gallery, Chicago Heights, IL  
*2003 Resident Exhibition*, Union Street Gallery, IL  
*In House II*, Christopher Gallery, Prairie State College, IL
- 2002:** *Hidden Memories* (solo exhibition), Dorothea Thiel Gallery, South Suburban College, South Holland, IL  
*2002 Regional Exhibition*, Governors State University, IL  
*Remembering the People of September 11<sup>th</sup>*, Purdue North Central University, IN  
*Reflections: September 11<sup>th</sup> and Beyond*, Christopher Gallery, PSC, IL
- 2001:** *Passage* (solo exhibition), Tall Grass Art Gallery, Park Forest, IL

**Selected Exhibitions (cont.)**

- 2000:** *Ten American Artists*, (traveling exhibit)  
 ▪ Case Museum, Jersey City, NJ      ▪ Harkov, Ukraine      ▪ Odessa Fine Arts Museum, Odessa  
 ▪ Simpheropol Museum, Crimea      ▪ Russian Museum of Decorative and Fine Arts, Moscow  
*2000 Regional Exhibition*, Visual Arts Gallery, Governors State University, University Park, IL
- 1999:** *Annual Winter Exhibition*, The Painting Center, Greene St., New York City
- 1998:** *The Seventh Seal* (solo), Ragab Gallery, Giza, Egypt
- 1997:** *Nida Invitational Exhibit*, Hanager Gallery, Cairo, Egypt  
*Rinaldi/Coash: New Works*, Ewart Art Gallery, Cairo, Egypt  
*Sacred Spaces*, Group Exhibition, Ragab Gallery, Cairo, Egypt
- 1996:** *New Paintings & Photographs* (solo), O'Connor Gallery, Rosary College, River Forest, IL  
*Cairo Tapestry: An Installation of Drawings, Photographs and Video* (solo),  
 ARC Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1995:** *New Paintings* (solo), Lukacs Art Gallery, Fairfield University, Fairfield, CT  
*Works from the Collection of the American University in Cairo*, Ewart Art Gallery,  
 The American University in Cairo, Egypt
- 1994:** *Paul Rinaldi* (solo), The Egyptian Center for International Cultural Cooperation, Cairo, Egypt
- 1993:** *Paul Rinaldi, Paintings and Photographs* (solo), Center for the Arts,  
 Akhnaton Gallery IV, Cairo, Egypt  
*Group Exhibition*, Thomas J. Walsh Art Gallery, Fairfield University, Fairfield, CT
- 1992:** *Recent Paintings & Photographs* (solo), Ewart Art Gallery, AUC, Egypt
- 1990:** *New Paintings* (solo), Tompkins Square Gallery, New York City
- 1989:** *Summer Group Exhibition*, The Penson Gallery, New York City
- 1988:** *Paul Rinaldi New Works* (solo), The Penson Gallery, New York City  
*New Paintings* (solo), Merril Hall Gallery, New York University, New York City  
*M.F.A. Thesis Exhibition*, Museum of the Borough of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, NY  
*Art of the Northeast USA*, Silvermine Guild, New Canaan, CT  
 Juror: Lowery Stokes Sims, Curator, Metropolitan Museum of Art, NYC  
*Barnum Juried Exhibition*, Museum of Art, Science and Industry, Bridgeport, CT  
*Sheffield Art League Juried Exhibition*, Sheffield, MA  
*Oak Room Juried Exhibition*, Fairfield, CT
- 1987:** *Recent Paintings* (solo), Merril Hall Gallery, New York University, New York City  
*Annual Juried '87*, The Queens Museum, Queens, NY  
*Grümbacher Emerging Artist's Exhibition*, Gregg Galleries, Gramercy Park, NYC
- 1986:** *Art of the Northeast USA*, Silvermine Guild, New Canaan, CT  
*Springfield Art League Juried Exhibition*, Museum of Fine Arts, Springfield, MA
- 1985:** Solo Exhibition, Tower Library, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA  
*Oak Room Juried Exhibition*, Fairfield, CT  
*Art Against Apartheid*, Student Union Gallery, University of MA, Amherst

## Mural Projects

- 2006:** Garfield School, Chicago Hts., IL  
**2004/2005:** Prairie State College, Chicago Hts., IL (30 murals)  
**2003:** SouthStar Enterprises, Chicago Hts., IL (17 murals)

## Awards/Residencies

- 2004-05:** Resident Artist, Union Street Gallery, Chicago Heights, IL  
**2003:** Honorable Mention, *Islands in a Stream*, Union Street Gallery, Chicago Heights, IL  
 (Juried by Ruth Crnkovich, Director, Vietnam Veterans Museum of Art, Chicago, IL)  
**1999:** Resident Artist, Potash Artists Colony, Cummington, MA  
**1997/98** Grant for Photographic Research in Egypt, American University in Cairo  
**1994:** Research Grant, American University in Cairo  
**1992:** Resident Artist, Shona Artists Colony, Alexandria, Egypt  
**1988:** Individual Artist Grant, Artists Space, New York City  
**1987/88:** Graduate Fellowships, Brooklyn College, City University of New York  
**1986:** Silvermine Guild Award (First-Prize in Painting), *Art of the Northeast USA*  
 (Juried by Linda Shearer, Curator, Museum of Modern Art, NYC)

## Education

- 1986-1988:** City University of New York, Brooklyn College  
 M.F.A., Painting and Drawing, 1988  
 Studied with Lee Bontecou, Philip Pearlstein, & Allan D'Arcangelo  
**1984-1986:** University of Massachusetts, Amherst  
 Graduate Studies in Art History and Painting  
**1980-1983:** Fairfield University, B.A., 1983  
 Post-Graduate Studies in Art, 1983--Urbino, Italy

## Teaching and Related Experience

- 2000-present:** *Professor/Coordinator of Fine Arts*, Prairie State College, Chicago Heights, IL  
**1999-2000:** *Adjunct Associate Professor of Art*, New York Institute of Technology, NY, NY  
**1999-2000:** *Museum Registrar/Preparator*, Bronx Museum of the Arts, Bronx, NY  
**1991-1998:** *Assistant Professor of Art*, The American University in Cairo, Egypt  
**1989-90:** *Adjunct Professor of Art*, Dowling College, Oakdale, NY  
**1987-88:** *Teaching Assistant: Drawing & Design*, Brooklyn College, City University of New York  
**1985-86:** *Teaching Assistant*, University of Massachusetts, Amherst  
**1983-84:** *Teacher*, Peace Corps Volunteer, Fiji

## Service to the Profession

- 2005:** Visiting Artist, *Artist in Action*, Greenbriar School, Chicago Hts., IL  
 Juror, 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Park Forest Art Fair  
**2003/04:** Juror, *Chicago Southland Chamber of Commerce Art Fair*, Homewood, IL  
**1998:** Selection Committee Member, The Bi-national Fulbright Commission in Egypt  
**1996:** External Referee, The Bi-national Fulbright Commission in Egypt