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Collections: Partial listing

Victoria and Albert Museum, London, England

Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, NY

The Gutenberg Museum, Mainz, Germany

The Library of Congress, Washington, DC

Yale University, Sterling Library, Art of the Book Collection, New Haven CT

Princeton University, Firestone Library, Princeton, NJ

Harvard University, The Fine Arts Library and The Houghton Library

The New York Public Library, Spencer Collection and Special Collections, NY, NY

Library of Congress, Washington DC

The Getty Research Center for the Arts and Humanities, Santa Monica, CA

Smith College Library Rare Book Room, Northampton, MA

Columbia University, Loew Library, NY, NY

Trinity College, Watkinson Library, Hartford, CT

Swarthmore College, McCabe Library, Swarthmore, PA

University of Delaware, Morris Library, Wilmington, DE

Temple University, Paley Library, Phil. PA

University of Delaware, Wilmington, DE

Exhibits: partial listing

2002 Challenge Exhibition 3, Samuel S. Fleisher Art Memorial, Philadelphia PA

2001 "Altered Egos" Borowsky Gallery Philadelphia, Pa

2001 "Turtle Island Press" Chester County Art Association

2000 "The Art of the Book" Canadian Book Arts Guild traveling through provinces

1999 "Between shadowed walls, the forest tilts, Nexus Foundation for Today's Art, Phil. PA

1998 "The Uncanny" Philadelphia Art Alliance, Phil. PA invitational painting exhibit, four person

1997 "through a window in the forest wall", Nexus Foundation for Today's Art

1997-98"The Art of the Book", Canadian Book Arts Guild, Toronto, Canada (traveling)

1997-98 "Story Telling" Minnesota Center for the Book Arts, Minneapolis, MN

1996 "Mysterious Worlds", Center for the Book Arts, NY, NY

"Shape Shifting, Transformations in the Art of the Book", University of CO, Greeley, CO

1995 "Turtle Island Press, Twenty Years", Drexel University, Design Arts Gallery, Phil., PA

1994 "The Book Unbound", Ormond Memorial Art Museum, Ormond, FL

1994 "in this story no one dies", Muse Gallery, Phil. PA,

Professional Experience

1976-present, proprietor of Turtle Island Press, specializing in limited edition artist books

1996-2000 President of Board of Directors, Nexus Foundation for Todays' Art, Phila. PA

1992-97 Chair of Delaware Valley Guild of Bookworkers, local chapter of national guild

1994 Co-Curator of "Unique Books", one of a kind artist book show, Nexus Gallery, Phil., PA

Teaching

1989-present, professor, Drexel University, "Bookmaking"

1988- present, assist. Prof. Philadelphia University, foundation design

Awards

2001 Awarded Challenge Exhibition at Fleisher Art Memorial, Philadelphia, PA

1991 Artists in Residence, Wales, UK. Travel grant awarded by the British American Arts Association 1987 Philadelphia-Tainjin Artist Travel Grant, City of Philadelphia Department of Art and Culture

Education

1966-71 Rochester Institute of Technology, BFA Illustration

1975-76 Rochester Institute of Technology, MFA, Printmaking