

Randy Colosky

Kansas City Art Institute BFA Ceramics 1987

Grants and Awards

KALA Art Institute Residency 2011
The Andy Warhol Foundation for the Visual Arts 2010
The Zellerbach Family Foundation 2010
The Fleishhacker Foundation 2010

Upcoming Projects

Chandra Cerrito Contemporary Oakland CA. Solo Show October 2014
429 Market St Building San Francisco CA. Atrium Public Art Installation December 2014
Bryant St Gallery Palo Alto CA. Solo Show March 2015

Public Art Projects

2014

Paradise Ridge Winery Santa Rosa CA "20 at 20" Monumental sculpture show to celebrate 20 years of outdoor art shown at Paradise Ridge. Curated by Debra Lahane

San Francisco Public Art Commission Mural for Subway construction Wall
Ellipses is the Key of Blue: a 140 ft. long x 8 ft. tall, digitally printed drawing mounted on plywood construction wall barricade.

Cultural Arts & Marketing, Department of Economic and Workforce Development, Downtown Oakland Art Park Oakland CA "The Kenwood Experiment" 9.5' tall x 7' wide x 8' depth Reclaimed 8"x12" Douglas Fir Timbers

2013

101 California Building San Francisco CA
Hansei Triptica: 18' tall x 30' wide triptic photographic installation
Karesansui: engineered ceramic sculpture with large photographic backdrop
Curated by Kerri Hurtado

Cultural Arts & Marketing, Department of Economic and Workforce Development, Downtown Oakland Art Park Oakland CA Barbican
2: 6' x 3' x 6" engineered ceramic sculpture
redwood timber sculpture
Installed in Downtown Oakland
The pressure to hold it together: 8' x 12'
Curated by Kristen Zeremba and Steven Huss

2012

San Francisco Arts Commission Gallery San Francisco CA
The Air and Space Museum: grow room and stop motion video of plants growing
3-month project in gallery with large public window
Curated by Aimee Le Duc and Meg Shiffler

2011

ATA Left Window Gallery San Francisco CA
The Shape of Things That Happen: Window installation of sculptural Victorian Molding
Curated by Liz Wing

Solo Exhibitions

2013

Chandra Cerrito Contemporary Oakland CA
The Shape of Things That Happen Again, Large-scale sculptures

2012

K Imperial Fine Arts San Francisco CA
Infrastructure, Glass and Bronze Sculptures

Gallery Hijinks San Francisco CA
New Works, Template Drawings on Paper

2011

Perdita Productions Geyserville CA.
Fiat Lux; new works by Randy Colosky, Large-scale sculpture installations and drawings
Curated by Natasha Boaz and Jennifer McCabe

Museum of Craft and Folk Art San Francisco CA
Fiat Lux; new works by Randy Colosky, Large-scale sculpture installations and drawings
Curated by Natasha Boaz and Jennifer McCabe

2010

Ampersand International Arts San Francisco CA
Secret Handshake, Sculpture and mixed media installation
Curated by Tracy Wheeler and Bruno Mauro

2008

Adobe Books Back Room San Francisco CA
The Circus (in my mind) is in Town, Collage and drawings

2006

Space 868 Bolinas CA
Randy Colosky, Curated by Molly Marcoltuli

Selected Group Exhibitions

2014

Front Room Gallery New York NY Reflection/Refraction Curated by Jillian Macintosh
The Battery San Francisco CA.

2013

Incline Gallery San Francisco CA Space 1999
Berkeley Arts Passageway Berkeley CA Voulkos Inspired Curated by Amanda Curreri
Root Division San Francisco CA Permutations Unfolding Curated By Tobias Tollover
Chandra Cerrito Contemporary Project Art Fair Miami FL
Southern Exposure Juried Show "This will never work" Curated by Cornelia Pepon

2012

Highlight Gallery San Francisco CA 3020 Laguna Street In Exitum
Curated by Amir Mortazavi and David Kasperzak
KALA Art Institute Berkeley CA Fellowship Awards Show
Krowworks Gallery Oakland CA Documento Curated by Jasmine Moorehead
Luggage Store San Francisco CA Streetopia Curated by Chris Johanson and Eric Lyle
Chandra Cerrito Contemporary Oakland CA "You can make art by trying to make art"

Chandra Cerrito Contemporary

A show about the influence of the art of David Ireland Curated by Chandra Cerrito
K imperial Fine Art Aqua Art Fair Miami FL

2011

Incline Gallery San Francisco CA Time x Time Curated by Nicola Torres
Adobe Books Back Room San Francisco CA Stacked and Multiplied Curated by Devon Bella

2010

ATA Left Window San Francisco CA The Shape of Things That Happen Curated by Liz Wing

2009

Southern Exposure San Francisco CA Alchemy Curated by Sarah Smith
Shelter Surf Shop Huntington Beach CA Deeper Visions 2
Huntington Beach Arts Huntington Beach CA Art and Furniture

2008

The Lab San Francisco CA Sysgy Juried by Misako Inoka and David Cunningham
Kavi Gupta Gallery Chicago IL Vaguely Paperly Curated by Chris Johanson
Hallway Bathroom Gallery San Francisco CA Portrait Show Curated by Brian Nuda Rosch

2006

Jack Hanley Gallery Frieze Art Fair London UK
Low Gallery San Francisco CA The Excavation Project
Mollusk Surf Shop San Francisco CA Inaugural Exhibition

2005

Hosfelt Gallery San Francisco CA MTheory Curated by Diane Dec

Events and Lectures

2014

The Battery San Francisco CA Artist Panel Discussion
Southern Exposure San Francisco CA
LIFT OFF!!: created and launched baking soda and vinegar rockets
One day live event Curated by Daniel Nevers
Root Division San Francisco CA Artist Panel Discussion

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Chandra Cerrito Contemporary

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