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Commissions

2000

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2010-11	Sculpture Commission, Founder: C.W. Lonsdale & Dog, Bronze, Shawnigan Lake School, B.C. Canada	
2009	Private Sculpture Commission, Rick & Debbie Oehmcke, Daughters: Candice & Jackie, Portrait	
	Bust, Bronze, Gig Harbor, WA	
2008-09	Life Size Sculpture Commission, St. Anthony & Child, Bronze, St. Anthony Hospital Main Lobby,	
	Franciscan Health System, Gig Harbor, WA	
2007	Private Sculpture Commission, Don & Sharon Castle, <i>Father & Sons</i> , Bronze, Sun Valley, ID	
2005-06	Sculpture Commission for City of Gig Harbor, Skansie Brothers Park Medallion, WA	
Exhibitions		
2011	Language of Sculpture, Juried Show, PNW Sculptors, Lake Oswego, OR	
2010	Allied Artists of America, Inc 97 th Annual Exhibition, The National Arts Club, NYC, NY	
2010	12 th Annual Portrait Society of America International Exhibition, Washington D.C.	
2010	RISE: Fine Art Exhibit, Seattle Design Center, EDGE Graduates Group Show, Seattle, WA	
2010	CVG Show, Collective Visions Gallery, Washington State Juried Art Competition, Bremerton, WA	
2009	St. Anthony Hospital Grand Opening Celebration, Gig Harbor, WA	
2009	CVG Show, Collective Visions Gallery, Washington State Juried Art Competition, Bremerton, WA	
2009	Portland International Airport, PNW Sculptors, Juried Regional Arts & Culture Council, Portland, OR	
2008	Sotto Voce, Fairhaven Mausoleum Art Exhibit, Juried LCAD Alumni, Santa Ana, CA	
2008	Tacoma Art Museum Gala, Juried Art Sale, Tacoma, WA	
2008	Gig Harbor Open Studio Tour, Gig Harbor, WA	
2008	Portal Party, Real Carriage Door Company Open House & Art Show, Gig Harbor, WA	
2007	Gig Harbor Open Studio Tour, Gig Harbor, WA	
2006-07	Dawn to Dawn, Traveling Exhibit "Jacob's Struggle" Orange, Riverside, Capo Beach, Irvine, CA	
2006	Showcase Tacoma, Live Sculpting, Tacoma, WA	
2006	Pt. Defiance Flower & Garden Show, Juried Sculpture Garden, Tacoma, WA	
2006	Skansie Brother's Park Medallion Dedication, Gig Harbor, WA	
2006	After the Edge, EDGE Group Show, Works Gallery, Bellingham, WA	
2005	Best of Northwest, Magnuson Park, Seattle, WA	
2005	Pacific Rim Miniature Show, Lakewood Gallery, WA	
2005	Puyallup Art & Wine Walk, Puyallup, WA	
2005	Lone Wolf Project, Fine Art Exhibition and Open House Design-Built by Don Rees, Gig Harbor, WA	
2004	Seeing Red, Lynwood Arts Commission Juried Art Show, Lynwood, WA	
2004	Coast Hills Community Church, Solo Exhibition of "Jacob's Struggle", Aliso Viejo, CA	
2003	Coast Hills Community Church, Annual Exhibition, Aliso Viejo, CA	
2003	Richard MacDonald Gallery, First Thursdays Art Walk, Laguna Beach, CA	
2003	Shards of Imagination, Saddleback Church Gallery, Lake Forest, CA	
2003	War & Peace, Laguna College of Art & Design, Laguna Beach, CA	
2003	Eckstrom Senior Show, Laguna Beach, CA	
2000-03	Laguna College of Art & Design Gallery, Juried Show, Laguna Beach, CA	
2002-03	Art Affair at Gallery 1951, Resident Artist, Laguna Beach, CA	
2002	Person, Place or Thing, Open Studio Show, Gig Harbor, WA	
2002	Laguna's Cliff Cottages, Laguna Beach, CA	
2002	Laguna College of Art & Design Gallery, Juried Show, Best of Sculpture, Laguna Beach, CA	

Sculpture selected for NASAD Portfolio Day, Laguna College of Art & Design, Laguna Beach, CA

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Awards & Honors

2011	Honorable Mention, Portrait Society of America, Member's Only Competition
2010	Gold Medal of Honor, Allied Artists of America, Inc 97 th Annual Exhibition, NYC
2010	Finalist in Sculpture, Art Renewal Center 2009/2010 Salon
2010	First Honor, Portrait Society of America International Exhibition, Washington D.C.
2009	Sculpture Only Industry Award, Chavant Inc. for "Truth Beloved," Fall 2009
2009	Sculptural Pursuit, Sculpture Only Industry Award, Chavant Inc. for "Truth Beloved," Fall 2009
2008	Margaret K. Williams Award, for Excellence in the Arts in the "Career Category", Juried by Pierce
	County Arts Commission, Nominated by the Gig Harbor Rotary Club, Tacoma, WA
2000-03	Portfolio Scholarship, Laguna College of Art & Design, Laguna Beach, CA
2002	President of Student Body, Laguna College of Art & Design, Laguna Beach, CA
1998	Certificate of Merit, Art I, II, III, IV, Academia Alianza, Quito, Ecuador
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2011	Portrait Society of America, Tallahassee, FL
2011	Allied Artist of America, New York, NY
2008-11	Pacific Northwest Sculptors, Portland, OR
2009-11	Seattle Sculptors Guild, Seattle, WA
2005-11	Gig Harbor Rotary Club Member, Gig Harbor, WA
2005-11	Artist Trust Member Seattle WA

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Collections

Shawnigan Lake School, Shawnigan Lake, B.C. Canada Franciscan Health Systems, St. Anthony Hospital, Main Lobby, Gig Harbor, WA City of Gig Harbor, Skansie Brothers Park, Gig Harbor, WA Rick & Debbie Oehmcke, Gig Harbor, WA Don & Sharon Castle, Sun Valley, ID Peter & Janet Stanley, Tacoma, WA Floyd & Sandra Olsen, Gig Harbor, WA

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Charlee Glock-Jackson, "Local Sculptor Wins Prestigious Portrait Award" Gig Harbor Life, May 28, 2010.

Steve Meltzer, "Struggling Toward the Light: Gig Harbor Sculptress Mardie Rees," Westsound Home & Garden, Summer 2009.

Susan Schell, "St. Anthony Statue Comes Together," Peninsula Gateway, November 26, 2008.

Gregg McClellan, "Sculptor Mardie Rees with her sculpture St. Anthony & Child being assembled at the

Foundry," C-RCC Pierce County News Channel 22, November 20, 2008

Gregg McClellan, "Margaret K. Williams Award Ceremony", C-RCC Pierce County News 22, November 13, 2008

Susan Schell, "Sculptor Rees Wins Art Award," Peninsula Gateway, October 29, 2008.

Susan Schell, "Mardie Has Created Life Size Statue of St. Anthony," Peninsula Gateway, October 15, 2008.

Gale Robinette, "Original art to enhance Healing Environment at St. Anthony Hospital," Franciscan Health!, Summer, 2008.

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Callie White, "Melding Art with History," Peninsula Gateway, April 19, 2006.

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Brent Champaco, "Is a Woman's Place in the Art?," *Tacoma News Tribune*, September 9, 2005.

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Colleen McBrinn, "Designer Shares Passion for Modernistic Simplicity," *Seattle Times*, July 30, 2005. Kalyn Kelly, "House is Home to Unique Design", *Peninsula Gateway*, July, 2005.

Education

2005 EDGE Program, Artist Trust, Seattle, WA

2003 Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree, Laguna College of Art & Design, Laguna Beach, CA