

Joan K. Russell

Education:

Master of Fine Art, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO  
Bachelor of Fine Art, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI  
Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture, Skowhegan, MA  
Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI

Exhibitions:

2011-2020  
Diane West Gallery, cont'd showing. Durango, CO  
2018  
Durango Art Center FOAL gallery, Herding Chaos, solo show, Durango CO  
2016  
Durango Art Center, White Season, group show Durango, CO  
Gallery 81435, Telluride, CO Solo show  
2015  
Gallery 81435, Telluride, CO Solo show  
Studio & , Group show, Durango, CO  
2014  
Eggman and Walrus, art installation: Down the Rabbit Hole, Santa Fe, NM  
Gallery 81435, Telluride, CO Solo show  
Durango Art Center, Art Installation:Down the Rabbit Hole with Sandra  
Butler and Jeff Madeen.  
2013  
Gallery 145, Group Show, Durango. CO  
Abstraction show at Durango Art Center, curator, Durango, CO  
2011  
Sylvia White Gallery, group show, Ojai, CA  
Eno Gallery, Slipperiness of Meaning, solo show, Durango, CO  
Durango Art Center, Foreign Spaces, 2-person show, Durango, CO  
2010  
Fort Lewis College Art Gallery, In2itive, 2-person show Durango, CO  
2000-2010  
Ellis West Gallery, various shows, Durango, CO  
2005  
Fort Lewis College, Faculty Show, Durango, CO  
2002-2005  
Boulder Museum of Contemporary Art, group show, Boulder, CO  
2003  
Fort Lewis College Art Gallery, Faculty show, Durango, CO  
2002  
Carson Masuoka Gallery, Summer show, Denver, Co  
2001  
Cambridge Art Assoc. Juried show, Cambridge , MA  
Durango Art Center, Juried show, Best of Show, Durango, CO  
2000-2002  
Fort Lewis College Art Gallery, Solo show, Durango, CO  
Fort Lewis College Art Gallery, Faculty show, Durango, CO  
Durango Art Center, Juried show, Durango, CO  
1995-1997  
Durango Art Center, various shows, Durango, CO  
Hermosa Fine Arts Gallery, Durango CO  
1992-1993

Foothills Art Center, Colorado Art Open, Golden, CO  
1991  
Boulder Museum of Contemporary Art, Juried Show, Boulder, CO  
Spark Gallery, group show, Denver, CO  
1988  
Univ. Memorial Center Gallery, Solo Show, Boulder, CO  
1987  
Boulder Museum of Contemporary Art, Colorado Open, Boulder, CO  
1986  
Midwest Museum of Art, Annual Show, Elkhart, IN  
Boulder Museum of Contemporary Art, Boulder, CO  
1985  
University of Colorado Fine Arts Gallery, Thesis Show, Boulder, CO  
1984  
Spark Gallery, Group show, Denver, CO

Work Experience:

2005- present, Full time Artist  
2015, Curator Pivot Point Durango Art Center  
2012, Juror, Durango Autumn Arts Festival  
Curator, Abstract Expressions, Durango Art Center  
2010-2012 Adult Art teacher Durango Art Center  
2004- 2005 Visiting Assistant Professor of Art, Fort Lewis College  
drwg/ptg  
1999 - 2003 Adj. Prof. of Art, Fort Lewis College, Painting and Design  
1991 - 1996 Freelance Artist , Illustration and graphic Design  
1988 - 1991 Sr. Art Director, MGA, Inc, Denver, CO  
1984 - 1986 Painting and drawing Instructor, University of Colorado,  
Dept. of Fine Arts, Boulder, CO

Awards and Residencies:

2001-2003 Anderson Ranch  
2000 Durango Arts Center, Best of Show, Durango, CO  
1995 Durango Arts Center, Merit Award, Durango, CO  
1987 Bemis Foundation, Artist Residency, Omaha, NE  
1986 University of CO., Teaching Excellence Award, Boulder, CO  
1986 University of CO., Doctoral Fellowship, Boulder, CO  
1982 Skowhegan School of Ptg. and Sculpture, Skowhegan, ME