

Curriculum Vitae
Robert Maxwell Schwartz

Education

- 2015-2017 Master of Visual Arts (Advanced) School of Art and Design, Australian National University, ACT Australia
- 2007-2014 Bachelor of Fine Arts^[1] (Majoring in Glass^[1] and Visual Communications) Minor in Graphic Arts Technologies, Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana USA

Selected Professional Experience

- 2019-Present Craftsman (part time) at Fink and Co, Queanbeyan NSW Aus
- 2018-Present Casual Glass Blowing Instructor, Canberra Glassworks, ACT Aus
- 2015-Present Sessional Hot Shop Assistant for Artists including; Mel Douglas, Tom Rowney, Nadege Desgentetez, Ben Edols, Brian Corr, Matt Curtis, Harriet Schwarzrock, Martin Janecky, Andrew Baldwin, Ben Wright, Annette Blair, Holly Grace, Jenni Martinello.
- 2017-2019 Casual Technical Officer, Canberra Glassworks, ACT Aus.
- 2019 Jacks and Punties high school glass blowing program, ANU School of Art and Design
- 2019 Gaffer for artist Giles Ryder
- 2017-2019 Sales Assistant, Toscan Glass, NSW Aus.
- 2015-2017 Sessional Studio Assistant for Artists; Nadege Desgentetez, Richard Whiteley, Mel Douglas
- 2017 Gaffer Glass components for artist Juz Kitson
- 2017 Assistant in the making of the Australian of the Year Awards.
- 2014- 2015 Production Gaffer/Assistant/Instructor, Flame Run Glass Studio, Kentucky USA

Selected Exhibitions

- 2020 National Emerging Art Glass Prize, National Art Glass Gallery, Wagga Wagga NSW
- 2018 National Emerging Art Glass Prize, National Art Glass Gallery, Wagga Wagga NSW
- 2018 Ausglass Vicki Torr Online Gallery Prize, Australia
- 2017-2018 Home is Where the Heat is, Canberra Glasswork, ACT, Aus.
- 2017 Graduate Exhibition, ANU School of Art & Design Gallery, Canberra, Australia.
- 2017 Crafts ACT Members Exhibition, Cafts ACT Gallery, ACT, Australia.
- 2017 Random, ANU School of Art & Design Gallery, Canberra, Australia
- 2017 Ausglass Conference Members Exhibition, ANU School of Art Gallery, Canberra, Australia
- 2017 Ausglass Conference Student Exhibition, ANU School of Art Gallery, Canberra, Australia

Selected Workshops and Residencies

- 2020 Thomas Foundation Artist in Resident for 2020. Canberra Glassworks, ACT Australia
- 2017 Pablo Soto: Furnace Glass Blowing, Canberra Glassworks, Kingston, ACT Australia
- 2015 Martin Janckey: Glass Hot Sculpting, Canberra Glassworks, Kingston, ACT, Australia 2012
- Nadege Desgentetez: Glass Hot Shop, Pittsburgh Glass Center, Pittsburgh PA. USA 2013
- Selected Glass Intern, STARworks NC, North Carolina USA

Selected Commissions/Collections

- 2018 *Structural Void*, Permanent Collection of Canberra Glassworks, ACT, Australia
- 2016 Manufacturer of blown glass components for Sydney Harbour Bridge Heritage refurbishing project, NSW Roads and Maritime Services, Sydney NSW, Australia
- 2014 *Bowed Dual Towers*, Ball State University Student Center Art Gallery, Indiana USA
- 2013 *Untitled*, Starworks NC Collection, Star North Carolina, USA

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2012 *Weakest Link*, Ball State University School of Art Dean's Personal Collection, Muncie Indiana
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