

RUDY KISTLER

Curriculum Vitae

Born 1976

EDUCATION

- 2007 MFA (by research) National Art School, Sydney, Australia
- 2001 BFA, the School of the Art Institute of Chicago, U.S.A.
- 1998 Associate degree in Science, Olney Central College Olney, IL
- 1994 High school diploma, East Richland High school Olney, IL

EXHIBITIONS

- 2006 ArtScape, Albury Cellar Gallery, Paddington
- 2006 Beach Moments, Art moment gallery, Bondi
- 2005 Waverley Art Prize, Waverly arts council, Sydney
- 2005 Fonas exhibition, Cell block, National Art school, Sydney
- 2002 Spaces between places, Design Festa Gallery, Tokyo Japan
- 2001 Spaces: One man show, landscapes of the northwest U.S. Olney
- 2001 Gallery 2, Chicago IL. BFA graduating exhibition
- 2001 Garden walk, Decatur garden club, Decatur IL
- 2001 Pan-Asia festival, University of Chicago
- 1999 Verge show, Le Peep, Chicago
- 1999 Town and Country Art show, Juried, Vandalia IL
- 1999 Holiday art sale, SAIC, two works selected for the School's website
- 1998 One man show, Olney Central College, Olney IL
- 1998 One man, one month show, Purgatory, Vincennes IN

AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- 2006 2nd prize, Art Moment Gallery group exhibition, Sydney
- 2005 "Highly recommended" Waverly Arts Prize, Sydney
- 2003 Working Artist Visa, Japan
- 2001 Odyssey travel grant
- 1998 Olney Arts Council, Visual Art Scholarship
- 1996-05 Various town and country show awards for painting and sculpture

PERSONAL HISTORY

Upon graduation from the School of the Art Institute of Chicago, I left for Japan and resided there as an Artist until June, 2004. My last five years abroad (including trips to Korea, Germany, Spain and Morocco) have been spent examining cultures different from my own while creating artwork that reflects my own personal experience. I have been studying a Master of Fine Arts at The National Art School in Darlinghurst since March, 2005.