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RICHARD MACDONALD

"The purpose of my work is to enrich your life with art by capturing every facet of the human experience."

BIOGRAPHY Born in 1946 in Pasadena, California, MacDonald graduated from Art Center College, where he was classically trained. From this beginning, he became a self-taught sculptor who has spent the last 50 years reviving the lost art of figurative sculpture through innovation, passion, and intense commitment. The creation of an extensive body of singularly original works in bronze has brought his name to prominence. An illustrious career with many awards, honors, and public monuments marks Richard MacDonald as one of the leading contemporary figures in contemporary sculpture.

Richard MacDonald has given himself an artistic space to create in his Monterey studio. As a true visionary, he has synthesized modernist principles with the timeless human desire to create imaginative metaphors of the human psyche through the representation of the body. Whether as a public monument or treasured in private collections, each bronze by Richard MacDonald is part of an enduring legacy that brings figurative sculpture into the 21st century.

LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

The following extensive CV summarizes Richard MacDonald's 50-year career as an internationally successful artist.

It is important to note that the accolades, awards, and honors listed reveal the depth of the artist's influence on the art of his time. Some achievements speak of his encouragement of students and emerging artists who look to him as a mentor and awards and honors conferred by his peers who acknowledge his achievements and influence. Both ends of this spectrum give a sense of the artist's impact on Figurative Sculpture.

With his own foundry for pouring molten bronze under the roof of his extensive studio complex, Richard MacDonald has control over the quality of his sculpture that hasn't existed for artists since the early days of the Industrial Revolution. Making sculpture using the ancient "lost-wax" method is an intense and complex process—part engineering, part science, part industrial, all imaginatively designed to serve the artist's own creative process. Richard MacDonald Studio is committed to making a difference in mankind by passionately creating works of art of cultural and historical significance that dramatically enrich people's lives.

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CV

Richard MacDonald (American), 1946 –

1946 Born in Pasadena, California

Currently lives and works in Nevada and California

EDUCATION

1971 Los Angeles Art Center College of Design, Bachelors of Professional Arts, Cum Laude

1971-1982 Illustrator

1983-Present Sculptor (First Bronze, Self-Taught)

MONUMENTS & COMMISSIONS

2017 Design Plaza for The Grand Coda, Shenzhen, China

2017 Multiple Heroic Piece Installations in Multiple Sites, Shenzhen, China
Installation, Wuxi, China

2016 Joie de Vivre Heroic (for Mr. Lo), Taipei, Taiwan

2015 Ship Installations (Private Collector), Shenzhen, China, Coastal City, 2015-2017

2014 The Grand Coda, The Royal Ballet, London, UK

2004 The Honorable Mayor Willie Brown Bust, City of San Francisco, CA

2000 Momentum, 100th U.S. Open Championship, Pebble Beach, CA

1996 The Flair, 1996 Olympic Games, Centennial Park, Atlanta, GA

1990 William Henry Seward, Secretary of State, Loussac Public Library, Anchorage, AK

1988 ZJ Loussac Library, Anchorage, AL

1986 Architectonica, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studios Headquarters, Culver City, CA

1985 Christus Rex, St. Patrick's Episcopal Church, Atlanta, GA

1984 Stephen F. Austin, Sesquicentennial Celebration, Stephen F. Austin University, Austin, TX

AWARDS

2016 Lifetime Achievement Award, Arts Council for Monterey County, Monterey, California

2015 Honorary Doctorate, Laguna College of Art and Design, Laguna, California

2010 Honorary Professorship – SIVA, Shanghai, China

2001 Medal of Honor, Momentum – 100th U.S. Open, United States Sports Academy, AL

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1996 Montana Memorial Award, National Sculpture Society, New York, NY

1991 Gold Medal Winner, Knickerbocker Artists Annual Exhibit, New York, NY

1991 Best in Show, Los Angeles Art Center, Los Angeles, CA

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2020 Convergence of Spires – Virtual Exhibition, Dawson Cole Fine Art, CA

2018 30 Years of Creative Passion, Dawson Cole Fine Art, CA

2015 TRAC Exhibition and Lecture, Representational Art Conference, Cal Lutheran University, CA

2014 The First 25 Retrospective, Museo Europeu d'art Modern, Barcelona, Spain

2013 Reflections: The First Twenty Five, Dawson Cole Fine Art, CA

2013 Reflections: The First Twenty Five, The Art of Richard MacDonald, Las Vegas, NV

2013 Solo Exhibition, ArcArts Gallery, Taipei

2012 Magical Energies, Opera Gallery, Singapore

2012 Magical Energies, Dawson Cole Fine Art, CA

2012 Magical Energies, The Art of Richard MacDonald, Las Vegas, NV

2012 Seeing Through the Artist's Eye – Dawson Cole Fine Art, CA

2012 Seeing Through the Artist's Eye – The Art of Richard MacDonald, Las Vegas, NV

2012 Solo Exhibition, Shanghai Institute of Visual Arts, Shanghai, China

2012 Solo Exhibition, Taipei National University of Arts, Taipei

2011 Solo Exhibition, Cirque du Soleil Corporate Headquarters, Montreal, Canada

2011 London – Principals of The Royal Ballet, Dawson Cole Fine Art, CA

2011 London – Principals of The Royal Ballet, The Art of Richard MacDonald Las Vegas, NV

2010 Platinum + Unique, The Art of Richard MacDonald, Las Vegas, NV

2010 Platinum + Unique, Dawson Cole Fine Art, Various Locations, CA

2009 The Royal Ballet School, White Lodge, London, England

2009 The Creation Continues, Dawson Cole Fine Art, Various Locations, CA

2009 Inspired by Performance, The Art of Richard MacDonald, Las Vegas, NV

2009 The Light of Life, Dawson Cole Fine Art, Various Locations, CA

2009 The "O" Works, The Art of Richard MacDonald, Las Vegas, NV

2008 The Art of Richard MacDonald presented by Cirque du Soleil, Las Vegas NV

2008 60 Years of Creative Passion, Dawson Cole Fine Art, Various Locations, CA

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- 2008 Twenty Years of Sculpture, Dawson Cole Fine Art, Various Locations, CA
- 2007 Moments of Splendor, Dawson Cole Fine Art, Various Locations, CA
- 2007 Larger than Life, Dawson Cole Fine Art, Various Locations, CA
- 2007 Moments of Splendor, Galerie du Soleil, Naples, FL
- 2006 Life Uncovered, Dawson Cole Fine Art, Various Locations, CA
- 2006 Literary Sculpture Exhibition, National Sculpture Society, New York, NY
- 2005 Spirit of Dance, Dawson Cole Fine Art, Various Locations, CA
- 2004 Celebrating the Figure, Dawson Cole Fine Art, Various Locations, CA
- 2003 Cirque, Richard MacDonald Fine Art, Various Locations, CA
- 2003 Myth & Legend, Richard MacDonald Fine Art, Various Locations, CA
- 2002 The Flamenco, Richard MacDonald Fine Art, Various Locations, CA
- 2002 Blanc Noir, Richard MacDonald Fine Art, Various Locations, CA
- 2000 Merrill Chase Galleries, Chicago, IL
- 1998 Galleria di Sorrento, Las Vegas, NV
- 1996 Flair Across America, Ten-City Tour, USA
- 1996 The Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington D.C.
- 1996 P&C Fine Art, Washington D.C.
- 1996 Trinity Arts Group, Atlanta, GA
- 1995 Vanier-Roberts Gallery, Scottsdale, AZ
- 1994 Berzins-Roberts, Scottsdale, AZ
- 1994 Merrill Chase Galleries, Chicago, IL
- 1994 Simic Galleries, San Francisco, CA
- 1993 CFM Gallery, New York, NY
- 1993 Milwaukee Performing Arts Center, Milwaukee, WI
- 1993 Sybill/Dawson Fine Art, Carmel, CA
- 1993 CFM Gallery, New York, NY
- 1992 Merrill Chase Galleries, Chicago, IL
- 1992 Merrill Chase Galleries, Woodfield, IL
- 1992 Merrill Chase Galleries, Oakbrook, IL
- 1992 Merrill Chase Galleries, Atlanta, GA
- 1990 Gallery Americana, Carmel, CA

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1988 Gallery Americana, Carmel, CA

1983 Parco Gallery, Six Cities including Tokyo and Kyoto, Japan

1983 Parco Gallery, Six Cities, Korea

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2019 The Season for Impressionism, Off the Wall Gallery, Houston, TX

2017 Fine Art Holiday Spectacle: A Gift to You from Us, Cosmopolitan Fine Arts

2015 Dawson Cole Fine Art at Palm Springs Fine Art Fair, Palm Springs, CA

2013 National Sculpture Society 80th Annual Exhibition, Tampa Museum of Art, Tampa FL and Brookgreen Gardens, Pawley's Island SC

2012 Naples Museum Show, Visual Connection, 13 Sculptors, Naples, Italy

2012 Visual Connection – Painting, Sculpture and Photography Inspired by Dance, Naples Museum of Art, Naples, FL

2007 National Sculpture Society Exhibition, Tampa Museum of Art, Tampa FL

2007 74th Annual Exhibition, National Sculpture Society, New York, NY

2004 National Sculpture Society Exhibition, Brookgreen Gardens, SC

2002 Angels, Cupids & Winged Creatures of Fantasy, National Sculpture Society, New York, NY

2001 Annual Exhibition, National Sculpture Society, New York, NY

2001 National Sculpture Society Exhibition, Brookgreen Gardens, SC

2001 Animals in the Atrium, National Sculpture Society, New York, NY

2001 Excellence in Sculpture, National Sculpture Society, New York, NY

2000 The American Scene, The Van Vechten-Lineberry Taos Art Museum, Taos, NM

1999 Annual Exhibition, National Sculpture Society, New York, NY

1999 Everyday Life, National Sculpture Society, New York, NY

1999 The American Scene, The Van Vechten-Lineberry Taos Art Museum, Taos, NM

1997 Contemporary Sculpture at Chesterwood, Stockbridge, MA (curated by Boston Museum of Art)

1996 Annual Exhibition, National Sculpture Society, New York, NY

1996 Making Faces Exhibition, National Sculpture Society, New York, NY

1996 Maquette to Monument Exhibition, National Sculpture Society, New York, NY

1994 100 Years of the National Sculpture Society of American in Italy, Saravezza, Italy

1991 Knickerbocher Artists Annual Exhibit, The Salmagundi Club, New York, NY

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1989 Annual Exhibition, New York One Show, 25th Anniversary of The National Art, National Sculpture Society, New York, NY (1989-2006)

1989 National Parkinson Foundation Exhibition, National Sculpture Society Annual.

SELECTED INSTALLATIONS

Founding Cities, Nacogdoches, TX

Fragments, Governor's Mansion, Austin, TX

TEACHING

Discover Living Master, Laguna College of Art Design, July 2015

Master Class: Figurative Sculpture, Laguna College of Art of Design, Spring 2014

Guest Lecturer, Taipei National University of Arts, 2012

Appointed as Honorary Professor, Shanghai Institute of Visual Arts, Fudan University, 2012

Guest Lecturer, University of California, Irvine

Masters Workshops, Richard MacDonald Studio, 2002-2011

Guest Lecturer, Young Presidents Organization

Masters Workshops, The Loveland Academy of Art, Loveland, CO

Masters Workshops, The Scottsdale Artist's School, Scottsdale, AZ

Guest Lecturer, The Ringling School of Art, Sarasota, FL

Guest Lecturer, High Museum of Art, Atlanta, GA

Guest Lecturer, The Art Institute of Atlanta, GA

Guest Lecturer, The Art Institute of Fort Lauderdale, FL

MEMBERSHIP

Cosmos Club, Washington D.C.

National Sculpture Society, New York, NY (Former Board Member and Fellow)

Society of Illustrators, New York, NY (Voting Member)

Bohemian Club, San Francisco, CA

Salmagundi Art Club, New York, NY

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PUBLICATIONS

- 2021 Four Seasons Magazine, Worldwide
- 2013 ARCH Magazine, Asia, No. 69
- 2013 Ritz Carlton, Hong Kong
- 2013 MGM Macau Essence
- 2012 The Apple Daily, Taiwan, August
- 2012 United Daily News, Taiwan, August
- 2012 The Peak, Singapore, September
- 2012 August Woman, Singapore, September
- 2012 Fine Art Connoisseur, September/October
- 2012 M Magazine, Fall
- 2012 Las Vegas Magazine, June
- 2012 Crystals Magazine, Spring
- 2012 Mandarin Oriental, Las Vegas, San Francisco
- 2011 Art & Antiques, September
- 2011 Mandarin Oriental, Las Vegas, San Francisco, New York
- 2010 Mandarin Oriental, Las Vegas
- 2010 Art & Antiques, April
- 2009 65 Degrees, Winter
- 2007 Art & Antiques, Fall
- 2006 American Art Collector, April
- 2005 Space Magazine (Cover), Spring
- 2002 Sculpture Review (Cover), Fall
- 2001 The World and I, Vol 16, No. 5
- 2000 USA Today, June 19
- 1999 American Artist, November
- 1997 Southwest Art (Cover), July
- 1996 Art Talk (Cover), January
- 1996 American Artist, August
- 1984 Southern Accents, November/December

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BOOKS

2014 Richard MacDonald Sculptor

2009 The Art of Richard MacDonald

2002 Millennium Collection

2001 City of Art, Kansas City's Public Art

2000 International Encyclopedia Dictionary of Modern and Contemporary Art

1999 Richard MacDonald Sculpture

SELECTIVE ILLUSTRATIONS (1971-1982)

United States Olympics (1978, 1982, 1984, 1996)

National Basketball Association (NBA)

National Football League (NFL)

Miami Dolphins

Coca-Cola USA

American Express

Anhaeuser Busch

AT&T

Aviator Underwriters

CNN

Evian Water

First National Bank

Bio Rhythm