

EXPERIENCE

**Executive Director** 2007- present  
Norman Bird Sanctuary Middletown, RI  
*An historic 325 acre wildlife refuge that serves over 12,000 youth a year with dynamic educational programs.*

**Co-Founder and Director** 1991-2007  
Island Arts Newport, RI  
*A non-profit community arts organization that grew to occupy two locations including a 1200 sq. foot donated exhibition space, classrooms and darkroom with year round outreach programs for at-risk teenagers.*

EDUCATION

Rhode Island School of Design  
BFA Major: Glass 1991

Vermont College  
MFA Visual Art 2007

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

The Jamestown Art Center September 2017  
Upcoming two person exhibition

The Newport Art Museum- Newport, RI February 2017  
Juried Members Show

The Jamestown Art Center- Jamestown, RI July 2016  
"White on White"

The Wheeler Gallery - Providence RI September 2006  
Two person exhibition

Habatat Gallery – Boca Raton, FL May 2006  
"Artist's Choice"- chosen by Toots Zynsky

Hera Gallery - Wakefield, RI December 2005  
"Forces at Work"

Diepenbrock-Suydam Gallery-Newport, RI December 2005  
"Symbols"

The Newport Art Museum-Newport, RI  
"Rhode Island 3-D"  
works by Rhode Island sculptors

November 2004

Island Arts Gallery- Newport, RI  
Annual Exhibition  
*Honorable Mention*  
awarded by Jo-Ann Conklin, Director  
David Winton Bell Gallery , Brown University

March 2004

The Newport Art Museum-Newport, RI  
Glass in New England

April 2003

The Mesa Gallery. Mesa, AZ  
Glass Works

May 2001

### **PUBLICATIONS AND REVIEWS**

The New Glass Review #27  
The Corning Museum of Glass.

May 2006

Bill Van Sicen " Art Scene"  
The Providence Journal.

April 2006

Marilyn Bellemore "A Feast For The Eyes"  
Newport This Week.

March 2006

Cynthia Farnell- "Six Rhode Island Artists"  
The Newport Mercury.

June 2005