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One Person Exhibitions

2019 The University Club, Chicago, IL
2015 Elmhurst College, Elmhurst, IL
2013 Printworks Gallery, Chicago, IL
2006 Lipa Gallery, Chicago, IL
2005 Printworks Gallery, Chicago, IL
2003 Indiana University Northwest, Gary, IN
2000 Chicago Cultural Center, Chicago, IL
2000 Printworks Gallery, Chicago, IL
1997 Jan Cicero Gallery, Chicago, IL
1992 Walter Wickiser Gallery, New York, NY
1991 Jan Cicero Gallery, Chicago, IL
1988 Jan Cicero Gallery, Chicago, IL
1986 Jan Cicero Gallery, Chicago, IL
1973 Alverno College, Milwaukee, WI
1972 Skokie Arts Council, Skokie, IL
1972 Elmhurst College, Elmhurst, IL
1964 Anna Werbe Gallery, Detroit, MI
1963 John L. Hunt Gallery, Chicago, IL

Two- & Three-Person Exhibitions

2018 Madron Gallery, Chicago, IL
2009–2010 Printworks Gallery, Chicago, IL
1983 Galeria, Chicago, IL
1973 Antioch College, Yellow Springs, OH
1963 John L. Hunt Gallery, Chicago, IL
1962 Old Town Art Center, Drawing Exhibition, Chicago, IL
1960 Old Town Art Center, Drawing Exhibition, Chicago, IL

Selected Group Exhibitions

2018 “Clowder of Cats,” Gallery 116, St. Charles, IL
2018 “Considering the Circle,” Bridgeport Art Center, Chicago, IL
2017 “Chornobyl, Artists Respond,” Ukrainian Institute of American Art, New York, NY
2016 “Chornobyl 30 Years Later,” Ukrainian Institute of Modern Art, Chicago, IL
2016 “Monster Roster: Existentialist Art in Postwar Chicago,”
Smart Museum of Art, The University of Chicago, Chicago, IL
2016 “Another Illiad,” Printworks Gallery, Chicago, IL

2015–2016 “Return of the Exquisite Corpse,” Printworks Gallery, Chicago, IL
2015 “Chicago Connection—Artists from the Post War Period,”
Ukrainian Institute of Modern Art, Chicago, IL
2015 “Shared Creations,” Bridgeport Art Center, Chicago, IL
2014 “Collaborations II,” Printworks Gallery, Chicago, IL
2013 “Artists Respond to Genocide,” Ukrainian Institute of Modern Art, Chicago, IL
2012–13 “Face Forward: The Art of the Self-Portrait,” Printworks Gallery, Chicago, IL
2011 “Chicago Odyssey,” Printworks Gallery, Chicago IL
2010 “Cover Stories,” Printworks Gallery, Chicago IL
2008 Gallery Telpaz, Ontario, Canada
2005-06 “The Chicago Six,” The Art Center, Highland Park, IL
2005-06 “The Art of the Bookplate,” Printworks Gallery, Chicago, IL
2005 Lipa Gallery, Chicago, IL
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2002 Contemporary Drawing Salon, Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, IL
2001 “Family Show,” Ukrainian Institute of Modern Art, Chicago, IL
2000–2001 “Self Portraits,” Printworks Gallery, Chicago, IL
2000 Printworks Gallery, Chicago, IL
1993 Jan Cicero Gallery, Chicago, IL
1992 Z Gallery, New York, NY
1991 Jan Cicero Gallery, Chicago, IL
1990 Jan Cicero Gallery, Chicago, IL
1988 Jan Cicero Gallery, Chicago, IL
1988 “Seascapes,” Frick Gallery, Belfast, ME
1988 “National Invitational Drawing Exhibition,” Santa Rosa Junior College, Santa Rosa, CA
1987 “When Sculptors and Painters Draw,” Art Institute of Boston, MA
1986 Jan Cicero Gallery, Chicago, IL
1986 “Self Portraits Then and Now.” ARC Gallery, Chicago, IL
1985 Jan Cicero Gallery, Chicago, IL
1985 “The Object Revitalized,” Paine Art Center and Gardens, Oshkosh, WI
1984 “Realism,” Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
1983 “Chicago Artists: Continuity & Change,” Printers Square, Chicago, IL
1982 “National Invitational Drawing Exhibition,” Santa Rosa Junior College, Santa Rosa, CA
1981 “Illinois Artists,” Illinois Sate Museum, Mount Vernon, IL
1980 Gilman Gallery Exhibitions since 1965, Chicago, IL
1966 “Annual Exhibition of Artists of Chicago and Vicinity,” Art Institute of Chicago
1965 “One Hundred Contemporary American Drawings,” University of Michigan Museum of
Art, Ann Arbor, MI
1964 Anna Werbe Gallery, Detroit, MI
1964 John L. Hunt Gallery, Chicago, IL
1962 John Gibson Gallery, Chicago, IL
1962 Hastings College Invitational Print Exhibition Hastings, NE
1961 John Gibson Gallery, Chicago, IL
1961 “Annual Exhibition of Artists of Chicago and Vicinity,” Art Institute of Chicago
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1958 Galleria Schneider, Rome, Italy

1958 Galleria La Permanente, Florence, Italy
1958 "Festival of Two Worlds," Spoleto, Italy
1955 Robert North Gallery, Chicago, IL
1955 "Annual Exhibition of Artists of Chicago and Vicinity," Art Institute of Chicago
1954 American Federation of Arts Traveling Exhibition
1952 University of Minnesota Invitational Print Exhibition
1952 "Print Annual," Seattle Art Museum, Seattle, WA
1952 "Print Annual," Brooklyn, NY, Print Annual
1952 "Print Annual," Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.
1948–50 Exhibition Momentum, Chicago, IL

Teaching

1996 Professor Emeritus, City Colleges of Chicago
1961–1996 Professor of Art, City Colleges of Chicago
1986–1987 Distinguished Professor, Richard J. Daley College, Chicago
1986 Visiting Artist, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
1955–1957 Ray-Vogue School of Art, Chicago

Fellowships, Grants and Awards

1981–1982 National Endowment for the Arts
1963 Award for Drawing, Chicago Festival of the Arts, Minneapolis, MN
1961 Frank B. Hubacheck Purchase Award for Drawing First All-Illinois Biennial of Prints,
Drawings and Watercolors, Art Institute of Chicago
1957–1958 Fulbright Grant for Study in Italy
1952–1953 James Nelson Raymond Foreign Travel Fellowship

Collections

The Art Institute of Chicago
Smart Museum of Art, The University of Chicago
Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C. (Sam Koffler Collection)
U.S. State Department Cultural Division, Washington, D.C.
Continental Bank of Illinois (now Bank of America), Chicago, IL and Seattle, WA
Northern Trust Bank of Illinois, Chicago, IL
Kemper Insurance Companies, Long Grove, IL
Harry S. Truman College Collection, Chicago, IL
Joseph Shapiro Collection, Chicago, IL
Jenner and Block, Inc., Chicago, IL
Hahn, Holland and Grossman, Chicago, IL
Mary and Leigh Block Museum of Art, Evanston, IL
David and Sarajejan Ruttenberg Collection, Chicago, IL

United Airlines, San Francisco and Tokyo
The Farhat Cultural Center, Beirut, Lebanon
Ukrainian Institute of Modern Art, Chicago, IL
And other public and private collections

Education

1957-1958 Istituto Statale di Belle Arti, Florence, Italy
1953 Academie Colarossi, Paris, France
1952 School of the Art Institute of Chicago, M.F.A.
1951 School of the Art Institute of Chicago, B.F.A.
1951 Liberal Arts classes at Roosevelt University, Chicago, IL
1946–1952 Liberal Arts classes at the University of Chicago while at SAIC