

Renée Cinderhouse

Installation artist

~ SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS ~

- 2019 **Kansas City Museum:** upcoming installation exhibition for the museum's grand re-opening, Kansas City MO
- 2015 **The Sacred and The Sick:** Site-specific installations, Jentel Artist Residency Program, Banner WY
- 2014 **Interloper: Gandoca-Manzanillo National Wildlife Refuge,** Site-specific installations, Manzanillo Costa Rica
- Call and Response: Grayton Beach State Park Wildlife Preserve,** Site-specific installations, Escape to Create Artist Residency Program, Seaside FL
- 2013 **A Little Human Frailty: The Fishtank,** Site-specific installation and theatrical performance, KC MO
- 2012 **Manifest Destiny: La Esquina Gallery,** Site-specific installation, collaborative theatrical and musical performances, Charlotte Street Foundation, KC MO
- 2010 **Victuals: Moxie Gallery,** KC MO
- 2009 **Science has no Sex: University of Kansas Medical Center,** Dykes Library, KC MO
- 2008 **Pre-Occupied Objects: Montage Gallery,** Key West FL
- 2006 **worry: Servicio Ejecutivo Gallery,** Brooklyn NY
- 2004 **bittersweet: Montage Gallery,** Key West FL

~ SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS ~

- 2016 **Kansas City Flatfile & Digitalfile: H & R Block Artspace,** Invitational, KC MO
- 2015 **Placemaking: Kansas City Museum,** Invitational, KC MO
- 2013 **Sustenance & Abundance: Kansas City Jewish Museum of Contemporary Art,** Juried Show, KC MO
- 2011 **Nude: Blue Gallery,** Invitational, KC MO
- Dining Room Project: Paragraph / Epstein Galleries,** Juried show, KC MO
- 2010 **Perspectives: New Bedford Art Museum,** Invitational, New Bedford MA
- Her Art: Leedy-Voukos Art Center,** Invitational, KC MO
- 2007 **Biennial 600:CLAY: Amarillo Museum of Art,** Juried by Marilyn Zeitlin, Amarillo TX
- Les Liaisons Dangereuses: The Stockholm Agency,** Two-person show, Pittsburgh PA
- Medial 2: Global Art Biennial:** Juried Exhibition
http://www.artaddiction.net/medial_biennial2/Renee_Laferriere/Laferriere.htm
- 2006 **artLA: Byron C. Cohen Gallery,** Los Angeles CA
- 2005 **Tetanus: Fahrenheit Gallery,** Juried show, KC MO

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- 2003** *Smut: The Green Door Gallery*, Juried show, KC MO
Scope Miami: Byron C. Cohen Gallery, Miami FL
- 2002** *Out OfThe Nursery: Byron C. Cohen Gallery*, Invitational, KC MO
What A Doll!: Sarah Spurgeon Gallery, Juried show, Ellensburg WA
- 2001** *Small Sculpture National Competition: The Carnegie Museum of Art*,
National Society for Arts and Letters, Pittsburgh PA
Small Sculpture Regional Competition: Leedy-Voukos Art Center,
National Society for Arts and Letters, Juried Exhibition, KC MO

~ SELECTED ARTICLES & REVIEWS ~

"The Sacred and The Sick"

Bear Review, Volume 3 Issue 1, October 7, 2016

"Kansas City Creative Couples: Casanova Cinderhouse & Cinderhouse"

National Public Radio (NPR, KCUR), August 17, 2013

"Kansas City's Best Artist"

The Pitch, KC MO, October 6, 2005 & October 11, 2012

"Renée Cinderhouse's alternative history of Manifest Destiny"

Tracy Abeln, The Pitch, KC MO, September 6, 2012

"Manifest Destiny at La Esquina"

Alice Thorson, Ink, KC MO, September 2012

"Art is creativity on steroids"

Eric Adler, The Kansas City Star, KC MO, September 24, 2011

"Pre-occupied Objects"

The Key West Citizen, Key West FL, September 4, 2008

"The Duvenci Code"

The Pitch, KC MO, May 12, 2005

"Re-Interpreting Worlds"

Review, KC MO, June 2004

"Defining/Defending the 'Feminist' Pin-up"

Review, KC MO, March 2004

"Riddles of the Self"

Review, KC MO, February 2004

"KC artists scope out the national scene"

The Kansas City Star, KC MO, December 7, 2003

"This Little Piggy – an artist inks swine"

The Pitch, KC MO, November 23, 2003

"Arts Round-up"

National Public Radio (NPR, KCUR), November 14, 2003

"Artists Seize Crossroads!"

Preview, The Kansas City Star, KC MO, November 7, 2003

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“My kid could buy that”

Review, KC MO, July - August 2002

“Kiddie Show”

Preview, The Kansas City Star, KC MO, May 10, 2002

“Work in Progress”

Featured photograph, Sculpture magazine, Washington D.C., March 2002

“These dolls play with you”

The Daily Record, Ellensburg WA, February 26, 2002

“Young Blood: Artist-Curators pump new life into the city”

The Pitch, KC MO, May 2001

~ SELECTED RESIDENCIES, GRANTS, AWARDS, COMMISSIONS ~

Jentel Artist Residency Program

Banner WY, April - May 2015

Escape to Create Artist Residency Program

Seaside FL, February 2014

Manifest Destiny Kickstarter

Successful campaign for installation fundraising June - July 2012

Inspiration Grants

Arts Council of Metropolitan Kansas City, KC MO, 2011 & 2012

Best Artist: Kansas City

“The Best of Kansas City”, The Pitch, KC MO, October 6, 2005 & October 11, 2012

Kansas City Chamber of Commerce

Commission for the “Kansas Citizen of the Year” award, KC MO, 2009

Creative Capital Professional Development Grant

The Arts Council of Metropolitan Kansas City, KC MO, 2007

Charlotte Street Fund: Nominee

The Charlotte Street Foundation, KC MO, November 2005 & 2007

Second Place National Award: Small Sculpture

National Society for Arts and Letters, Carnegie Museum of Art, Pittsburgh PA, May 2001

First Place Regional Award: Small Sculpture

National Society for Arts and Letters, The Leedy-Voukos Art Center, KC MO, March 2001

All-American Scholar

United States Achievement Academy, Lexington KY, 2001

Competitive Merit Grant

Greater Kansas Art Association, KC MO, May 1999

Multi-Media Visual Arts Award

Buckingham Browne & Nichols, Cambridge MA, 1994

Petropolous Show Award

Annual art competition, Buckingham Browne & Nichols, Cambridge MA, 1993

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~ PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE ~

- **Installation artist / Sculptor:** 1992 – present
- **Arts Consultant / Project Artist:**
 - Kansas City Museum** - 2016: Consultant for the Kansas City Museum and International Architects Atelier for Phase Three of the design and planning process for Stage I Construction of the Kansas City Museum's site-wide historic restoration and rehabilitation project.
 - ArtsBlock** - 2016: Consultant for Pendleton Heights Neighborhood Association, Brinshore Development LLC and Draw Architecture for planning and development of the ArtsBlock residential/commercial new construction project in Pendleton Heights, Kansas City MO.
- **Historic homes acquisition and renovation:** Cinderhouse LLC, 2010 – present
- **Co-Director & Co-Curator:** The Green Door Gallery, KC MO, 2000 – 2008
- **Guest Curator & Juror:**
 - Showcase:* Chartwell Gallery, KC MO, 2011
 - Avatar:* ECC Gallery, East Central College, Union MO, 2007
 - Everything you can think of is true:* Opie Gallery, KC MO, 2000
 - I O Pink Oval Boxes:* Leedy-Voukos Art Center, KC MO, 1999
- **Guest Speaker:**
 - Stained by touch:** Jentel Artist Residency Program, Banner WY, 2015
 - Visual Storytelling:** The Nature Observatory, Manzanillo Costa Rica, 2014
 - Call and Response:** Escape to Create Artist Residency Program, Seaside FL, 2014
 - Human Frailty:** The Fishtank, KC MO, 2013
 - Alternative Histories of Manifest Destiny:** La Esquina, KC MO, 2012
 - Fast Talk:** Artist Presentations: Epsten Gallery, KC MO, 2011
 - Science has no Sex:** University of Kansas Medical Center, KC MO, 2009
 - Artist Series:** Kemper Museum of Contemporary Art, KC MO, 2007
 - Women in Contemporary Art:** Leedy-Voukos Art Center, KC MO, 2005

~ EDUCATION ~

- **Kansas City Art Institute:** BFA Sculpture & Art History, KC MO, 2001 / 2002
- **Bennington College:** Sculpture, Painting, Anthropology, Bennington VT, 1996