

Matthew West

Sculptor-Fabricator

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Education

2008 BFA, Mason Gross School of Arts, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ

Selected Exhibitions

2008 Thesis Exhibition, Mason Gross School of the Arts, New Brunswick, NJ

2008 Bricks, Group Exhibition, Seed Galley, Newark, NJ,

2007 Transformation, Group Exhibition, Gürzenich, Koln, Germany

2007 Art Open, Group Exhibition, Mason Gross School of the Arts, New Brunswick, NJ

Professional Experience

2008- Fabricator, Matrix Art Collective, New York, NY

2007 Artist Assistant for Michael Rees, New York, NY

2006 Fabricator, Digital Stone Project, Hamilton, NJ

2004-05 Ceramics Technician, Mason Gross School of the Arts, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ

Awards

2008 Visual Arts Department Award, Mason Gross School of the Arts, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ

2007 School of Arts and Sciences, Rutgers University,

2007 Best in Show, BFA Open prize, purchase award, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ

2006 BFA Art Open, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ

Bibliography

2007 Transformation, gallery web page,

<http://www.avgkoeln.de/service/aktuelles/kunstaktion/index.php>

Collections

Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ

Mason Gross School of the Arts, Ceramics Department, New Brunswick, NJ

Matrix Art Collective, New York, NY

Technical Expertise

Computer/Media Skills: Adobe Creative Suite, Cinema 4D, Microsoft Office, Rhino, Visual Mill, Z-Brush,

Kiln Fabrication and Maintenance: Electric, Gas Reduction, Raku, and Wood

Mold making: Clay, Plaster, Rubber, Synthetics, Wood, and alternative/primitive processes

Printmaking: digital imaging and printing

Sculptural Fabrication: CNC milling, Fibers, Metal fabrication, Installation, Rapid Prototyping, & Wood Working