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Education

- 1985 M.F.A. School of the Art Institute of Chicago
1983 B.F.A. University of Illinois, Urbana/Champaign
1985 Adjunct Faculty, Valparaiso University, Indiana

Public Collections (selected)

Los Angeles Museum of Contemporary Art
Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York
Fine Arts Museums of San Francisco
San Francisco Museum of Modern Art
Chazen Museum of Art, Madison, Wisconsin
Whitney Museum of American Art, New York
Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago
Krannert Art Museum, Champaign, Illinois
Illinois State Museum, Springfield, Illinois
National Museum of Contemporary Art, Seoul, Korea
The Searle Collection of Contemporary Art, Chicago
University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana, Illinois
Crocker Art Museum, Sacramento, California
City of Chicago
University of Chicago

McNay Art Museum, San Antonio

Elmhurst Art Museum

Selected Guest Lectures and Presentations

- 2017 College for Creative Studies, Detroit, Michigan
- 2015 Ed Paschke Art Center, Chicago
- 2014 College for Creative Studies, Detroit, Michigan
Indiana University East
- 2012 Syracuse University
- 2011 University of Texas, Austin
Graduate critiques, MFA program, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
- 2010 Graduate critiques, MFA Program, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Guest Artist, Trinity College
- 2009 “Art Fairs and Evaluation – How Art Fairs Influence our Judgments about Art,” Moderator of panel discussion, Art Chicago, International Art Expo
Graduate critiques, MFA Program, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Expo “First Impressions, Lasting Impressions,” Art Chicago, International Art Expo
- 2008 “The History of Art Galleries in Chicago,” Art Chicago, International Art Expo
Expo
- 2006 School of Art and Design, University of Illinois, Champaign/Urbana
- 2005 Trinity College
University of Illinois, Champaign/Urbana
- 2004 University of Chicago
Art on The Move Tours, Art Institute of Chicago
- 2003 University of Illinois, Champaign/Urbana
Chicago Humanities Festival
- 2002 Indiana University, Bloomington
Chicago Humanities Festival

- 2001 University of Wisconsin, Madison
- 2000 Chicago Symphony, Discussions on Modernism
- 1999 University of Wisconsin, Madison
- 1998 Herron School of Art, Indianapolis
- 1997 Art on the Move Tours, Art Institute of Chicago
Art Encounters, Chicago
Governor's State University
- 1996 Valparaiso University, "The Chicago - Indiana Connection"
1995. University of Illinois, Champaign/Urbana
- 1993 Commencement, University of Illinois, College of Art and Design,
Champaign/Urbana
- 1992 Old Dominion University, Norfolk, VA
- 1990 Northwestern University, Evanston, IL
Indiana University at South Bend
University of Illinois, Champaign/Urbana
- 1989 School of the Art Institute of Chicago
- 1986 Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, Men's Council, "Has Modernism
Failed," a lecture on Suzi Gablik

Solo Exhibitions (selected)

- 2017 "Multifarious Paintings," Mark Moore Fine Arts, Los Angeles (online)
- 2014 Mark Moore Gallery, Los Angeles (exhibition catalog)
- 2012 Gallery for Contemporary Art, Indiana University Northwest
2010. "Painting Paintings, Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago (exhibition catalog)
- 2009 "Painting Paintings, Richard Gray Gallery, New York
2008. "The Art Show," American Art Dealers Association, New York
Richard Gray Gallery
2007. "The Art Show," American Art Dealers Association, New York
Richard Gray Gallery (exhibition catalog)
Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago (exhibition catalog)

2006 Haines Gallery, San Francisco

2005 "Compound Visions," Richard Gray Gallery, New York

2004-05 Elvehjem Museum of Art, Madison, Wisconsin

2004 Richard Gray Gallery, New York

2003 Haines Gallery, San Francisco
Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago

2002 Richard Gray Gallery, New York (exhibition catalog)

2001 Richard Gray Gallery, New York (exhibition catalog)

2000 Haines Gallery, San Francisco (exhibition catalog)

1999 Museum of Contemporary Art, Wall Project, Chicago

1998 Richard Gray Gallery, New York (exhibition catalog)
Arte 92, Milan, Italy (exhibition catalog)

1997 Galleria L'Isola, Trento, Italy (exhibition catalog)
Bologna Art Exposition, Galleria L'Isola

1996 Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago (exhibition catalog)

1995 Galleria L'Isola, Rome, Italy (exhibition catalog)

1994 "New Drawings," Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago

1993 Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago
Chicago International Art Exposition, Richard Gray Gallery

1991 Cedar Rapids Art Museum, Cedar Rapids, Iowa
Poala Stelzer Gallery, Trento, Italy (exhibition catalog)
Galleria Trimarchi, Bologna, Italy (exhibition catalog)
Galleria L'Isola, Rome, Italy (exhibition catalog)

1990 Chicago International Art Exposition, Deson - Saunders Gallery

1989 "Studies and Preliminary Images," Indiana University Northwest

1987 Galleria L'Isola, Rome, Italy (exhibition catalog)

1986 Freeport Museum, Freeport, IL

1985 Marianne Deson Gallery, Chicago

Group Exhibitions (selected)

- 2017 "Fine Arts Faculty Exhibition," University of Massachusetts Dartmouth
 "Selections from the Permanent Collection," Crocker Art Museum,
 Sacramento, California, 2016-2017
 Expo Chicago, Richard Gray Gallery
- 2016 Expo Chicago, Richard Gray Gallery
 "About Painting," Simone DeSousa Gallery, Detroit
 Art Basel, Hong Kong, Richard Gray Gallery
 Seattle Art Fair, Richard Gray Gallery
- 2015 "Art Culver City Los Angeles," Mark Moore Gallery
 "In Bloom," Mark Moore Gallery, Los Angeles
 Dallas Art Fair, Mark Moore Gallery
 Expo Chicago, Richard Gray Gallery
 "San Diego Collects," Museum of Contemporary Art San Diego
 "30/30: Selections from the Permanent Collection," Illinois State Museum,
 Chicago
- 2014 Expo Chicago, Richard Gray Gallery
 Hong Kong Basel Art Fair, Richard Gray Gallery
 "35 Years of Public Art," Chicago Cultural Center
 Dallas Art Fair, Mark Moore Gallery
- 2013 Miami Project, Mark Moore Gallery
 Expo Chicago, Richard Gray Gallery
 Dallas Art Fair, Mark Moore Gallery
 Texas Contemporary Art Fair, Houston, Mark Moore Gallery
 "Modern and Contemporary Masters," Richard Gray Gallery
- 2012 "Muse," Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago
 Expo Chicago, Richard Gray Gallery
 Pulse Art Fair, Miami, Mark Moore Gallery
- 2011 "Modern and Contemporary Masters," Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago
 "Indexing the World: invention, abstraction and dissonance,"
 Highland Park Art Center, Highland Park, Illinois
 Art Basel Miami, Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago, New York
- 2010 "Chicago Imagism(s), San Jose State University Gallery
 Art Basel Miami, Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago, New York
 Maastricht Art Fair, The Netherlands, Richard Gray Gallery
 Art Chicago, Chicago International Art Exposition, Tandem Press
- 2009 Basel Art Fair, Basel Switzerland, Richard Gray Gallery
 Maastricht Art Fair, The Netherlands, Richard Gray Gallery
 "Art Chicago," Chicago International Art Exposition, Tandem Press
 "Modern and Contemporary Masters," Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago,
 New York
2008. Basel Art Fair, Basel Switzerland, Richard Gray Gallery
 Maastricht Art Fair, The Netherlands, Richard Gray Gallery
 "Art Chicago," Chicago International Art Exposition, Richard Gray Gallery
 "Modern and Contemporary Masters," Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago,

New York

2007. Basel Art Fair, Basel Switzerland, Richard Gray Gallery
Maastricht Art Fair, The Netherlands, Richard Gray Gallery
"On Paper," Haines Gallery, San Francisco
"Art Chicago," Chicago International Art Exposition, Richard Gray Gallery
"Modern and Contemporary Masters," Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago,
New York
"Ink International Art Fair," Miami, Tandem Press
- 2006 Art Basel Miami, Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago, New York
Maastricht Art Fair, The Netherlands, Richard Gray Gallery
"The Art Show," American Art Dealers Association, Richard Gray Gallery,
New York
"Director's Choice," Haines Gallery, San Francisco
- 2005 "Ad Infinitum," Haines Gallery, San Francisco
"The Art Show," American Art Dealers Association, Richard Gray Gallery,
New York
"Modern and Contemporary Masters," Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago
Art Basel Miami, Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago, New York
- 2004 "Temporalscape," Haines Gallery, San Francisco
"The Art Show," American Art Dealers Association, Richard Gray Gallery
New York
Art Basel Miami, Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago, New York
- 2003 Art Basel Miami, Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago, New York
Chicago International Art Exposition, Richard Gray Gallery
"The Art Show," American Art Dealers Association, Richard Gray Gallery,
New York
- 2002 Art Basel Miami, Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago, New York
Carrie Secrist Gallery, Chicago
Chicago International Art Exposition, Richard Gray Gallery
"The Art Show," American Art Dealers Association, Richard Gray Gallery,
New York
- 2001 "Drawings by Modern Masters," Richard Gray Gallery, New York
Chicago International Art Exposition, Richard Gray Gallery and Tandem
Press

"The Art Show," American Art Dealers Association, Richard Gray Gallery,
New York
- 2000 Chicago International Art Exposition, Richard Gray Gallery and Haines
Gallery
"Vermont Studio Center Scholarship Recipients," Zolla/Lieberman Gallery
"Bluer," Gallery A, Chicago
- 1999 "New Paintings," Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago
"The Art of Painting," Trinity College, Chicago
- 1998 Jason McCoy Gallery, New York, New York

- Chicago International Art Exposition, Richard Gray Gallery
 Basel Art Fair, Basel Switzerland, Richard Gray Gallery
 San Francisco International Art Exposition, Richard Gray Gallery
- 1997 "Embracing Beauty," Huntsville Museum of Art, Huntsville, Alabama
 "The Art Show," American Art Dealers Association, Richard Gray Gallery, New York
 "The Chicago-Indiana connection," Brauer Museum of Art, Valparaiso, IN
- 1996 "Art in Chicago," Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago
 "(Un)Earthly Visions," Illinois State Museum, Springfield, and State of Illinois Gallery, Chicago
- 1995-1996 "Unpainted to the Last," Artworks Influenced by Moby Dick, Spencer Museum of Art, University of Kansas, traveled to: University of Michigan Museum of Art, Ann Arbor, Michigan and Mary and Leigh Block gallery, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois
- 1995 New Acquisitions, Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York
 Chicago International Art Exposition, Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago
- 1994 Basel Art Fair, Richard Gray Gallery, Basel, Switzerland
 Basel Art Fair, Galleria L'Isola, Basel, Switzerland
 "Darkened Mirrors," Stiebel Modern, New York
- 1993 "111 Artists for Peace," Gallery Bhak, Seoul, Korea
 "Mind and Beast," Leigh Yawkey Woodson Art Museum, Wasau, Wisconsin - traveled to: Art Museum of South Texas, Corpus Christi, Texas, Knoxville Museum of Art, Knoxville, Tennessee, Tucson Museum of Art, Tucson, Arizona, Canton Art Institute, Canton, Ohio, Fort Wayne Museum of Art, Fort Wayne, Indiana
- 1992 "Drawing New Conclusions," Betty Rymer Gallery, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
 Chicago International Art Exposition, Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago
 Nippon International Contemporary Art Fair, Richard Gray Gallery, Yokohama, Japan
 "The Art Show," American Art Dealers Association, Richard Gray Gallery, New York
- 1991-1993 "Spirited Visions," traveling show: Tarble Art Center, Charlston, Illinois, Suburban Fine Arts Center, Highland Park, Illinois, Illinois State Museum, Springfield, Illinois, Lockport Gallery, Lockport, Illinois, State of Illinois Art Gallery, Chicago
- 1991 Chicago International Art Exposition, Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago
 Foire Internationale D'Art Contemporain, Paris, France
- 1990 "Chicago Now!" Art Gallery of the University of Colorado at Colorado Springs
 Deson-Saunders Gallery, Chicago
 "Nature/nature," University of Illinois, Gallery 400, Chicago
- 1989 "The History of the Dividing Line," Deson-Saunders Gallery, Chicago

- "Aid Foundation Exhibition," Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago
- 1988-1989 "Art and the Law," traveled to: Metro Toronto Convention Centre, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, Temple University Law School, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Anderson Gallery, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, Virginia, Rose Art Museum, Waltham, Massachusetts
- 1988 "Illinois Artists," Rockford Art Museum, Rockford, Illinois
"Recent Acquisitions to the Permanent Collection," Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago
- 1987 Ruth Braunstein Gallery, San Francisco, California
"Chicago, New York, Los Angeles," Marianne Deson Gallery, Chicago
"On Nature," Marianne Deson Gallery, Chicago
- 1986 "A New Generation," Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago
"Young Americans," Mandville Art Gallery, University of California, San Diego
"Alternative Media," Northern Illinois University Gallery, Chicago
"Artists Go to Bat," Marianne Deson Gallery, Chicago
- 1985 "Chicago and Vicinity Show," Art Institute of Chicago
"36th Illinois Invitational," Illinois State Museum, Springfield
"Art for Young Collectors," Renaissance Society, University of Chicago
"6/6 Show," Artemesia Gallery and Chicago Filmmakers, Chicago
"Pilsen Artists," Swen Parsons Gallery, Northern Illinois University,
- Dekalb
"Artists Call," Marianne Deson Gallery, Chicago
- 1984 "1984 Painting and Sculpture Today," Indianapolis Museum of Art
"Landscape," Marianne Deson Gallery, Chicago
Chicago International Art Exposition, Marianne Deson Gallery, Chicago

Reviews and Press (selected)

- "Experience Painting," John Howell White, Davis Publications Inc. 2015
- "Recontextualizing Pieces, Art History and Scraps of Everyday Life," Annabel Osberg, Huffington Post, May 16, 2014
- Sotheby's, Ted Loos, "Expo Chicago Blew Through the Windy City, September 20, 2012
- Art and Prestige, Van Laar and Diepeveen, Cover image, Oxford University Press, 2012
- Art Babel, Richard T Schott, Review, March 10, 2010
- Chicago Art Magazine, Claire Lynch, Review, March 8, 2010
- Old Masters New Perspectives, Taylor Hobson, February 18, 2010
- Chicago Now Review, February 18, 2010
- ART NEWS, June, 2007
- Chicago Tribune, Art Review, Alan Artner, May 2007
- The Capital Times, Madison, Wisconsin "Artist Klamen's Slow Disclosures, Kevin Lynch, December 17, 2004
- National Public Radio, 848, Interview with Steve Edwards, January 27, 2004
- Wisconsin Public Radio, host Lori Skeleton. Interview with Russell Panczenko "Sunday Afternoon Live from the Elvehjem," Elvehjem Museum, December 2004
- Isthmus, Madison, Wisconsin, Jennifer A. Smith, "Messing with Your Mind: David Klamen

Plays Intellectual Games," December 17, 2004, p. 20
Elvehjem Museum of Art, "David Klamen: Paintings, Watercolors, and Drawings,"
Exhibition Catalog
National Public Radio, 848, Interview with Steve Edwards, January 27, 2004
Art in America, Edward Leffingwell, Art in America 2003
Chicago Tribune, Art Review, January 24, 2003, Alan Artner
National Public Radio, Interview with Steve Edwards, November, 2003
National Public Radio, 848, interview with Victoria Lautman January, 2003
New Art Examiner, "Recommended Exhibitions," March 2001
Contemporary American Oil Painting, Jilin Fine Arts Publishing, China, 2000
New City, March 11, 1999, Ann Wiens
Art in America, Gerrit Henry, March 1999
Chicago Sun-Times, "Exhibits Debate True Beauty," Margaret Hawkins, February 26,
1999
Interview, October issue, Victoria Lautman, 1998
Art Market Guide to Contemporary American Art, Richard Polsky, 1998
Chicago Sun-Times, "Art of the City," Garrett Holg, March 22, 1998
The Birmingham News, Arts & Leisure, July 6, 1997, James R. Nelson
ARTNEWS, March 1997, Garrett Holg
New Art Examiner, February, 1997, Ann Weins
NEWCITY, "1996's Top 5 Gallery Shows," December 26, 1996, Ann Weins
Chicago Sun Times, December 6 and December 13, 1996, Margaret Hawkins
Post-Tribune Daily Magazine, Gary, Indiana, November 22, Betty Sacek
Chicago Tribune, November 22, 1996, Alan Artner
Chicago Tribune, May 10, 1996, Alan Artner
New Art Examiner, September 1996, Ann Weins
Where Chicago, September 1994
Crain's Chicago Business, "Forty Under 40," September 1994
ARTFORUM, October 1993, James Yood
ARTNEWS, October 1993, Garrett Holg
Art and Antiques, Summer 1993
Chicago, June 1993, Henry Hanson
Chicago Tribune, July 8, 1993, Alan Artner
Flash Art, Italion Edition, April-May, 1992, Patrizia Ferri
NEXT, Winter 1991- Spring 1992, Anna Maria Corbi
Il Giornale, January 26, 1992
Trovan Roma, Supplemento a Repubblica, January 23, 1992
Corriere Della Sera, Rome, January 7, 1992
Il Tempo, January 8, 1992
Memento Sera, December 17, 1991
Arte Milano, December 1991
Segno, December 1991
Trento In, February-March, 1991
Flash Art, February-March 1989, Rossella Caruso
NEXT, March 1989, Carlo Apule
Corriere Della Sera, Rome, December 8, 1988, Enzo Bilardello
Il Messaggero, Rome, December 13, 1988
Chicago Tribune, Style, May 4, 1988, Victoria Lautman
Rockford Register Star, May 4, 1988, Gail Baroch
Art in America, February 1988, Sue Taylor
New Art Examiner, February 1988, James Yood
Chicago Tribune, January 1988, David McCracken
Chicago Tribune, Style, January 6, 1988
Chicago Tribune, July 3, 1987, David McCracken

Artweek, July 1987, Michael Leonard
Chicgo Tribune, October 1987, Alan Artner
Metro Chicago, No. 0, 1987, Victoria Lautman
New Art Examiner, October 1986, James Yood
F, (SAIC), October 9, Michael Bulka
Chicago Tribune, September 11, 1986
San Diego Union, February 27, 1986, Robert L. Pincus
Los Angeles Times, February 22, 1986, Robert McDonald
The Blade Tribune, (San Diego), February 13, 1986
The LA Costan, February 6, 1986
New Art Examiner, January 1986, Daniel Reich
New Art Examiner, June 1984, Jeff Abel