

Walter E. Kuhlman/1918-2009/Permanent Museum Collections, Exhibitions, Awards

Permanent Collections

Fine Arts Museums of San Francisco, CA
Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, NY
Smithsonian American Art Museum, Washington, DC
Phillips Collection, Washington, DC
San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, CA
Oakland Museum of California, CA
San Francisco Art Institute, CA
British Museum, London, UK
National Gallery of Art (Reba and Dave Williams Collection), Washington DC
Minnesota Historical Society, St. Paul, MN
Roswell Museum and Art Center, NM
Rio de Janeiro Museum of Modern Art, Brazil
Menil Collection, Houston, TX
Library of Congress (Charles Dean Collection)
New Mexico Museum of Art, Santa Fe
Sao Paulo Museum of Modern Art, Brazil
Minnesota Museum of American Art, St. Paul
University of New Mexico, Albuquerque
Muskegon Museum of Art, MI
National Academy of Design, New York, NY
Cleveland Museum of Art, OH
Buck Collection, Laguna Hills, CA
De Saisset Museum, Santa Clara, CA
Laguna Art Museum, Laguna Beach, CA
Rice University, Houston, TX
Worcester Art Museum, MA

Selected Solo Exhibitions

David Findlay Jr. Gallery, New York, NY, 2011, 2013
Walker Art Center, Minneapolis, MN
Berkshire Museum, Pittsfield, MA
La Jolla Museum of Art, La Jolla, CA
California Palace of the Legion of Honor, San Francisco
Robert Green Fine Arts Gallery, Mill Valley, CA
Raymond Jonson Gallery, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque
Gump's Gallery, San Francisco, CA
De Saisset Museum, 20 year retrospective, 1969, Santa Clara, CA
Sonoma State University Gallery, 40 year retrospective, 1988, Sonoma, CA
Stanford University Gallery, Palo Alto, CA
Santa Barbara Museum of Art, CA
Charles Campbell Gallery, San Francisco, CA
David Carlson Gallery, San Francisco, CA
New Arts Gallery, Houston, TX
George Krevsky Fine Art, San Francisco, CA
Natsoulis Gallery, Davis, CA

Selected Group Exhibitions

New York World's Fair, 1939
San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, CA (23 from 1948-1996)
Petit Palais, Realities Nouvelles, Paris, 1950
Sao Paulo Biennial, Brazil
Contemporary Art Museum, Houston, TX
California Palace of the Legion of Honor, San Francisco
Los Angeles County Museum, Pacific Coast Biennial, CA
Park Avenue Armory, Annual International Fine Print Exhibition, New York
Hackett Freedman, San Francisco Abstract Expressionism, 2001
New Mexico Museum of Art, Santa Fe
Oakland Museum of California, Oakland
Smithsonian Institution, Washington, DC
Richard L. Nelson Gallery, University of CA, Davis
Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond, VA
Salander-O'Reilly Gallery, New York, NY
Stanford University Gallery, Palo Alto, CA
American Academy of Arts and Letters, New York
David Findlay Jr. Gallery, New York, NY

Honors and Fellowships

Member, National Academy of Design, New York (1995)

Fellow, Louis Comfort Tiffany Foundation, New York (1942)

Residency, Cummington School of the Arts, MA (1943)

Fellow, Graham Foundation for Advanced Studies in the Fine Arts, Chicago, IL (1957). Awarded by Board Members including Grace McCann Morley, founding director of the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art; James John Sweeney, Director of the Guggenheim Museum; R. Buckminster Fuller, and Ludwig Mies van der Rohe.

Maestro Grant, California Arts Council (1982). Named "Outstanding California Artist and Teacher" by Board Members including Ann Getty, Marcia Weisman, and Stephen Goldstine, President of the San Francisco Art Institute.

The Smithsonian Institution accepted Kuhlman's papers into the Archives of American Art (1994).

The San Francisco Art Institute included Kuhlman on its "Legends" roster for its 125th anniversary celebrations (1996).