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# **Steve Klein**

## ARTIST STATEMENT

With all of my work I seek to provide a moment away, a very small respite of beauty and solace from the everyday. Like watching a sunrise or a sunset, I am taken with the beauty of glass, its relationship with light, and the excitement of the cast reflections.

### ARTIST BACKGROUND

Born Los Angeles, California 1946

Currently La Conner, Washington

#### Selected Education/Training

- 2005 Design workshop with Susan Cohn, North Lands Creative Glass, Lybster, Scotland, UK
- 2002 Glass blowing workshop with Randy Walker, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, Washington
- 1999 Glass blowing/roll-up workshop with Scott Chaseling and Kirstie Rea, Bullseye Glass Company, Portland, Oregon
- 1997 Sandcasting workshop with Neal Drobnis, Hot Glass Horizons, Portland, Oregon
- 1997 Kilncasting workshop with Liz Marx, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, Washington
- 1996 Sandcasting workshop with Paula Bartron, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, Washington
- 1969 Theatre Arts studies, California State University, Long Beach

#### Selected Professional Experience

- 2013 Board Member, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, Washington
- 2013 Board Member, Museum of Northwest Art, La Conner, Washington
- 2012 Visiting Artist, Museum of Glass, Tacoma, Washington
- 2012 Artist-in-residence, Abstraction of Place in the High Desert of New Mexico: A Professional Kiln-Glass Residency, Abiquiu and Santa Fe, New Mexico
- 2011 Instructor, Glass Forum, Kvernes, Norway
- 2011 Artist-in-residence, North Lands Creative Glass, Lybster, Scotland, UK (and 2010)
- 2010 Artist-in-residence, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, Washington (and 2009, 2005, 2002)
- 2009 Instructor, Gil Raphael, Tel Aviv, Israel
- 2009 Instructor, Bezalel Academy of Arts and Design, Jerusalem
- 2009 Instructor, North Lands Creative Glass, Lybster, Scotland, UK (and 2006, 2004, 2003)

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- 2009 Instructor, Escuela Del Vidrio, La Granja, Spain (and 2007, 2005)
- 2008 Presenter, GAS Conference, Portland, Oregon
- 2008 Instructor, Tittot Glass Art Museum, Taipei, Taiwan
- 2007 Instructor, Bullseye Glass Company, Portland, Oregon (and 2005)

#### **Selected Solo Exhibitions**

- 2012 Balancing Act: The Glass Sculpture of Steve Klein, Craft and Folk Art Museum, Los Angeles
- 2010 Moments, PISMO Fine Art Glass, Denver, Colorado
- 2009 Contemplation, Bullseye Gallery, Portland, Oregon
- 2008 Exploration, Reflection and Balance, Tittot Glass Art Museum, Taipei, Taiwan
- 2007 Reflections: Forms and Fades, Davis and Cline Gallery, Ashland, Oregon
- 2007 Lines of Reflection, Pacini Lubel Gallery, Seattle, Washington
- 2007 Linear Variations, LewAllen Contemporary, Santa Fe
- 2006 Memory and Consequence, Bullseye Gallery, Portland, Oregon
- 2006 Steve Klein at del Mano, del Mano Gallery, Los Angeles
- 2005 From Chaos to Balance, Museum of Northwest Art, La Conner, Washington
- 2004 Form and Exploration, PISMO Fine Art Glass, Aspen, Colorado
- 2004 Searching for Balance, Bullseye Gallery, Portland, Oregon
- 2002 Stripes and Strata, Bullseye Gallery, Portland, Oregon
- 2002 Seeking Light, Friesen Gallery, Seattle, Washington
- 2000 Exploration, Friesen Gallery, Seattle, Washington

#### **Selected Collections**

Academy of Arts & Design, Tsinghua University, Beijing, China

Eretz Israel Museum, Tel Aviv, Israel

Museum of Arts and Design, New York

Museum of Glass, Tacoma, Washington

Museum of Northwest Art, La Conner, Washington

Museo del Vidrio, La Granja, Spain

National Museums Scotland, Edinburgh, UK

North Lands Creative Glass Collection, Lybster, Scotland, UK

Tittot Glass Art Museum, Taipei, Taiwan

#### Selected Publications

- 2013 Halper, Vicki et al. *Links: Australian Glass and the Pacific Northwest.* University of Washington Press.
- 2012 Fox, Howard N. *Balancing Act: The Glass Sculpture of Steve Klein*. Craft and Folk Art Museum.
- 2012 McGregor, Lani. Act 2 The Glass Track. Bullseye Glass Co. Exhibition catalog.
- 2010 "Kaffe Fassett and Steve Klein investigate the concepts of Colour and Transparency," *craft&design*, Issue 208.
- 2006 *500 Glass Objects: A Celebration of Functional & Sculptural Glass*. Lark Books.
- 2005 New Glass Review 27, Corning Museum of Glass.
- 2005 Glowen, Ron. "Review: Steve Klein," American Craft Magazine, Vol. 65, No. 3.
- 2005 Jianzhong, Wang. *The Contemporary Glass Art of the World*. Hebei Fine Arts Publishing House.