

GINO MILES

Biography



Working in both monumental and small dimensions since the 1970s, sculptor Gino Miles (b. 1952) is inspired primarily by 20th Century European masters such as Moore, Brancusi, Archipenko, and Marini. Gino distills his love of the classical figure and objects found in nature, working with a sparse and contemporary language that embodies tranquility. Stripped of an overt narrative, Miles' abstract forms achieve a poetic harmony of man and nature, with subtle references to both the human form and ancient cultures.

Gino Miles became interested in painting and sculpture in the early 1970s at the University of Northern Colorado, where he also earned a Master of Arts degree in Sculpture. He studied at università per i stranieri in Perugia, Italy, and at the accademia di belle arti in Florence, Italy. He lived in Italy for ten years in the 1970's and 1980's. A profound love of teaching inspired Miles to help establish Italtart, a school for American and German students in the Chianti region outside Florence. After many years of study and work in Europe, the artist and his wife returned to the US and settled in Santa Fe, NM, where they raised three children.

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EXHIBITIONS

- 2018 Art Miami
- 2018 Art New York
- 2018 Art Palm Springs, CA
- 2018 Palm Beach Modern + Contemporary, FL
- 2017 Art Miami
- 2017 Art New York
- 2017 Palm Beach Modern + Contemporary, FL
- 2016 Art Miami
- 2016 Masterpiece London, UK
- 2016 Spring Masters, Park Avenue Armory, New York
- 2016 Palm Beach Jewelry Art & Antiques, West Palm Beach, FL
- 2015 Art Miami
- 2015 SCOPE International Contemporary Art Show, Miami
- 2015 Art Silicon Valley, San Mateo, CA
- 2015 Art Southampton, NY
- 2015 Masterpiece London, UK
- 2015 Spring Masters, Park Avenue Armory, New York
- 2015 Art Miami, New York
- 2015 Palm Beach Jewelry Art & Antiques, West Palm Beach, FL
- 2014 SCOPE International Contemporary Art Show, Miami
- 2014 Art, Antique & Jewelry Show, Park Avenue Armory, New York
- 2014 Chicago International Art, Antique & Jewelry Show, Chicago
- 2014 American International Fine Art Fair, West Palm Beach, FL
- 2014 Art, Antique, and Jewelry Show, Naples, FL
- 2014 Palm Beach Jewelry Art & Antiques, West Palm Beach, FL
- 2014 SOFA Chicago
- 2013 60/40 Retrospective, Santa Fe, NM
- 2013 Art Aspen, CO
- 2013 Art Hamptons, Bridgehampton, NY
- 2013 Art Santa Fe, NM
- 2013 Art Toronto, Ontario
- 2013 Conrad Hotel, Indianapolis, IN
- 2013 Miami Design District Show, Miami
- 2013 Miniatures & More, Albuquerque Museum, NM
- 2013 SOFA Chicago
- 2012 Scope Art Show, Miami
- 2012 Art Palm Beach, FL

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EXHIBITIONS (continued)

- 2012 Art Hamptons, Bridgehampton, NY
- 2012 Art Aspen, CO
- 2012 SOFA Chicago
- 2011 San Francisco Fine Art Fair, CA
- 2011 Art Palm Beach, FL
- 2011 Art Hamptons, Bridgehampton, NY
- 2011 SOFA Chicago; New York
- 2010 Art Miami
- 2010 SOFA Chicago; New York; Los Angeles

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

- "Salvo D'Acquisto", Piazza in Figline Valdarno, Florence
- "Los Caballos", U.S. West, Phoenix, AZ
- "Seven Dwarfs", Disney Corporate Headquarters, Burbank, CA
- "Lyric Flight", AT&T, City Cerritos, CA
- "Intrepid", University of Colorado, Boulder
- "Millenium", Prime Investments, Dallas, TX
- "Mezzaforte", Pinnacle Housing Group, Miami
- "Ancient One", City of Edmond, OK
- "Glimmer", Goodbread Hills, Tallahassee, FL
- "Turning Points", Santa Fe Preparatory School
- "Centennial", Western Kentucky University
- "Chris McCarthy", Napa Valley Community College
- "Dreamcatcher", North Central Michigan College, Petosky, MI
- "La Bajada", State of New Mexico Motor Vehicle Dept., NM
- "Señor Catrin's Skeleton", State of New Mexico, Santa Fe
- "Flourish", Clearwater, FL
- "Evening Baja", Mease Countryside Hospital, Clearwater, FL
- "Aurora", University of Colorado Hospital, Aurora, CO
- "Embrace Revisited", Kite Realty, Indianapolis, IN
- "Untitled", St. Marys Healing Gardens, Evansville Hospital, IN
- "Transition", Conrad Hotel, Indianapolis, IN
- "Aja", Gartner and Bloom, New York
- "Inamorata", Flossmoor Sculpture Gardens, Flossmoor, IL

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MUSEUM COLLECTIONS AND EXHIBITS

Evansville Museum of Art, 1998, 2012
Miniatures and More, Albuquerque Museum, 2010-2014
Polk Museum, Lakeland, FL, 2017-2018

NATIONAL LANDMARKS

"The Grapecrusher", Southern Napa County, CA

Vietnam Women's Memorial, Washington D.C.; assisting Glenna Goodacre (American 1939)

"The Future", Cavan Associates, Albuquerque, NM; assisting Allan Houser (Native American 1914-1994)

EDUCATION

1972 Universita per i Stranieri in Perugia, Italy
1974 Bachelor of Arts, Fine Arts, University of Northern Colorado
1976 Accademia di Belle Arti, Florence, Italy
1979 Master of Arts, Sculpture, University of Northern Colorado