

LINDSAY OBERMEYER

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SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2010 *Art on Armitage*, "Glass Prairie," Chicago, IL
2008 *Jewish Healthcare Foundation*, "A Body of Work," Pittsburgh, PA.
2006 *Colorado State University*, "Woman's Work," Fort Collins, CO.
2005 *Art Museum, University of Memphis*, "Red Thread," Memphis, TN.
2004 *International Museum of Surgical Science*, "Chirurgi," Chicago, IL.
2003 *Ventura College*, "Woman's Work," Ventura, CA.

SELECTED TOURING EXHIBITIONS

- 2007 - 2010 *Cool Globes*, an outdoor public art exhibition
Field Museum (Chicago, IL), Crissy Field Promenade (San Francisco), San Diego
Museum of Natural History (San Diego, CA), Exposition Park (Los Angeles), Metra
Stations (Copenhagen, Denmark), Lake Geneva (Geneva, Switzerland).
- 2006 - 2007 *Twist and Shout: The New Needle Arts*
Florida Craftsmen Gallery (St. Petersburg, FL), Arts Garden (Indianapolis,
IN), Ohio Crafts Museum (Columbus, OH), City of Las Vegas Cultural Affairs
Division (Las Vegas, NV).
- 1997 - 2000 *The Beaded Universe: Strands of Culture*
The Mengei International Museum (San Diego, CA), Museum of Arts and Design
(New York, NY), North Dakota Museum of Art (Grand Forks, ND).

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2011 *Take Care*, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN
Physiotasmagorical, Evanston Art Center, Evanston, IL.
- 2010 *West Chicago City Museum*, "Prairie," West Chicago, IL.
Supermarket Art Fair, "Art on Armitage," Stockholm, Sweden.
- 2009 *St. Louis Regional Arts Commission*, "Sing the Body Electric," St. Louis, MO.
NIU Art Museum, "Crossing Threads / Crossing Boundaries," DeKalb, IL.
- 2008 *Peggy Notebaert Nature Museum*, "Lawn Nation," Chicago, IL.
San Jose Museum of Quilts and Textiles, "Beyond Knitting," San Jose, CA.
- 2007 *Translations Gallery*, "Under the Skin," Denver, CO.
- 2006 *Bedford Gallery*, "Embroidered Stories / Knitted Tales," Walnut Creek, CA.
H.F. Johnson Art Gallery, Carthage College "Through the Body," Kenosha, WI.
- 2005 *Zolla-Lieberman Gallery*, "Memory," Chicago, IL.
Indianapolis Art Center, "New Fiber," Indianapolis, IN.
- 2004 *Heuser Art Gallery, Bradley University*, "The Feminine Eye" Peoria, IL.
Urban Institute of Contemporary Art, "Snip and Loop," Grand Rapids, MI.
- 2003 *University Art Gallery, Indiana State University*, "Space Invaders: Six Installation
Artists," Terre Haute, IN., CA.
Ventura College, "Sweaters," Ventura, CA.
- 2002 *Museum of Fine Arts Boston*, "Threads on the Edge: The Daphne Fargo Fiber Art
Collection," Boston, MA .

SELECTED PERFORMANCE ART AND COMMUNITY ART

- 2011 *Laumeier Sculpture Park & Springboard*, "The Red Thread Project," St. Louis, MO.
- 2010 *Springboard*, "The Red Thread Project," St. Louis, MO.
Waubensee Community College, "The Red Thread Project," Sugar Grove, IL.
- 2009 *St. Louis Artist Guild*, "The Red Thread Project," St. Louis, MO.
Frist Center for the Visual Arts, "Art Makes Place: Attachments," Nashville, TN.
- 2008 *Looptopia*, "Attachments," Chicago, IL.
- 2006 *UICA*, "The Red Thread Project," Grand Rapids, MI.
- 2005 *University of Memphis*, "The Red Thread Project," Memphis, TN.

SELECTED BOOKS

- 2009 Turney, Joanne, *The Culture of Knitting*, Oxford, England: Berg Publishers.
2008 Searle, Karen, *Knitting Art: 150 Innovative Works from 18 Contemporary Artists*, Stillwater, MN: Voyageur Press.
2007 Strawn, Susan, *Knitting America*, Stillwater, MN: Voyageur Press.
2001 ed. Janis Jefferies, *Textile Transitions: Gender, Body and Identity*, London: Telos Publications

SELECTED TELEVISION AND RADIO

- 2009 Hodge, Brad and Montford, Hannah "The Red Thread Project," documentary DVD.
2008 *Chicago's Loop Stays Up All Night*, Chicago ABC affiliate, May 2.
2007 *Chicago City Art Goes Green*, WBEZ 91.5FM, Chicago, May 2.
"Cool Globes," John Cody, WBBM 780AM, Chicago, May 2.
2006 "Take Five," ABC affiliate, Grand Rapids, Red Thread Project Interview, May 18.
2004 *Radical Knitting*, PBS pilot program Curry, Deb, producer / director.

SELECTED ARTICLES AND REVIEWS

- 2008 LaFee, Scott, *San Diego Union-Tribune*, "A warning on warming," October 17.
2007 Artner, Alan, *Chicago Tribune*, "'Cool Globes' teaches while it delights," June 7.
Kridel, Kristen, *Chicago Tribune*, "A global view is just plain 'cool'" May 3.
2006 Klose, Stephanie, *Knit.1*, "The art of knitting," Summer.
Hall, Jacqueline, *Columbus Dispatch*, "Opposites Attract," September 24.
2005 NA, *Commercial Appeal*, "Putting their heads together," October 9.
Denney, Pamela, *Memphis Flyer*, "Strung Along," October 6-12.
Patterson, Sunita, *Fiberarts*, "Hats: The Pinnacle of Wearable Art – Making Connections," January / February.
2003 Woodard, Josef, *Los Angeles Times*, "Warm and fuzzy distaff tales," February 27.

GRANTS AND RESIDENCIES

- 2009 *Artist-in-Residence*, Ragdale Foundation, Lake Forest, IL.
2010, 2006, *Community Arts Assistance Program Grant*, City of Chicago Department of Cultural & Affairs, Chicago, IL.
2004 & 2003 *Artist-in-Residence*, Le Sympto-Fibres, St. Hyacinthe, Quebec, Canada.
1996 *Artist-in-Residence*, Le Sympto-Fibres, St. Hyacinthe, Quebec, Canada.

COLLECTIONS – PUBLIC / CORPORATE

- Swedish State Arts Council – Stockholm, Sweden
Museum of Fine Arts, Boston – Boston, MA
Barnes – Jewish Hospital Foundation – St. Louis, MO
Jewish Health Foundation – Pittsburgh, PA
University of Illinois Extension – Chicago, IL
Geneva Lutheran Church – Geneva, Switzerland

SELECTED RELATED WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2009 – present *Visual Arts Researcher*, Chicago Artists Resource, Dept. of Cultural Affairs, City of Chicago, Chicago, IL.
2004 – present *Project Designer*, clients include Lark Books, Asheville, NC.
2004 – present *Teaching Artist*, Evanston Art Center, Lillstreet Art Center, Beverly Arts Center, Chicago, IL.
2004 - present *Adjunct Instructor*, National-Louis University, Chicago, IL
2003 – 2005 *Visiting Assistant Professor*, Northern Illinois University, DekKalb, IL
1996 – 2000 *Adjunct Instructor*, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL.

EDUCATION

- 2001 *M.A.T.*, National-Louis University, Chicago, IL – Elementary Education
1994 *M.F.A.*, University of Washington, Seattle, WA – Fiber / Textiles
1988 *B.F.A.*, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL – Fiber / Textiles