

## **Chuck Sharbaugh**

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## **Education**

1975 BFA, Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfield Hills, MI

1972 Associates Degree, Oakland Community College, Farmington Hills, MI

## **Work Experience**

2006-present Studio Furniture Maker

1980-2006 Commissioned Finished Carpenter/Cabinet Maker/Furniture Maker

## **Museum Collections**

2018 Philadelphia Museum of Art, Philadelphia PA

2017 Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfield Hills, MI

2016 Fuller Craft Museum, Brockton, MA

Appleton Museum of Art, Ocala, Florida

2011 Museum of Arts & Design (MAD), New York, NY

## **Corporate Collections**

2017-2019 United States Sugar Corporation, Clewiston, FL

## **Curated Exhibitions**

2026 **My Country, Tis of Thee**

Celebrating American Art and Design, March 13 – September 2026, works pulled from the Permanent Collection.

2025 **Living with Craft**

Wayne Art Center, December 7, 2025 – January 24, 2026, organized by Nancy Campbell, Director and Curator of exhibition.

2023 **Michigan Artists**

Flint Institute of Art, October 2023, exhibition organized by Sarah Kohn, Curator of Collections and Exhibitions.

2015 **A Fine Timber: Wood and Transformation in Our Time**

Appleton Museum of Art, Nov 14, 2015-Jan 3, 2016, three person exhibition organized by Ruth Grimm, Curator of Exhibitions.

2014 **Re: Collection**

Museum of Arts & Design, Apr 1-Sept 7, organized by David McFadden, William and Mildred Lasdon Chief Curator Emeritus, in coordination with former Exhibitions Curator Dorothy TwiningGlobus.

## **Juried Exhibitions**

2025 **CraftForms 2025**

Wayne Art Center, Wayne PA. Dec 6 - Jan 25. Juror - Bruce W. Pepich, Museum Director, Curator Emeritus Racine Art Museum. Award of Excellence.

2024	<b>CraftForms 2024</b> Wayne Art Center, Wayne PA. Dec 7 – Jan 25. Juror - Jo Lauria, Los Angeles-based Curator, Author, and Educator. Award of Merit.
2023	<b>Muskegon Regional 94th Michigan Contemporary Art Exhibition</b> Muskegon Museum of Art, Muskegon MI. September 28 – November 8. Juror - Etsuko Ichikawa, Multi-media artist and Filmmaker. Craftsman Award. <b>Regional Biennial Juried Sculpture Exhibition 2012</b> Marshall M Fredericks Sculpture Museum, June 10 – July 31, Juror - Joseph A Becherer, founding director and curator of the Sculpture Program at Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park. <b>Veneer Tech Craftsman's Challenge</b> Veneer Technologies Inc, AWFS Las Vegas July 2023. Category Winner Furniture. <b>Academy Center of the Arts National Juried Art Exhibition</b> Academy Center of the Arts Lynchburg VA, April 7-29, 2023. Juror - Hiromi Okumura. Best in Show Award.
2022	<b>CraftForms 2022</b> Wayne Art Center, Wayne PA. Dec 2 – Jan 21. Juror - Jeannine Falino, Independent Curator and Museum Consultant. Best in Show Award. <b>Academy Center of the Arts National Juried Art Exhibition</b> Academy Center of the Arts Lynchburg VA, April 1-30, 2022. Juror - Janly Jaggard. Best in Show Award.
2021	<b>Veneer Tech Craftsmen's Challenge</b> Veneer Technologies Inc., Furniture Category Winner. <b>40th Annual Fine Arts Competition Exhibition</b> Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center, June 18 – August 19, 2021. Juror - David Lusk, David Lusk Art Gallery, Memphis Tennessee. <b>Muskegon Regional 92nd Michigan Exhibition</b> Muskegon Museum of Art, Muskegon MI. September 23-November 10. Juror - Karen Hampton.
2018	<b>Veneer Tech Craftsman's Challenge</b> Veneer Technologies Inc, IWF Atlanta August 23. Honorable Mention Award <b>Mesa Arts 39th Annual Contemporary Crafts</b> MESA Arts Center, Mesa AZ. Feb 9 – April 15, 2018. Juror - Bruce Hoffman, Director Gravers Lane Gallery, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
2017	<b>Muskegon Regional 89th Michigan Exhibition</b> Muskegon Museum of Art, Muskegon MI. September 28 - November 8. Juror - Petra Fallaux.
2016	<b>Members Biennial Exhibition</b> Fuller Craft Museum, Brockton, MA. Jun 25 – Sept 18. Juror - James Lawton, Professor of Ceramics and Director of the Department of Artisanry at the University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth. <b>Academy Center of the Arts National Juried Art Exhibition</b> Academy of Fine Arts, Lynchburg VA. Apr 1 – Apr 30. Juror - Siobhan Byrns.
2015	<b>HWD 2015 (Height x Width x Depth) Sculpture Exhibition</b> Rosewood Art Center, Dayton, OH. Aug 10 – Sept 11. Juror - Steven Matijcio.
2014	<b>Members Biennial Exhibition</b> Fuller Craft Museum, Boston, MA, Oct 26 – Feb 15, 2015. Juror - Arthur Dion, Director of Gallery NAGA. <b>HWD 2014</b> Rosewood Art Centre, Dayton, OH. Aug 25 – Sept 26. Juror - Carrie Longley, Assistant Professor of Fine Arts at Indiana University East.

2013

**Winter Expo 2012**

Infinity Art Gallery, Jan 15 - Apr 13, 2013, Juror - Charly Swing, Founder. Founder Choice Award.

**Craftsman's Challenge**

Veneer Technologies Inc, AWFS Fair Las Vegas, July 25. Special Honorable Mention Award.

**Greater Michigan Art Exhibition**

Alden B. Dow Museum of Science & Art, Midland MI, June 22 – Sept 22, Juror - Sergio De Giusti, Sculptor/Former Instructor at Wayne State University & Center for Creative Studies, Detroit, MI, Award of Merit-3D.

**Michigan Fine Arts Competition**

Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center, June 28 – Aug 23, Juror - Brad Durham, Painter/Former Instructor at Art Center College of Design, Los Angles, CA.

**Academy of Fine Arts Annual National Juried Art Exhibition**

Academy of Fine Arts, Lynchburg, VA. Apr 5 – Apr 27, Juror - David Dodge Lewis, Barger-Barclay Professor of Fine Arts at Hampden-Sydney College, Juror's Award.

2012

**Winter Expo 2012**  
Infinity Art Gallery, Jan 15 – Apr 13, Juror - Charly Swing, Founder's Choice Award.

**SOFA Chicago 2012**

Navy Pier, Chicago, IL. Nov 2 – 4, Juror - Charlotte Wainwright, Hon AIA and founding director of the Gregg Museum of Art & Design at North Carolina State.

**HWD 2012**

Rosewood Arts Centre, Dayton, OH. Nov 4 – Dec 14, Juror - Valerie Mann, Artist, Educator, Art Activist, Saline, MI. Juror's Award.

**51st Greater Michigan Art Exhibition**

Alden B Dow Museum of Science & Art, Midland MI. Jun 16 – Aug 18, Juror - Robert Schefman, Chair of the Foundation Department of the College for Creative Studies. Katharyn Rave Award for Crafts.

**Regional Biennial Juried Sculpture Exhibition 2012**

Marshall M Fredericks Sculputer Museum, Jun 9 – Sept 22, Juror - Joseph A Becherer, founding director and curator of the Sculpture Program at Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park.

**International Contemporary Furniture Fair (ICFF)**

Jacob K. Javits Convention Center, New York, NY, May 19 – 22.

**Michigan Fine Arts Competition**

Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center, Birmingham, MI, March 30 – May 4. Juror - Mi-Kyoung Lee, Associate Professor and Head of Fibers at the University of the Arts. Juror's Award.

2011

**CraftForms 2011**

Wayne Art Center, Wayne PA. Dec 2 – Jan 21. Juror - Elisabeth Agro, Curator of American Modern & Contemporary Crafts & Decorative Arts of the Philadelphia Museum of Art. 1st Place Juror's Award.

**Craft USA 2011**

Silvermine Arts Center, New Cannan, CT. Nov 13 – Dec 23. Juror - Holly Hotchner, Director of the Museum of Arts & Design, New York, NY. Best in Show Juror's Award.

**Craftsman's Challenge**

Veneer Technologies Inc, AWFS Fair, Las Vegas NV, Jul 20 – 23.

**Fall Expo 2011**

Infinity Art Gallery. Juror - M. M. Dupay, instructor Bowling Green State University. Juror's Award.

2010

**Academy of Fine Arts Annual National Juried Art Exhibition**

Academy of Fine Arts, Lynchburg VA. Apr 1 – Apr 30, Juror - George Billis, Owner/Director George Billis Gallery, New York, NY.

**CraftForms 2010**

Wayne Art Center, Wayne PA. Dec 4 – Jan 22. Juror - Jane C. Milosch, Senior Program Officer for Arts of the Smithsonian Institution.

**American Craft Today**

The Bascom Center for the Visual Arts, Highland NC. Oct 2 – Dec 18. Juror - Carol Sauvion, Director of Freehand Gallery in Los Angles. Juror's Award.

**The Art of Applied Design**

DMH digital Gallery, College of Human Environmental Sciences at Oklahoma State University. Sept 15 – Dec 1. Best of Show Award.

**National Art Encounter 2010**

The Von Liebig Art Center, Naples Florida. Sept 11 – Oct 30. Juror - Denise Gerson, Associate Director of the Lowe Art Museum at the University of Miami in Coral Gables.

**Craftsman's Challenge**

Veneer Technologies Inc, IWF 2010 Atlanta, GA. Honorable Mention Award.

**MESA Arts 31st Annual Contemporary Crafts Exhibition**

MESA Arts Center, Mesa AZ. Jan 22 – Mar 7. Juror - Jane Sauer, Owner/Director of Jane Sauer Gallery in Santa Fe New Mexico. Best in Show Juror's Award.

2009

**HWD 2009**

Rosewood Arts Centre, Dayton, OH. Nov 9 – Dec 11. Juror - Jonathan Quick, Artist/Educator teaching Sculpture at Ohio Wesleyan University in Delaware Ohio. Best in Show Juror's Award.

**49th Greater Michigan Art Exhibition**

Alden B Dow Museum of Science & Art, Midland MI. Oct 17 – Jan 3. Juror - Chris Kahler, Associate Professor of Painting and Drawing at Eastern Illinois University. Kathryn Rave Award for Crafts.

**Schwa 2009**

Emerge Gallery, Greenville NC. Aug 28 – Sept 26. Jurors - Kat Myers, Associate Professor of Art Western Illinois University and Matt Myers, Blacksmith/metalsmith, sculptor & painter. Judges Award.

**Craftsman's Challenge**

Veneer Technologies Inc, AWFS SHOW Las Vegas. July 15 – 18. Special Judge's Award.

2008

**CraftForms 2008**

Wayne Art Center, Wayne PA. Dec 5–Jan 24. Juror - Michael W. Monroe, Executive Director and Chief Curator of Bellevue Arts Museum in Washington State.

2007

**Craftsman's Challenge**

Veneer Technologies Inc, AWFS SHOW Las Vegas. July 18 – 21. Honorable Mention Award.

**CraftForms 2007**

Wayne Art Center, Wayne PA. Nov 30 – Feb 1. Juror - Mark Leach, Founding Director and Chief Curator of the Mint Museum of Craft & Design in Charlotte North Carolina. Honorable Mention Award.

**ANA 35**

The Holter Museum of Art, Helena MT. June 8 – Aug 15. Juror - Willem Volkerz, Artist/Instructor at Ohio State University, Jacob Kramer College in Leeds England, Kansas City Art Institute and retired in 2001 at Montana State University. Juror's Award.

## Bibliography

2009 Tina Skinner, *Studio Furniture: Today's Leading Woodworkers*, Schiffer Publishing Ltd.

## Awards

2023 **Muskegon Museum of Art**, Craftsman Award.  
**Veneer Tech Craftsman's Challenge**, Category Winner Furniture.

2022 **The Academy of Fine Arts**, Best in Show Juror's Award

2018 **Veneer Tech Craftsman's Challenge**, Honorable Mention Award

2017 **Muskegon Regional 89th Michigan Exhibition**, Docents' Choice Award

2015 **HWD**, Juror's Award

2013 **Academy of Fine Arts**, Juror's Award  
**Greater Michigan Art Exhibition**, Juror's Award  
**Craftsman's Challenge**, Special Honorable Mention Award  
**Winter Expo 2012**, Founder Choice Award  
**HWD 2012**, Juror's Award

2012 **Greater Michigan Art Exhibition**, Katharyn Rave Award for Crafts  
**Michigan Fine Arts Competition**, Juror's Award  
**Winter Expo**, Founder's Choice Award

2011 **Craft USA 2011**, Best in Show Juror's Award  
**CraftForms 2011**, 1st Place Juror's Award  
**Fall Expo 2011**, Juror's Award

2010 **American Craft Today**, Juror's Award  
**The Art of Applied Design**, Best of Show Award  
**Craftsman's Challenge**, Honorable Mention Award  
**MESA Arts 31st Annual Contemporary Crafts Exhibition**, Best of Show Award

2009 **HWD 2009**, Best of Show Award  
**49th Greater Michigan Art Exhibition**, Katharyn Rave Award for Crafts  
**Schwa 2009**, Judges Award  
**Craftsman's Challenge**, Special Judges Award

2007 **Craftsman's Challenge**, Honorable Mention Award  
**CraftForms 2007**, Honorable Mention Award  
**ANA 35**, Juror's Award

## Magazines/Periodicals/Newspapers/Online Reports

2018 **Woodworkers West Magazine**, January-February 2018.

2015 **Dayton City Paper**, No 3-D Glasses Required, August 25, Joyell Nevins.

2014 **Promenade Magazine**, Summer Issue at the MAD Museum... RE:COLLECTION. Karin Lipson.

2012 **Ohio Art League**  
A Regional Juried Sculpture Competition, posted Oct 13, 2012

**Bloomfield-Bloomfield Hills Patch**  
Arts, Jessica Strachan and Laura Houser

**Woodwork Magazine**  
The Best Work of 66 Artisans, Winter 2012 Issue

2011 **Museum of Arts & Design**  
Views, Newsletter Spring/Summer Bulletin

2010 **MaconNews.com**  
Bascom Awards \$5000 at American Craft Today exhibition, Mac Isaacs

	<b>AshvilleCitizen-Times.com</b> American Craft Today, Staff Reports
2009	<b>DaytonCityPaper.com</b> Diverse Works (Rosewood Gallery's Annual Sculpture Competition), Jud Yalkut
	<b>Dayton Daily News</b> Nothing flat about Rosewood show, Pamela Dillon
	<b>Maker+FDM</b> Special Judges Award, Tribute Entry
2008	<b>The Philadelphia Inquirer</b> Crafts Show Maintains High Quality, Victoria Donohoe
	<b>Your Magazine</b> The Art of Marquetry: Creativity in Veneer, Sue Lauber
	<b>Fine Woodworking Magazine</b> Readers Gallery
2007	<b>The Philadelphia Inquirer</b> Craftforms Show At Its Best, Victoria Donohoe
	<b>The Suburban and Wayne Times</b> The Wayne Art Center Hosts Craftforms Preview Party
	<b>Great Falls Tribune</b> Modern Art At The Holter