

KENNETH ROWE

ART DIRECTOR

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Skills

- Visual Design
- Safety Procedures
- Studio management
- Construction Methods
- Inventory Management
- Budgeting / Tracking
- Conflict Resolution
- Metal / Wood Fabrication
- Photography / Editing
- High Lev of Patience

Software

- Photoshop
- InDesign
- Premiere Pro
- After Effects
- DaVinci Resolve
- Sketchup
- Vray
- Autocad
- Sketch
- Invision
- Blender 3D
- Fusion 360

Relevant Experience

- 8/2008 | Owner / Lead Artist / Freelance Designer
Current | *Blackthorn & Company, LLC* | New York, NY
Created fine art sculptures through steel, bronze and wood.
Developed the Blackthorn Collection, a high end line of furniture.
- 6/2019 | Production Assistant
| *Tony Kim Studios* | New York, NY
Assisted with an on-location photo fashion shoot.
- 4/2018 | 3D Visualization
- 8/2018 | *Halliday Greer* | New York, NY
Created 3D models for interior architecture design presentations.
- 7/2018 | UX / UI Design
- 1/2019 | *xOps* | New York, NY
Conceptualized the UI for a website performance tracking app.
- 4/2017 | Branding / Graphic Design
- Present | *Sugar & Flour Bakery Cafe* | Milwaukee, WI
Developed a new website, logo and the marketing materials for company wide re-branding.
- 10/2005 | Land Planner / Project Manager
- 8/2008 | *David M. Jones, Jr. & Assoc., ETI, Inc.* | Fort Myers, FL
Acted as project manager; including permitting, on-site inspections, estimating, contractor coordination and permitting.
Visually enhanced and checked land development plans to ease government approval.

Projects

- Art Director | Belle (short film) | 2019 Deboka Films
Dir. Eduardo Cintron | DP Eun-ah Lee
- Art Director | Willows (3 short films) | 2019 Deboka Films
Dir. Eduardo Cintron | DP Eun-ah Lee

Education

- 2004 | Bachelor of Science - Fine Arts
| *University of Wisconsin - La Crosse*

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FINE ARTIST

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Software

- Adobe Photoshop
- Adobe InDesign
- Adobe Illustrator
- Sketchup
- Vray
- Autocad
- Sketch
- Invision
- Google Docs
- Blender 3D
- Fusion 360

Relevant Experience

- 2008 | Owner / Lead Artist / Freelance Designer
Current | *Blackthorn & Company, LLC | New York, NY*
Created fine art sculptures through steel, bronze and wood. Developed the Blackthorn Collection, a high end line of hand forged tables. Furnitruue: www.blackthorncompany.com/furniture
- 4/2000 | Student Studio Manager
10/2004 | *University of Wisconsin - La Crosse | La Crosse, WI*
Supervised Jewelry, Sculpture and Metalworking studios. Assisted students with equipment, safety training and projects. Maintained studio equipment and cleanliness. Assisted with bronze and iron foundry pours.
- 6/2000 | Blacksmiths Apprentice
1/2002 | *Koka Metalsmiths | Dakota, MN*
Assisted in the creation of architectural and fine art metal work. Maintained studio equipment. Performed on site installation of commercial and residential metalwork.
- 4/2018 | 3D Visualization
7/2018 | *Halliday Greer | New York, NY*
Conducted site inspections and produced realistic 3D models for interior architecture design presentations.

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WORKSHOP EXPERIENCE

- High level of concern for safety (imparted to students by 15 years of personal experience)
- Ferrous Metals
- Non-Ferrous Metals
- Blacksmithing (Architectural / Modern / Traditional)
- Hand Forging (Propane Forge)
- Bladesmithing (Including Damascus / Pattern Welded Steel)
- Metalsmithing (Jewelry Fabrication)
- Woodworking (Carving, Joinery, Finishing)
- Mig Welding
- Tool Making
- Power Tools (Grinders, Sanders, Drills, Saws)
- Heavy Equipment (Fork Lift, Power Hammer, Pneumatic Hammer, Drill Press, Press Brake)
- Pneumatic tools
- Oxy-Acetylene Torch
- Propane Torch
- Plasma Torch
- Mold Making (Sand, Lost Wax)
- Metal Pouring (Iron, Bronze, Cupola)
- High Level Finishing Techniques
- Mid-Level experience in ceramics, associated equipment, firing (kiln & raku)
- Mechanically inclined in the interest of becoming proficient in new machinery and processes
- Architectural / Art Installation
- 3D Modeling (Sketchup, Vray, Autocad, Blender 3D, Fusion 360)

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Curriculum Vitae

Exhibitions

- 2014 Art Basel Miami 2014. Jalan Jalan Collection, Miami, FL
- 2012 Art Basel Miami 2012. Collection Privée Gallery, Miami, FL
- 2012 Contemporary Modes. Samaniego Art, Naples, FL
- 2012 Epiphany. Daas Gallery, Fort Myers, FL
- 2011 SWFL Lives! 3rd Annual Group Show. Howl Gallery, Fort Myers, FL
- 2011 25th Annual All-Florida Juried Exhibition. Alliance for the Arts, Fort Myers, FL
- 2010 Leviathan Rising. Daas Gallery, Fort Myers, FL
- 2010 SWFL Lives! 2nd Annual Group Show. Howl Gallery, Fort Myers, FL
- 2010 National Art Encounter. Von Liebig Art Center, Naples, FL
- 2003 Welcome 2 it. Welcome 2 it, La Crosse, WI
- 2003 Senior Exhibition. UW-La Crosse, La Crosse, WI
- 2003 Juried Student Show. UW-La Crosse, La Crosse, WI
- 2003 7th Annual Hootenhagen Juried Show. Odin Arts Cooperative, La Crosse, WI
- 2002 Juried Student Show. UW-La Crosse, La Crosse, WI
- 2001 Juried Student Show. UW-La Crosse, La Crosse, WI
- 2000 Juried Student Show. UW-La Crosse, La Crosse, WI

Awards

- 2011 City of Fort Myers Arts & Culture Grant
- 2003 Catherine Crail Art Award
- 2000 Koka Metals Award

Publications

- 2013 Hephaistos. Summer 2013, Volume 5 Number 6.
- 2012 The Anvils Ring. New Works. Spring 2012, Volume 40 Number 1
- 2012 Florida Weekly. Artists Among Us, Art's & Entertainment, February 22-28, 2012.
- 2012 ArtSWFL.com. Art Walk, February 3, 2012. February 4, 2012
- 2011 The Anvils Ring. New Works. Summer 2011, Volume 39 Number 4.
- 2010 News-Press. Hot Iron Makes Cool Pieces. September 11, 2010
- 2009 Artsy Beat. Artsybeat.com. October 2009

Collections

- Murphy Library Endowment, University of Wisconsin - La Crosse, La Crosse, WI

Education

- Bachelor of Science in Fine Arts (2004), University of Wisconsin - La Crosse