

Steve Murphy
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Born Port Arthur, Texas, 1951- studio and residence located in Houston, Texas. University of Houston graduate with a Fine Arts degree in painting. Flaxman Scholarship recipient for outstanding senior painting major, U of H graduating class of 1975. Actively pursuing a career in sculpture since 1987.

Started exhibiting in Texas 1992 after returning from 9 yrs. in the Carolinas. Started exhibiting in the Metroplex in 1995 at The Arlington Museum of Art and Rachael Harris Gallery in Ft. Worth. Joined William Campbell Gallery in 1996.

Recent solo exhibitions at William Campbell Gallery Ft. Worth, Texas., Andrew Durham Gallery, Houston, Texas & William Havu Gallery Denver CO. Presented a solo exhibition at the Venice Architectural Biennale 2018. Additional solo exhibitions at The Museum of South East Texas, Houston Baptist University, Travis Tower and Houston City Hall. Also included in group exhibitions; *Houston Artists: Gestural and Geometric Abstraction*, Mobile Museum of Art, Mobile, Alabama, *Texas Abstract Exhibition*, Galveston Art Center, Galveston, Texas, *Under The Rotunda*, Texas Capitol Building, Austin Texas and *A Panoramic View*, Islander Gallery, A&M University, Corpus Christi, Texas. Works also presented at: Miami Project Art Fair, Palm Springs Fine Art Fair, Dallas Art Fair and Texas Contemporary Art Fair. Included in publications; *Space Time Existence* – GAA Foundation Publications, *Texas Abstract*, Fresco Fine Art Publications and *Contemporary Art of The Southwest*, Schiffer Publications.