

MARK NEWPORT

Lives and works in Hamtramck, Michigan

EDUCATION

- 1991 Master of Fine Arts, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 1986 Bachelor of Fine Arts, Kansas City Art Institute, Kansas City, MO

ONE PERSON EXHIBITIONS

- 2021 *sometimes it doesn't fit...*, Simone DeSousa Gallery spotlight at Eugenie, Detroit, MI
- 2020 *Cut, Mend, Weave*, Greg Kucera Gallery, Seattle, WA
- 2018 *Mark Newport: Stitches and Sutures*, San Jose Museum of Quilts and Textiles, San Jose, CA
Stitches, Simone DeSousa Gallery, Detroit, Michigan. Catalog.
- 2017 *Mends*, Form and Concept Gallery, Santa Fe, NM
- 2014 *Sweaterman: AKA Mark Newport*, Palos Verdes Art Center, Rancho Palos Verdes, CA
My Heroes, North Research Center, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
Mark Newport: Recent Work, Duane Reed Gallery, Saint Louis, MO
- 2012 *In Action*, Downtown Gallery, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN
Alter Egos, Fairbanks Gallery, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR
- 2011 *Sweatermen*, Art Association of Jackson Hole, Jackson Hole, WT
- 2010 *Mark Newport: Self-Made Man*, Laumeier Sculpture Park, Saint Louis, MO

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 *RAM Staff Selects*, Racine Art Museum, Racine, WI
Re-Animators: A New Examination of the Historic Heroic Body, Kirkland Arts Center, Kirkland, WA
Correspondence: Jane Lackey and Mark Newport, Simone DeSousa Gallery, Detroit, Michigan. Catalog.
Mining Mending, Textile Center, Minneapolis, MN
- 2022 *Garmenting: Costume as Contemporary Art*, Museum of Arts and Design, New York, New York. Catalog.
Wabi Sabi, Sun Valley Art Museum, Sun Valley, ID
- 2021 *Desire Paths*, Center for Craft, Asheville, NC
New Acquisitions, Racine Art Museum, Racine, WI
- 2020 *2020 China USA Technology and Innovation in Fiber Art Virtual Exhibition*
- 2019 *Boundless Encounters: Hangzhou Triennial of Fiber Art 2019*, Hangzhou Art Museum, Hangzhou, China. Catalog.
2019 Rijswijk Textile Biennial, Rijswijk Museum, Rijswijk, The Netherlands. Catalog.
International Fiber Art Fair, Seoul, South Korea. Catalog.
- 2018 *Art Prize X*, Grand Rapids Art Museum, Grand Rapids, MI
- 2017 *Dress Matters: Clothing as Metaphor*, Tucson Museum of Art, Tucson, AZ
Tangled: Fiber Art Now, Taubman Museum of Art, Richmond, VA
Intimate Lines: Drawing With Thread, Hunterdon Museum, Hunterdon, NJ
Here I Come to Save the Day: The Science, Culture, and Art of Superheroes, Everhart Museum, Scranton, PA
Caped Crusaders and Everyday Heroes, i.d.e.a. Museum, Mesa, AZ
- 2016 *Erote*, The Hollows Art Center, Brooklyn, New York..
From Lausanne to Beijing: The 9th International Fiberart Biennial, Guan Shan Yue Art Museum, Shenzhen, Guangdong Province, China P.R. Catalog.
- 2015 *My Hero: Contemporary Art and Superhero Action*, Bedford Gallery, Leshar Center for the Arts, Walnut Creek, CA
Traveling to: California Center for the Arts, Escondido, CA; Huntsville Museum of Art, Huntsville, AL; Daura Gallery, Lynchburg College, Lynchburg, VA; International Museum of Art and Science, McAllen, TX; Yellowstone Art Museum, Billings, MT; Kalamazoo Institute of Arts, Kalamazoo, MI; South Dakota Art Museum, Brookings, SD; Art Museum of West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV through December 2018. Catalog.
A Very Complete Opposite: Iris Eichenberg, Heather McGill, and Mark Newport, Simone DeSousa Gallery, Detroit, MI

- Scrimmage*, University Art Museum, Colorado State University, Fort Collins CO
A Whole Other World: Subculture Craft, Racine Art Museum, Racine, WI
Unraveling Identity: Our Textiles, Our Stories, The Textile Museum, George Washington University, Washington, D.C.
- 2014 *Some Pretty Interesting Characters: Works From RAM's Collection Part 2*, Racine Art Museum, Racine, WI
Shared Universe: The Art of Comic Books, Strathmore, Bethesda, MD
Saints, Stars, and Selfies, H & R Block Artspace, Kansas City Art Institute, Kansas City, MO
Fail-Safe: Discomforts Close to Home, Craft Alliance Gallery, Saint Louis, MO
- 2013 *Crafting a Continuum: Rethinking Contemporary Craft*, Arizona State University Art Museum, Tempe, Arizona. Catalog
Art X, Museum of Contemporary Art Detroit, Detroit, MI
- 2012 *Innovators and Legends*, Muskegon Art Museum, Muskegon, Michigan; Schweinfurth Memorial Art Center Auburn, NY;
 Art Museum of the University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky; and University Art Museum, Colorado State
 University, Fort Collins Colorado. *Traveling through 2014*. Catalog.
Traveling to: California Center for the Arts, Escondido, California; Huntsville Museum of Art, Huntsville Alabama;
Single Channel: Mark Newport, Des Moines Art Center, Des Moines, IA
Super Heroes Like Us, The Dayton Art Institute, Dayton, OH
Humor in Craft, The Society for Contemporary Craft, Pittsburgh, PA and Kendall College of Art Gallery, Grand Rapids, MI
Fairytales, Fantasy, and Fear, The Mint Museum, Charlotte, NC 2011
- 2011 *No Object is an Island*, Cranbrook Art Museum, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan. Catalog.
Manhood: Masculinity, Male Identity, and Culture, Helen Day Art Center, Stowe VT
Superheroes: Icons of Good, Evil, and Everything in Between, 516Arts, Albuquerque, NM
Gender and Media, Emmanuel Gallery, Denver, CO
Hero Worship, Mindy Solomon Gallery, Saint Petersburg, FL
- 2010 *Critical Stitch*, Mandeville Gallery, Union College, Schenectady, New York, NY
MAKE: CRAFT, Ben Maltz Gallery, Otis College of Art and Design, Los Angeles, CA
D.I.Y: A Revolution in Handicrafts, Society for Contemporary Craft, Pittsburgh, PA
KAPOW, AXENEO7 Artistes Centre. Gatineau, Quebec, Canada.

AWARDS

- 2024 Artist in Residence. Studio AIR Green. Norwegian Textile Arts. Noresund, Norway
 American Craft Council College of Fellows. American Craft Council, New York, NY.
- 2023 Artist in Residence, Studioworks Residency. Tides Institute and Museum, Eastport, ME.
- 2013 Louis Comfort Tiffany Foundation Award. New York, NY
- 2011 Kresge Artist Fellowship. Detroit, MI.
- 2006 Arizona Commission on the Arts Artist Project Grant. Phoenix, AZ.

COLLECTIONS

The Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY
 The Renwick Gallery of the Smithsonian American Art Museum, Washington, DC.
 Detroit Institute of Art, MI
 The Saint Louis Art Museum, Saint Louis, MO
 Cranbrook Art Museum, Bloomfield Hills, MI
 Arizona State University Art Museum, Tempe
 Fundacion Coleccion Jumex, Ecatepec, Mexico.
 The Mint Museum, Charlotte, NC
 The Racine Art Museum, Racine, WI
 Microsoft Corporation, Redmond, WA
 Progressive Insurance Company, Cleveland, OH
 4 Culture, Seattle, WA
 City of Phoenix Public Art. Phoenix, AZ
 Tides Institute and Museum, Eastport, ME