

# Marvin Lipofsky



Marvin Lipofsky (1938-2016) approached glass as an organic, sculptural medium; resulting in his signature amorphic forms. Many of his works are colorful "bubbles" of glass. Often semi-translucent, they allow the viewer to examine their depths. He is best known for the organic form of his pieces.

His glass sculptures have been featured in more than 40 solo exhibitions; his work is included in numerous private collections and in more than 100 museums and corporate collections throughout the world. A two-time recipient of a National Endowment for the Arts Fellowship, Lipofsky is recognized as a pioneer in the contemporary glass movement. He has taught and lectured at more than 300 workshops, conferences, and universities all over the world, and co-founded of Glass Art Society.

## Education

- 1964 M.F.A, Sculpture, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI
- 1964 M.S., Sculpture, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI
- 1962 B.F.A., Industrial Design, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL

## Selected Collections

Corning Museum of Glass, Corning, New York  
Hokkaido Government Prefecture, Sapporo, Japan  
Hsinchu Cultural Center, Hsinchu, Taiwan  
Indianapolis Museum of Art, Indianapolis, Indiana  
Castle Zsolnay Museum, Pecs, Hungary  
Krannert Art Museum, University of Illinois, Champaign, IL  
Kunsthau AM Museum, Koln, Germany  
Los Angeles County Museum of Art, Los Angeles, CA  
Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, New York  
Milwaukee Art Museum, Milwaukee, Wisconsin  
Montreal Museum of Decorative Arts, Montreal, Canada  
Musee D'Art Contemporain, Skopje, Yugoslavia  
Musee de Design ET D'Arts Appliques/Contemporains  
Lausanne, Switzerland  
Museo del Vidrio, La Granja, Spain  
Musee des Arts Decoratifs, Paris, France  
Musée Du Québec, Québec City, Québec, Canada  
Museum Bellerive, Zurich, Switzerland  
Museum Boymans-Van Beuningen, Rotterdam, Holland  
Museum Für Kunsthandwerk, Frankfurt, Germany  
Museum National Museum in Wroclaw, Wroclaw, Poland  
Museum of Applied Arts, Belgrade, Serbia, Yugoslavia  
Museum of Arts and Design, New York, NY  
National Museum of Glass, Leerdam, Holland  
National Museum of Modern Art, Kyoto, Japan  
Oakland Museum of California, Oakland, California

Philadelphia Museum of Art, Pennsylvania  
Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C.  
San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco, CA  
St. Louis Museum of Art, St. Louis, Missouri  
Stedelijke Museum, Amsterdam, Holland  
Tacoma Art Museum, Tacoma, WA  
Toledo Museum of Art, Toledo, Ohio  
Umeleckoprumslove Muzeum, Prague, Czechoslovakia

