

Jamie Harris



Jamie Harris straddles the disciplines of painting and glass blowing approaching his work, "more from a painterly perspective than as a traditional glassblower." His work is primarily about something simple: "loud splashes of color, capturing the innate way glass transmits, reflects, and absorbs color." The viewer often witnesses this sensitivity through a number of techniques and forms that Harris has mastered: "from the strictness of my blown work to the organic looseness of my fused panels," he uses color systems and theory to develop his forms. Yet the other critical layer to Harris's work is expressive and visceral

The colors are intended to imprint an immediate emotion on the viewer's experience of his objects as a very direct experience of color. Harris also straddles divergent historical epochs: "I merge a classic Venetian sensibility with a modernist approach." blending the look of Murano glass with Twentieth Century modernism as typified by the Bauhaus, Harris hybridizes the functionality of vessel and the aesthetics of sculpture. Jamie Harris also teaches at UrbanGlass, in Brooklyn, NY. He has studied at the most prestigious glass studios in America: The Pilchuck Glass School, the Rhode Island School of Design, the Penland School of Crafts, the Haystack School, and the Corning Museum of Glass and Tiffany & Co.

Education

- 2000 Post Graduate studies in Studio Art, New York University, New York, NY
- 1997 Brown University, BA Comparative Literature

Selected Exhibitions

- 2023 Palm Beach Modern & Contemporary, Duane Reed Gallery
- 2021 Duane Reed Gallery, St. Louis, MO
Method & Design, Naples, FL
- 2019 Wayne Art Center, Wayne, PA
- 2016 Art Palm Beach, Method & Concept
Method & Design, Naples, FL
- 2015 Vetri, Seattle, WA
- 2014 Collective Design Fair NY, Wexler Gallery
- 2013 SOFA Chicago, Duane Reed Gallery
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- 2011 SOFA Chicago, Duane Reed Gallery
Glass Weekend, Wheaton Arts,
Duane Reed Gallery
- 2010 SOFA Chicago, Duane Reed Gallery
William Traver Gallery, Tacoma, WA
SOFA Santa Fe, Duane Reed Gallery

Selected Collections

- Sergey Brin, Palo Alto, California
- Mobile Museum of Art, Mobile, Alabama
- Museum of American Glass, Millville, New Jersey
- Brooklyn Borough President Marty Markowitz, Brooklyn, NY

