



BOBBI MASTRANGELO

Since 1979, I have focused on the theme of manhole and water covers, rendering them in prints, cast paper, sculpture relief, installations and fiber art. In various sizes, these iron covers provide access to underground utilities such as electricity, gas, telephone and water.

I enjoy the challenge of creating these "Grate Works". But my art also has purpose and meaning, reminding all of us to safeguard our precious resources.

BIOGRAPHICAL HIGHLIGHTS

- SOLO EXHIBITIONS:**
- 2006** "Grate Works" Osceola Center for the Arts: Kissimmee FL
 - 1997** "Grate Works" Baltimore MD, Museum of Public Works
 - 1997** "Acquisitions" Islip Art Museum: East Islip, NY
- GROUP EXHIBITIONS:**
- 2010** "Water Source" Gwinnett Environmental Center: Buford GA
 - 2004** "NY Collects" Burchfield-Penney Art Center: Buffalo NY
 - 1992** "City Views" Staller Arts Center SUNY: Stony Brook, NY
- COLLECTIONS OF:**
- Baltimore Public Works Museum; Heckscher Museum, Huntington, NY; Islip NY Art Museum; Lowe's Hotel Corp. NYC; Nassau Community College (NY); Zimmerli Art Museum at Rutgers University; Port Washington, NY Water District; Suffolk County Water Authority (NY)
- AFFILIATIONS:**
- Arts & Science Collaborations Inc., Staten Is. NY; National Association of Women Artists, NYC; National Museum of Women in Art, Wash. DC; Friends of Dard Hunter (Paper-Makers) and Solivita Artisans Guild, Poinciana FL.
- MEDIA:**
- 2010** "Passion for Paper" Fiber Arts Mag. Feb. '10 by Hansell
 - 2002** "Cover Girl" Newsday, LI Life: by Caryn Eve Murray
 - 2003** "Beauty Underfoot" TV Park (TV Guide), Moscow
 - 2001** "Finding Beauty in the Grate Beyond" Baltimore Sun
 - 1998** "The Artist & Grate Works" L I News 12: by Sara Muller
- WEB PRESENCE**
- 2010** http://nawaf.com/gallery/bobbi_mastrangelo Nat. Assoc. Women Artists FL
 - 2010** <http://sewers.art.info.ru/archives> "Sewers of the World, Unite" Russia
 - 2009** http://celestopeatimes.com/Artist-Interviews/Art-Music_art-interview-with-contemporary-artist_Bobbi_Mastrangelo.htm
 - 2007** <http://mentalcontagion.com/archive2007.php> Cause & Effect Sept. 2007
 - 2007** <http://sewerhistory.org/grfx/misc/cultur.htm> "Sewers in our Culture" (1)
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