

## Matthew Jensen

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### Education

MFA University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT, April 2008  
BA Rice University, Houston, TX, May 2002

### Exhibitions/Residencies

#### 2010 Metropolitan Museum of Art

Acquisition of *The 49 States* to permanent collection, 49 image series  
Exhibition(s) to-be-determined.

#### LMCC – Building 110: Governors Island

July 23 – Aug 29

Solo Show & Site-specific Installation: *Searching for Something Unknown or Forgotten on Governors Island & Nowhere In Manhattan*

#### New York State Senate Grantee

May - Dec

Grants awarded for continued work on *Nowhere In Manhattan*

#### Kimmel Harding Nelson Center for the Arts

March

Residency, Nebraska City, NE

#### 2009 The New Landscape

Dec 10 – Dec 18

Group Show, Canal View Soho, New York City

#### Nowhere In Manhattan

Aug 13 – Aug 22

Solo Show, Chashama Gallery, 44<sup>th</sup> Street, New York City

#### Lower Manhattan Cultural Council Grant Recipient

July 1 – Nov 1

*Nowhere In Manhattan*: Supported by the Lower Manhattan Cultural Council, Citizens Committee for New York City and the NYS Senate. The project uses vacant billboards and scaffolding to exhibit landscapes of “nowhere” that are actually in Manhattan.

#### 2008 Rockaway: Landscapes at the Edge of New York

May 15 – July 15

Solo Show, Citizens Committee For New York City

#### Pentameter

May 21 – June 15

Group Show, Kathleen Cullen Fine Arts, New York City

#### New Work/Five Artists

April 11 – May 12

Group Show, Benton Museum of Art, Storrs, CT

#### Real Art Ways Slide Slam 2008 & 2009

March 20

Real Art Ways, Hartford, CT

#### Lagrange National Biennial XXV

March 1 – April 24

Lagrange Art Museum, Lagrange, GA

#### Toledo Friends of Photography 2008

Jan 13 – Feb 5

Center for the Visual Arts, University of Toledo

#### 50/50: New Media Object

Nov 4 – Feb 25

Artspace Windham, Willimantic, CT & Artwell Gallery, Torrington, CT

#### 2007 Aldrich Contemporary Art Museum: Radius

Oct 27 – Nov 18

Group show, Curated by the Aldrich Museum

#### Matthew Jensen: Recent Photography and Sculpture

Aug 10 – Sept 15

Solo show, Windham Arts Center, Willimantic, CT

#### Digital Atelier 2007

Aug 30 – Sept 20

Contemporary Arts Gallery, University of Connecticut

- 2006 **"Spectrum" and "First Snow"** Nov 10 – Dec 10  
Two outdoor installations in abandoned parcels of land in Willimantic, CT.
- Snap Into the Grid** Sept 14 – Oct 7  
Los Angeles Center for Digital Art

## Studio Work

**John-Paul Philippe**, New York, NY May 2006 – Present  
Studio Director; fabricating site-specific art and design for worldwide commissions.

## Teaching

**University of Connecticut**, Instructor Sept 2007 – April 2008  
**University of Connecticut**, Teaching Assistant Sept 2006 – April 2007

## Website

[www.Jensen-Projects.com](http://www.Jensen-Projects.com)

## Bibliography

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- *Previews*, [Whitewall Magazine Online](http://www.whitewallmag.com/2009/08/13/previews-august-13/), Lily Rose, 8/13/2009  
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- *Nowhere In Manhattan*, [The Stimulist](http://thestimulist.com/nowhere-in-manhattan/), August 12, 2009  
<http://thestimulist.com/nowhere-in-manhattan/>
- *Exhibition Exposes The 'Other Side' Of the Rockaways*, [The Wave](http://www.thewave.com/5/30/2008), 5/30/2008
- *Tall Order*, [The Chronicle](http://www.thechronicle.com), by Janice Steinhagen, review of show, two images, 8/23/2007
- *One, Two, Tree: Counting The Spruces*, [Hartford Courant](http://www.hartfordcourant.com), by Peter Marteka, Front-page feature story, 6/12/2007.
- *Interview with Matthew Jensen*, [Artists & Authors with Erica Pagliuco](http://www.artistsandauthors.com), 30-minute interview, CPTV 14, 5/20/2007.
- *Trash artist strikes again in Willimantic*, [The Willimantic Chronicle](http://www.thechronicle.com), by Heather Lottier, Front-page Feature, 11/29/06.
- *One-man's trash is another man's art*, [The Willimantic Chronicle](http://www.thechronicle.com), by Heather Lottier, Front-page, 11/13/06.