

## **Jonathan Bauch**

### **Biography**

Jonathan Bauch's body of work spans forty years. His next solo exhibition will be at the Westbeth Gallery in 2011. Bauch's last solo exhibition, *The Resulting Sculpture* September 23-October 14, 2007, featured 52 recent sculpture works and drawings and was held at the Westbeth Gallery. Bauch is currently an instructor of welded sculpture at the Educational Alliance where he was Artist in Residence during 2004-2005 in a program funded by the Abrons Art Center.

Other recent group exhibits include the Veridian Gallery (opening December 29, 2009) and multiple shows at the Educational Alliance and Westbeth Gallery. In 2004 Bauch curated a group exhibition *Space in movement / Movement in space*, presented at Westbeth Gallery. In this exhibit, seven sculptors and four painters investigated and created motion in the space of nonrepresentational compositions.

Born in Brooklyn, NY, Bauch graduated of Parsons School of Design in 1961. He studied painting at NYU and the School of Visual Arts, and sculpture at The Educational Alliance. Bauch started as a painter. His work quickly evolved into aluminum and wire mesh relief sculpture with colored lights. Since 2000, Bauch has created over 60 works in welded steel with painted enamel. These raw, expressive free shapes draw inspiration from forms in nature as well as the physical properties of the metal itself.

Mr. Bauch has exhibited in the NY metro area and New England. Some of his one-person sculpture shows include exhibitions at the Alliance of Artists, NYC, 1991; Becket Art Center, Becket, Ma, 1984; Mari Galleries, Mamaroneck, N.Y., 1976; Ward Nasse Gallery, NYC, 1976; The Bruce Museum, Greenwich, Conn., 1973; Westbeth Gallery, NYC, 1972.

A partial list of group shows include Westbeth Gallery, NYC, (most years 2009-1970); Ernest Rubenstein Gallery at the Educational Alliance, NYC, 2005 & 2008; Lever House Painting & Sculpture Show, NYC, 1976; 380 Gallery, NYC, 1976; Warren Benedek Gallery, NYC, 1974; The Museo De Art, Ponce, Puerto Rico, 1971; Judson Church, NYC, 1970; Project of Living Artists (Museum), NYC, 1969; Aspects-Aegis Gallery, NYC, 1968.

### Jonathan Bauch Collections

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