

## **Isaac Powell**

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### **Education**

2007 – MFA, Washington State University, Pullman, WA  
2005 – MA, Stephen F. Austin State University, Nacogdoches, TX  
2002 – BFA, Stephen F. Austin State University, Nacogdoches, TX

### **Artist Residencies**

2009 – Artcroft Self-directed Artist Residency, Carlisle, KY  
2007 – Centrum Self-directed Artist Residency, Port Townsend, WA

### **Academic Appointments**

2009 to Present – Assistant Prof. of Art, Painting, Eastern Kentucky Univ, Richmond, KY  
*Courses taught: Painting I, Adv. Painting, Drawing I, Adv. Drawing*  
2007 to 2009 – Assistant Prof. of Art, Foundations, Northwestern State Univ, Natchitoches, LA  
*Courses taught: Intro to Art History, Drawing I, Adv. Drawing, Design I, Color Theory*

### **Awards & Honors**

2010 – Junior Faculty Summer Research Award, Eastern Kentucky University, Richmond, KY  
2008 – NEF Grant, Northwestern State University, Natchitoches, LA  
2005 to 2007 – Washington State University Scholarship Tuition Waiver, WSU, Pullman, WA  
2005 – VSA arts Grand Prize Award \$20,000, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C.  
2004 – VSA arts First Prize Award \$5,000, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C.  
2003 – 2005 Graduate Teaching Assistantship, SFASU, Nacogdoches, TX

### **Exhibitions**

2012 – 40 Under 40, Orville Hanchey Galley, Natchitoches, LA  
2012 – From these Hills, William King Museum, Abingdon, VA  
2012 – Botanical, Manifest Gallery, Cincinnati, OH  
2011 – Companion Planting, Gloria Singletary Gallery, Lexington, KY  
2011 – The Armory Show, Pier 94, New York, NY  
2011 – Nature's Humans, Chautauqua exhibition, Giles Gallery, Richmond, KY  
2010 – KY7 Biennial, Loudon House, Lexington, KY  
2010 – Topo Maps vs. The City, 27 Ludlow St., New York, NY  
2010 – Geochronology & Biochronology, Gallery 1724, Houston, TX  
2010 – Revealing Culture, Smithsonian Institution Intl Gallery, Washington D.C.  
2010 – Something to Put Something On, Box 13, Houston, TX  
2009 – The Gardens, Blackfish Gallery, Portland, OR  
2009 – Faculty Exhibition, Giles Gallery, EKU, Richmond, KY  
2009 – 7th Annual ArtFirst! Intl Exhibition, Princeton University Medical Center, Princeton, NJ.

- 2009 – The Art of Communication, Gallery RFD, Swainsboro, GA
- 2008 – Terra Firma, Manifest Creative Research Gallery and Drawing Center, Cincinnati, Oh.
- 2008 – Snap to Grid, Los Angeles Center for Digital Art, Los Angeles, CA.
- 2008 – Change For a Ten, Art 180, Richmond, VA
- 2008 – Artists Respond to Fear, Loudon House, Lexington, KY
- 2008 – Washington State Invitational, Gallery II, Pullman, WA
- 2007 – Faculty Exhibition, Hanchey Gallery, NSU, Natchitoches, LA
- 2007 – MFA Thesis Exhibition, WSU Museum of Art, Pullman, WA (catalogue)
- 2007 – ASU Exhibition, Gallery III, WSU, Pullman, WA
- 2006 – MFA Exchange, Ridenbaugh Gallery, Moscow, ID
- 2005 – VSA arts Shifting Gears, Jurors, William A. Newman, Daniel Graham, Kirsten Hileman, S. Dillion Ripley Center, Smithsonian Institution, Washington D.C. (catalogue)
- 2004 – VSA arts Driving Force, Jurors, William A. Newman and Grady T. Turner, S. Dillion Ripley Center, Smithsonian Institution, Washington D.C. (catalogue)
- 2004 – National Art Show, Juror, Christopher Cook, Farmington Museum, Farmington, NM
- 2004 – The 14<sup>th</sup> Annual National Art Competition, Juror, Jeff Fleming, Truman State University Art Gallery, Kirksville, MO (catalogue)
- 2003 – Just In Case, Juror, Barry Jordan, Red Suspenders, Nacogdoches, TX (catalogue)
- 2002 – Two Days Before, Gallery 504, Nacogdoches, TX
- 2002 – The Art Alliance, Juror, Kathleen James, Griffith Gallery, Nacogdoches, TX
- 2001 – The Art Alliance, Juror, Donald Sultan, The Art Center, Nacogdoches, TX
- 2000 – The Art Alliance, Juror, The Art Guys, The Art Center, Nacogdoches, TX

### **Bibliography**

- 2006 – Sudermann, Hannehlore. “Graduate Student Wins National Award”, Washington State Magazine, Feb 2006, Pullman, WA
- 2005 – “Artists Spotlight; Isaac Powell, Volkswagen of America, Inc. Grand Prize Recipient”, The Creative Sprit, VSA arts In Action, Fall 2005, Washington D.C. p. 14, 17
- 2005 – “Awards & Honors”, WSU Today, WSU, Pullman, WA, September 30 2005 p. 2
- 2005 – Goodrich, Robbie. “Art by Motivation”, The Daily Sentinel. Sunday, Nov. 14, 2004, Nacogdoches, TX, 1A, 1E
- 2005 – “Artist Spotlight”, The Creative Sprit, VSA arts In Action, Spring 2005, Washington, D.C. p. 20

### **Professional Experience**

- Spring 2007 – Contracted Text Book Review, Thomson Wadsworth Publisher, *Foundations of Art and Design*, by Lois Fichner-Rathus
- 2006 to 2007 – Painting / Drawing Instructor, Cougar Quest Youth Camp, WSU, Pullman, WA
- 2004 to 2005 – Drawing Instructor, The Art Academy, Museum of East Texas, Lufkin, TX