

Lee Kelly

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In brief:

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| 1932 | Born, McCall, Idaho |
| 1949-51 | Attended Vanport University, Portland OR. |
| 1954-59 | Attended Portland Art Museum School, Portland OR. |
| 1967-71 | Instructor of Art, Mt. Angel College, Mt. Angel OR. |
| 1976-79 | Visiting Professor of Art, Reed College, Portland OR. |
| 1979 | First visit to Nepal and India. |
| 1985 | Oregon Arts Commission Fellowship to research traditional bronze casting methods of the Newari of Nepal. |
| 1987 | Oregon Governor's Award for the Arts. |
| 1992 | Masters Fellowship in Sculpture, State of Oregon. |
| 1994 | Travels in Cambodia and Thailand.
Visiting artist to Sapporo, Japan, part of Portland-Sapporo Sister City Program. |
| 2000 | Travel to Burma and Nepal |
| 2003 | Travel to Anasazi sites, American Southwest. |
| 2004 | Travel to India & Sri Lanka. |
| 2005 | Travel to Patagonia, Argentina & Chile. |
| 2006 | Travel to Haida sites, Queen Charlotte Islands |
| 2006 | Travel to Japan: Kyoto, Naoshima, Tokyo. |
| 2008 | Travel to New Zealand. |

Selected Public & Corporate Collections and Commissions (1985 to present):

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| 2009 | Steel sculpture; Evergreen High School, Vancouver WA.
Commissioned by Washington State Arts Commission. |
| 2008 | Wall sculpture, stainless steel; West Port Physical Therapy, Portland OR. |
| 2007 | <i>Howard's Way</i> , stainless steel sculptures with color insets; The Civic, Portland OR. |
| 2006 | <i>Loowit</i> , painted steel sculpture; Legacy Hospital, Vancouver WA. |
| 2005 | <i>Fish Ladder</i> , a sculptural fish ladder for Blue Lake, Central Oregon. In collaboration with the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife.
Stainless steel sculpture (two parts); Meridian Park Hospital, Tualatin OR.
<i>Angkor Weep</i> , stainless steel sculpture; Quimby Welding, Portland OR. |
| 2002 | <i>Box Loft</i> , stainless steel with light; Box and One Lofts, Portland OR (Fletcher, Farr, Ayotte, architects). |

- Lava Ridge and Four Columns*; Whitman College, Walla Walla, WA.
- Re-siting of *Akbar's Garden*; University of Oregon School of Architecture, Eugene OR (formerly at Claremont Hotel, Berkeley CA).
- 2001 *Lupin Fugue*; Oregon Garden, Silverton OR.
- 1999 *Healing Place*, stainless steel & stone; St. Vincent Hospital, Portland OR.
- 1998 *Bend Gate*, Corten steel (32' high); City of Bend, Bend OR.
- 1995 *Stainless Dreaming*, stainless steel; Portland Community College at Rock Creek, Portland OR
- Salmon River*, stainless steel, sculpture for Sapphoro, Japan. Part of Portland-Sapphoro Sister City Program.
- Friendship Columns*, two stainless steel columns, 24' high; North Waterfront Park, Portland OR With composer Michael Stirling.
- 1989 *Aeolian Columns*, stainless steel and porcelain enamel columns fitted with organ pipes; Veterans Administration Medical Center, Portland OR.
- Memorial for Sir James McDonald*; Elk Rock Garden, Portland OR.
- Arch With Oaks*, stainless steel, 48' high; Cornell Oaks Corporate Center, Beaverton OR.
- 1985 *Bell Gate*, stainless steel, porcelain enamel and turning mechanism; Bellevue Pedestrian Corridor, Bellevue WA. Collaboration with Bonnie Bronson and David Cotter.
- Akbar's Garden*, stainless steel, 17' high; Claremont Hotel, Berkeley CA.
- Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon. Corten steel, 14' high.
- Omark*, Corten steel, 14' high; Omark Industries, Portland OR.

Selected Private Collections and Commissions (1985 to present):

- 2007 Stainless steel sculpture (two parts); Munch residence, Portland OR.
- Icarus*, stainless steel sculpture (three parts); Pope residence, Portland OR.
- 2006 Wall sculpture, painted steel; Andrews residence, Portland OR.
- Tahoe, steel sculpture; Dolly Lemelson residence, Incline Village NV.
- Wall sculpture; Gustafson residence, Portland OR.
- Wall sculpture; Johnson residence, Portland OR.
- 1999 *Powell Fountain*, stainless steel fountain & re-circulating pool; Michael Powell residence, Portland OR.
- 1998 Sculpture; Robert & Shake Sarkis residence, Seattle WA.
- Sculpture; Don & Emilie Frisbee residence, Portland OR.
- 1992 *Shipleigh Wall*, wall sculpture; Joan & John Shipley residence, Portland OR.

- Obelisk*, stainless steel and acrylic urethane paint, 30' high; Tina & Reed Wilson residence, Portland, OR. With composer Michael Stirling.
- Schnitzer Garden*, stainless steel sculpture with acrylic urethane paint, 9' high; Arlene & Harold Schnitzer residence, Portland OR. With composer Michael Stirling.
- 1989 *Hart Garden*, garden elements, including sculptural waterway; Paul Hart & Jan Jacobsen residence, Portland OR.
- Boly Garden*, private garden and fountain, Corten steel and porcelain enamel; Jeff & Diane Boly residence, Portland OR.

Selected Exhibitions (1984 to present):

- 2009 *77th Spring*, new sculpture; Elizabeth Leach Gallery, Portland OR.
Drawings for *77th Spring*; Winestock, Oregon City OR.
- 2008 *Doubtful Sound*, new wall sculpture and retrospective of paintings from 1959 to 1965; Elizabeth Leach Gallery, Portland OR.
New Drawings; Winestock, Oregon City OR
- 2007 Recent Sculpture & Drawings; B Street Gallery, Portland OR.
- 2006 New Sculpture; Elizabeth Leach Gallery, Portland OR.
- 2005 New Sculpture; Elizabeth Leach Gallery, Portland OR.
Works on Paper (group show); The Art Gym, Marylhurst University, Marylhurst OR.
Memory 99: Outdoor Sculpture; Leland Iron Works, Oregon City OR and Elizabeth Leach Gallery, Portland OR.
Recent Wall Sculptures; Oregon State University, Corvallis OR.
- 1998 *Ships of Renewal & Other New Work*; Elizabeth Leach Gallery, Portland OR
- 1997 New work; Elizabeth Leach Gallery, Portland OR.
- 1995 *Lee Kelly: Sculpture*, career retrospective; The Art Gym, Marylhurst University, Marylhurst OR.
- 1993 *Sound Garden*; Elizabeth Leach Gallery, Portland OR.
Collaborations In Steel & Sound; Cheney Cowles Museum, Spokane WA. With composer Michael Stirling.
- 1992 *Tools of the Butter Trade*; Elizabeth Leach Gallery, Portland OR.
- 1988 *Collaborations In Steel & Sound*; Elizabeth Leach Gallery, Portland OR. With composer Michael Stirling.
- 1987 *Love Variations*; Linda Hodges Gallery, Seattle, WA.
Incidents of Travel in Asia & Yucatan; Littman Gallery, Portland State University, Portland OR.
- 1986 New work; Elizabeth Leach Gallery, Portland OR.
- 1985 *Yucatan Series*; Hodges/Banks Gallery, Seattle WA.
- 1984 *Outdoor Sculpture*, year-long retrospective; The Art Gym, Marylhurst University, Marylhurst OR.