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PRIZE WINNERS OF INTELLIGENT OBJECTS
ROB MANDEL AND JOSEPH MORRIS FEATURED AT CAW

New Haven, CT – When art and technology intersect, our way of interpreting what we see can be greatly expanded. Creative Arts Workshop’s highly praised juried show, *Intelligent Objects*, proved that. Juror George Fifield, Founder and Director of Boston Cyberarts, Inc., chose the winners whose works will be on exhibit Monday January 25 through February 26 at CAW’s Hilles Gallery at 80 Audubon St. in New Haven. The opening is Friday the 29th from 5pm to 7pm, along with *XOXO: A Sale of Valentines* by CAW’s book Arts Department.

Robin Mandel’s works include an exploded chair in suspension. “I focus in particular on paradoxes of motion and stillness, and the notion of moving to become still.” Mandel is currently an Assistant Professor at the University of Massachusetts, Amherst. He also exhibits nationally and holds two Awards of Excellence from the Rhode Island School of Design.

Joseph Morris makes emotive machines that seem to breathe. “My work is occupied with the affectual space of somatic relationships between our bodies and physical space.” He is a contemporary Mixed Media Sculptor based in Brooklyn, NY where he is currently Visiting Professor and Technician with Pratt Institute’s department of Industrial Design. Support for his work comes from The Foundation for Contemporary Arts’ Emergency Grant & The Solar Particle Wind Chime was produced in part through the support of The Harvestworks Artist in Residence Program.

The Hilles Gallery is opened Monday through Friday 9am to 7pm and Saturday 9am to 12noon. For more information visit CreativeArtsWorkshop.org. The exhibition is sponsored by WSHU Public Radio Group and Black Hog Brewing Company.

ABOUT CREATIVE ARTS WORKSHOP

Creative Arts Workshop is a non-profit community art center devoted to fostering creativity through participation in and appreciation of the visual arts, serving the Greater New Haven area and beyond since 1961. The Workshop is a premiere community resource center for the visual arts offering a wide range of classes to students of all ages in fully equipped studios. CAW is supported by its membership, tuition fees, donors, sponsorships, grants, arts-related fundraising events and a dedicated group of volunteers. Additional funding comes from the Department of Economic and Community Development/Connecticut Office of the Arts, NewAlliance Foundation, and the The Laetitia V. Pierson Fund and The David G. Powrie Fund of the Community Foundation of Greater New Haven.