

Marine & Coastal Art

Judge's Statement

The invitation to jury this show offered me the rare opportunity to stroll among the beaches, boats, waves, clouds and critters conjured up by this talented group of artists. From the raucous and wildly animated depiction of Coney Island, to the quiet and thoughtful meditation on shells, sand and seaweed, I found the variety subject matter and media to be as vast as the sea itself - and just as challenging for me to navigate as a juror. Some artists' visions are as big as the sky, while others capture intimate moments and memories - so I waded in, and did my best to recognize the work that took me to coves in my mind I hadn't visited before.

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Miggs Burroughs, Juror

Judge's Bio

A lifelong Westporter and graphic artist, Miggs Burroughs has designed hundreds of logos, websites and print material. Recently Miggs has won much acclaim for his work with lenticular imagery, which has been exhibited in shows in the area and won several Best in Show. With a Fine Arts degree from Carnegie-Mellon University, Miggs has taught graphic design at Fairfield University and UCONN.

