

## Registration

ISC members receive discounted conference registration. Membership must be valid through October 31, 2008. Please join prior to registering for the conference as your membership number will be required when you register. To join or renew visit [www.sculpture.org](http://www.sculpture.org), call 609-689-1051 x301, or email [membership@sculpture.org](mailto:membership@sculpture.org).

- **Early bird:** \$325 member rate. Limited to the first 100 persons who register by June 30, 2008
- **Regular:** \$375 Member rate
- **Student Rate:** \$75. Limited number of spaces available. Current Student ID required!
- **Non-Member Rate:** \$525

Registration Opens May 15, 2008  
Registration Deadline: September 4, 2008

Register online at: [www.sculpture.org](http://www.sculpture.org) or contact us at [events@sculpture.org](mailto:events@sculpture.org) – 609-689-1051 x302

Registration includes transportation to Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park from official conference hotels, entrance to all panels, keynote address, Vendor's Square, Educator Award Luncheon, Networking coffee breaks, Friday night downtown party, and pre-keynote reception at Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park.

Cancellations must be submitted in writing before September 4, 2008 and are subject to a \$100 cancellation fee. No refunds will be offered for cancellations received after September 4, 2008. All approved refunds will be paid by check and issued following the conclusion of the conference.

## Location

Conference Registration and most panel sessions will be held at Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park. Daily transportation provided from official conference hotels. Pre-conference registration to be held at the Amway Grand Plaza.

## Travel

Official Conference Hotel:

### Amway Grand Plaza

Reference "ISC" when making your reservation to get the discounted conference rate.

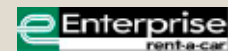
ISC Group Rate: \$127  
single/double plus applicable taxes.

Reservation cut-off date is September 1, 2008.  
For reservations call: (800)253-3590

Note, a limited number of rooms are available at the conference rate and we encourage you to make your reservations early to ensure availability!

For information on other hotels please visit [www.sculpture.org](http://www.sculpture.org)

Discounts also available through:



## Funding provided in part by:

Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park, Fred and Lena Meijer, Aquinas College, Urban Institute for Contemporary Arts (UICA), Grand Rapids Art Museum, and Grand Valley State University.



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# Join your fellow ISC members for this much anticipated bi-annual event.

## Share your experiences and learn from others!

Building on our 2007 conference, the ISC's 21st International Sculpture Conference, **Sculpture in Public: Part 2, Public Art** will broaden the discussion to matters which relate to Public Art in general. Bringing together ISC members, sculptors, educators, students, arts administrators, and patrons among others, we will focus on the fundamental issues that are central to Public Art today!

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## 21st International Sculpture Conference Sculpture In Public: Part 2, Public Art

October 2 – 4, 2008  
Grand Rapids, Michigan

Presented by the  
International Sculpture Center

In cooperation with the  
Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park



21st International Sculpture Conference

# Sculpture in Public: Part 2, Public Art

# Thursday-Saturday, October 2-4

## Conference Highlights:

- > Special Exhibition and Keynote Address by world-renowned sculptor Jaume Plensa
- > Panel Discussions by leading Public Art Administrators, Artists, Curators, Writers, and Critics
- > Social Events and Networking Receptions
- > Vendor's Square
- > Members "Art Slam"
- > Educator of the Year Award Luncheon honoring Ron Pederson
- > Time to explore the internationally acclaimed sculpture collections of Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park including new installations by Arp, Miro, Nash, Otterness, Richier, and Zadkine.
- > Free admission to the recently re-opened Grand Rapids Art Museum (GRAM), the first and only newly built art museum in the world to receive LEEDS certification
- > Optional Workshops and tours\*  
\*additional fees apply

(Left-Right): 1. Alexander Calder, *La Grande Vitesse*, 1969. © 2007 Calder Foundation, New York / Artists Rights Society (ARS) New York. Photo credit: Chuck Heiney Photography/chuckheiney.com 2. Jaume Plensa at the Galerie Lelong New York, April 2006. Photo courtesy Laura Medina. 3. Kenneth Snelson, *B-Tree II*, 2005. Stainless Steel, permanent collection of Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park. Gift of Fred and Lena Meijer. Photo: Chuck Heiney Photography 4. Iron pour at Grand Valley State University. Photo courtesy: Terrance Weinzierl 5. UICA Exterior 6. Mark Di Suvero, *Scarlati*, 1994-2000. Gift of Fred and Lena Meijer. Collection of Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park. Photo by William J. Hebert 7. Grand Rapids Art Museum. Photo by Steve Hall for Hedrich Blessing © 2007 8. Artists' installation in the Oxbow lagoon. Barbara Miner, Fall, 2007. 9. Barry Hehemann, *2nd, 4th*. At Western Michigan University. Photo by John Running-Johnson. Cover: Arnaldo Pomodoro, *Disk in the Form of a Desert Rose*, Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park cast 1999-2000. Gift of Fred and Lena Meijer. Photo by William J. Hebert.

## Workshops:

Additional Fees Apply  
Space is limited-  
Register Early!

**CAST IRON INTENSIVE: \$275**  
Saturday, September 27 – Wednesday, October 1st  
Five-day intensive multi-level hands-on cast iron workshop will focus on iron casting using a traditional cupola furnace.

**ONE STITCH AFTER ANOTHER—CROCHET AS A SCULPTURAL PRACTICE: \$70**  
Wednesday October 1, 2008  
A review of contemporary crocheted sculptural work to introduce participants to the broad possibilities of the craft.

**CHAOS/CONTROL—USING 3D SOFTWARE: \$195**  
Wednesday, October 1  
Using standard and specialty 3D software packages to create work.

**THREE ARTISTS—THREE APPROACHES TO WORKING IN CERAMICS: \$70**  
Wednesday, October 1  
Slide lecture and demonstration of three techniques with unique and varied approaches to working in ceramics.

Workshops open to registered attendees only.

## Optional Events and Tours Include:

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**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1**  
Kalamazoo Institute of Arts and Western Michigan University: \$67pp  
Visit Kalamazoo Institute Arts and downtown Kalamazoo followed by walking tour of Western Michigan University outdoor sculpture collection.

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1**  
Oxbow School and Saugatuck: \$78pp  
Tour artist-in-residence studios followed by included lunch on this scenic campus. Bring your hiking

shoes for an after lunch hike up the dune for one of a kind views of Lake Michigan. Your day ends with a stop in downtown Saugatuck with time to explore this unique arts town.

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1**  
Pre-Conference Iron Pour Party: \$40pp  
ISC Conference attendees are invited to see the finale of the Cast Iron Intensive workshop. Witness the iron pour live! Transportation, food and non-alcoholic drinks provided.

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2**  
Public Art Walking Tours: \$10pp  
90 minute walking tour of downtown Grand Rapids where your guide will point out highlights of the public sculpture including pieces by Alexander Calder, Maya Lin, and Mark Di Suvero, among others.

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4**  
Grand Rapids City Tour: \$69pp  
For history buffs! This tour includes admission to Gerald R. Ford Museum and Van Andel Museum as well as a narrated driving tour of the city including the prestigious Heritage Hill District.

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5**  
Western Michigan Wine Country Tour: \$83pp  
The perfect way to wind down the weekend! Includes tasting at Tabor Hill Wine Port, time to shop in quaint lakeside community of Saugatuck, and a wagon tour at Fenn Valley Vineyard with souvenir logo glass.

Registered attendees may purchase up to two tickets for these events.

## Conference Presenters\*:

Confirmed at time of printing

Brooks Barwell  
Joseph Becherer  
Herve Bechy  
Roberley Bell  
Kofi Boone  
Todd Bressi  
Michele Cohen

Cathleen Cooke  
Erika Doss  
Anita Feldman  
Eleanor Heartney  
Joel Henning  
Scott Hodes  
Janet Kagan

Joshua Kanter  
Cher Knight  
Christiana Lanzl  
Helen Lessick  
Tin Ly  
Jack Mackie  
Jennifer McGregor

Dennis Montagna  
Tom Moran  
Nancy Mulnix Tweddale  
Jaume Plensa  
Norie Sato  
Harriet Senie  
Sarah Schrank

Foon Sham  
Shelley Smith  
Barry Tinsley  
Paul Wittenbraker  
John Young

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