

James Dinh — Resumé

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EDUCATION

2002 Master of Landscape Architecture

University of California, Berkeley

1997 Master of Public Health, with a concentration in epidemiology

University of California, Los Angeles

1991 Bachelor of Science in Biological Sciences

University of California, Irvine

WORK EXPERIENCE

2010 – present Principal

Studiofolia, Cerritos, CA

PUBLIC ART COMMISSIONS

2024	Higuera Adobe	public art.	Milpitas.	CA – currently	in fabrication

Baltimore County COVID-19 Memorial, Baltimore, MD – currently in fabrication

Willie Henderson Sports Complex public art, San Diego, CA - currently in design development

Oakey Dog Park public art, Las Vegas, NV - commissioned artist with Michael Stutz

September 11 Memorial, Indio, CA - commissioned artist

Leinberger Memorial Center public art, Woodland, CA - commissioned artist

Reserve Forces Training Area Camp Parks public art, Dublin, CA - commissioned artist

2023 Kahului Community Park mural, Maui, HI – completed with Thinh Nguyen

50th Anniversary sculpture, Cedar Park, TX - completed

Vista Canyon Multi-Modal Center public art, Santa Clarita, CA – completed

Woman's College tribute, Uni. of N. Carolina, Greensboro - completed with Michael Stutz

Commemorative public art, Frankfort, KY – completed with Landon Crowell

Sports Park mural, Tustin, CA - completed

Allegheny Park Women's Walk of Fame public art, City of Los Angeles, CA - finalist

August 6 Memorial, Dayton, OH – finalist with Landon Crowell and Amy Deal

2022 St. Thomas University student memorial, St. Paul, MN – completed

University of Nebraska public art, Lincoln, NE - completed

Westminster Crossing affordable housing art, Westminster, CA - completed with Thinh Nguyen

2021 Evergreen Cemetery Veterans Memorial, Gainesville, FL – completed

Montgomery County Law Enforcement Memorial, Dayton, OH - currently in design development

2020 Equity Fountain public art, Helena, MT – completed with Michael Stutz

2018 Art in Transit Program, bus shelter public art, San Antonio, TX – completed

National Native American Veterans Memorial, Smithsonian, Washington D.C. – finalist

2017 Of Two Lineages public art, Westminster, CA – completed

2016 David & Margaret Youth and Family Services Public Art, La Verne, CA – completed

2015 LA County Sheriff's Memorial, LA County Arts Commission – commissioned artist

2014 Circles of a Ripple public art, Hacienda Heights Community Center- completed



SYMPOSIUMS / LECTURES

2023 Webinar: Representation: the Crux of Public Space, World Heritage USA

The webinar pushes the activism of creators into the forefront, featuring guest speakers

from the United States of America and Afghanistan. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MmYqfagqZng

EXHIBITIONS & WORKSHOPS

2018 Viet Stories: Recollections & Regenerations, Richard Nixon Library, CA – exhibition designer

2017 Impress, Orange County Center for Contemporary Art – participating artist

2016 Coastal Communities Cancer Center Temporary public art, Ventura, CA – commissioned artist

2015 Earth Day Temporary Public Art Installation, City of Garden Grove, CA – commissioned artist

40 Hues Between Black & White, Orange County Center for Contemporary Art – participating artist Re:Imagine Garden Grove, Garden Grove, CA – participating artist for community workshop Vietnamese Focus: Generations of Stories, Santa Ana, CA – exhibition director and designer

2012 Noche de Altares, Santa Ana, CA – participating artist for community workshop

AWARDS

2019 Orange County Arts Awards Honoree: Achievement Award for Arts Leader

2017 American for the Arts Convention Scholarship

2006 Post-Katrina New Orleans East Design Residency, New Orleans, LA

REFERENCES

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