

## Mags Harries

Born Barry, Wales

### PROFESSIONAL POSITION:

1978 -- School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA, Sculpture Faculty

1990 -- Harries/Héder Collaborative, Cambridge MA

**AWARDS -- a Selection:** \* in collaboration with Lajos Héder

- 2014 **CoD+A Awards Merit Award for Art and Technology:** *Passage* (Phoenix, AZ)\*
- 2013 **CoD+A Awards Merit Award for Landscape:** *Xixi Umbrellas* (Hangzhou, China)\*
- 2012 **Valley Forward Crescordia Award for Art In Public Places:** *Passage* (Phoenix, AZ)\*  
**Public Art Network Year in Review Award:** *Terpsichore for Kansas City* (Kansas City, MO) \*  
**Public Art Network Year in Review Award:** *Passage* (Phoenix, AZ) \*
- 2010 **Valley Forward Crescordia Award for Site Art In Public Places:** *The Zanjeros Line* (Phoenix, AZ)\*  
**Valley Forward Award of Merit for Site Development:** *The Zanjeros Line* (Phoenix, AZ)\*  
**Liveable City Vision Award for Esthetics:** *SunFlowers, An Electric Garden* (Austin, TX)\*  
**The Bogliasco Foundation Fellowship:** Residency (Genoa, Italy)\*
- 2008 **Public Art Network Year in Review Award:** *A MoonTide Garden* (Portland, ME)\* 2007  
**The Waterfront Center Honor Award of Excellence:** *Drawn Water* (Cambridge, MA)\*
- 2006 **The Waterfront Center Honor Award of Excellence:** *WaterWorks at Arizona Falls* (Phoenix, AZ)\*
- 2005 **Valley Forward Crescordia Award:** *Arbors & Ghost Trees* (Phoenix, AZ)\*  
**Public Art Network Year in Review Award:** South Anchorage High School, (Anchorage, AK)\*
- 2004 **AICA Award:** *Projections*, NAO Gallery (Boston, MA)  
**Public Art Network Year in Review Award:** *WaterWorks at Arizona Falls* (Phoenix, AZ)\* 2003  
**New England Foundation for the Arts Fund for the Arts:** Community Consultant (Boston, MA)  
**Valley Forward Presidential Award:** *WaterWorks at Arizona Falls* (Phoenix, AZ)\*  
**Massachusetts Cultural Council:** Individual Artist Grant Sculpture/ Installation
- 2002 **Public Art Network Year in Review Award:** *Drawn Water* (Cambridge, MA)\*
- 2001 **Marshall Cogan Visiting Artist:** Office of the Arts at Harvard University, (Cambridge, MA) 1993  
**Boston Society of Architects Design Collaboration Award:** *Wall Cycle to Ocotillo* (Phoenix, AZ)\*
- 1986 **Massachusetts Governor's Design Awards:** *Asaroton & Bellingham Square*
- 1981 **Design Excellence Award for Public Art in Transportation** (N.E.A / U.S.D.O.T)
- 1977---78 **Bunting Institute Fellow**, Radcliffe College, Harvard University, (Cambridge, MA)
- PUBLIC ART COMMISSIONS -- a Selection:** \* in collaboration with Lajos Héder
- 2014 **Mounts Botanical Garden, West Palm Beach, FL/ Windows on the Floating World** (in progress)
- 2013 **Meeting Place Greensboro, NC/ Downtown Greenway\***
- 2012--- **Manhattan Beach, CA/ Light Gate** (in progress) \*
- 2012--- **Southstar Lofts, Philadelphia, PA/ LightPlay\*** (in progress)
- 2012 **Xixi Wetlands Park, Hangzhou, China/ Xixi Umbrellas\***
- 2011 **Kaufman Center for the Performing, Kansas City, MO/ Terpsichore for Kansas City\***  
**South Mountain Community College, Phoenix, AZ/ Passage\***
- 2009 **Highline Canal, Phoenix, AZ/ The Zanjero's Line** with Ten Eyck Landscape Architects\*  
**Mueller Development, Austin, TX/ Sun Flowers, an Electric Garden\***
- 2008 -- **Havana Square, Stapleton, CO/ Solar Light Raft\*** (in progress) 2007  
**Portland, ME/ A MoonTide Garden \***  
**Des Moines Science Museum, IA/ The Big Question\***
- 2006 **Miramar Park, Fort Lauderdale, FL/ Terra Fugit, Lead Artists\***
- 2005 **Phoenix, AZ/ Arbors & Ghost Trees, with Ten Eyck Landscape Architects\***  
**Central Connecticut State University, CT/ Connections\***
- 2003 **San Diego Port Authority, CA/ The Benefit of Mr. Kite\***  
**Arizona Falls, Phoenix, AZ/ WaterWorks at Arizona Falls, design team artists\***
- 2001 **Sullivan Water Purification Facility, Cambridge, MA/ Drawn Water, design team artists\***
- 2000 **City of Louisville, KY/ City at the Falls, design team artists\***
- 1998 **Kleis Park, Toledo, OH/ Mud Life\***



Museum, Lincoln, MA--- Solo; Bunting Institute, Cambridge, MA--- Solo; School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA--- Solo; Institute of Contemporary Art, Boston, MA--- Solo; Krakow Gallery, Boston, MA--- Solo

**ARTICLES & PUBLICATIONS--- a Recent Selection: \*** in collaboration with Lajos Héder

- 2014 **Maine Magazine** (April), "Arts: See"\*
- 2013 **Orion Magazine** (September/October), "The Art of Infrastructure"\*
- 2013 **Sculpture Magazine** (September), "Mags Harries: Boston Sculptors Gallery" -- Christine Temin
- 2011 **The Globe**, "Galleries" -- Cate McQuaid
- 2011 **Sculpture Magazine** (November) "Mags Harries: Boston Sculptors Gallery" -- Christine Temin
- 2011 **Landscape Architecture** (March) "[...] Sunflowers Sprout on Texas Highway" -- Marty Carlock\*
- 2011 **The Globe** "Head to head" -- Cate McQuaid
- 2010 **Landscape Architecture** (March) "High Tide, Low Tide" -- Marty Carlock\*
- 2009 **Public Art for Public Schools** -- Michele Cohen\*
- 2009 **Art New England** (June/July) "Public Art: Greenways, Sonic Trees & Waterways" -- Christine Temin\*
- 2008 **Morgunbladid** (Reykjavik Daily Newspaper) Interview -- Einar Fal Ingolfsson\*
- 2008 **Public Art: Theory, Practice and Populism** -- Cher Krause Knight\*
- 2007 **Public Art Review** (Fall/Winter), "US Commissions: *The Big Question*"\*
- 2007 **Conversations on Sculpture (Perspectives on Contemporary Sculpture)** -- Edited by Glenn Harper\*
- 2006 **Touchstone** (September) "Falling Waters" -- Wiard Sterk\*

**EDUCATION:**

1968 -- 70 Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL/ Master of Fine Arts 1963 -- 67 Leicester College of Art and Design, UK/ Diploma in Art and Design