

# Juan Angel Chávez

## Selected Solo Exhibitions

- 2008** "Speaker Project", MASSART, Boston
- 2007** "Spanish Castle," Bucketrider Gallery, Chicago  
"Spider Project," Education entrance Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago.  
"Speaker Project," Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago. Catalogue  
"Hilo," 32 and Urban Gallery Chicago
- 2004** "Juan Angel Chávez," Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs, Open studio Program, Chicago  
"Juan Angel Chávez," Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs, Mort Cooper windows, Chicago
- 2003** "Juan Angel Chávez," 12X12, Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago
- 2002** "Xicago," Mexican Fine Arts Center Museum, Chicago  
"prestar=borrow+lend," Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago
- 2000** "Site-Works," Group exhibit, 312 Gallery
- 1998** "11 Years in Concrete," Elmhurst Collage, Elmhurst Illinois

## Selected Group Exhibition

- 2009** "Close Encounters", Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago  
"Art Chicago 2009", Linda Warren Gallery, Chicago
- 2008** "The Invisible Hand", Lake Forest College Museum/Gallery, Lake Forest, IL  
"Sign Language" Unit B San Antonio, TX
- 2006** "It's a Long Walk Home," SPACE 1026, Philadelphia  
"The African Presence In Mexico: From Yanga To The Present," National Museum of Mexican Art, Chicago. Traveled. Catalogue  
"The Love Station," Pursuit Gallery, Burlington, Vermont
- 2005** "Junta," Scion Installation, Los Angeles, California. Catalogue  
"Tragic Beauty," Open End Space, Chicago
- 2002** "Xicago," National Museum of Mexican Art, Chicago  
"Prestar=Borrow+Lend," Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago
- 1995** "Footprints/Huellas," National Museum of Mexican Art, Chicago

## Public Art Projects

- 2007** "Blackberry Sound," Painted mural, Seattle Sound Transit, Bus Corridor, Seattle,
- 2006** "Reflections of Good," Mosaic and paint. IMAN Medical Center. Chicago
- 2005** "Veterans, Second Growth and Baby Teeth" Painted mural with light box overlays. Toman Library, Chicago Public library
- 2004** "Vida Simple" glass mosaic, Damen Station CTA (Chicago Transit Authority), Chicago
- 1999-03** "Hopes and Dreams" mosaic. Roosevelt station CTA (Chicago Transit Authority), Chicago
- 2001** "San Isidro" Mosaic, La Junta, Chihuahua, Mexico.
- 1998** "What Do You Need To Know?" Venetian glass mosaic, Chicago
- 1997** "Fellows and Others"  
Painted mural in collaboration with artist Olivia Gude and youth assistants.

### Private Commissions

- 2005** Jestes, Karuna, found materials, wall divider, Chicago
- 2004** "Untitled," collage,Uprise Skateboard Shop. Chicago
- 2000-02** "Whipple Home Mosaics," Mosaics, historical landmark home. Lake Forest, Illinois.
- 1999-98** "50," painted mural, Sun-Times. Chicago

### Teaching Experience

- 2004-present** School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Sculpture Department  
School of the Art Institute of Chicago, First Year Program Faculty

### Panels and Lectures

- 2006-07** Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs, Chicago Public Art Committee, Arts Representative
- 2005** Artist Connects, lecture series, The Art Institute of Chicago
- 2000** Artist Creating Places: Artist, Communities, and Public Art, at University of Illinois at Chicago. Showcasing examples of many media and styles that have been used in community and artist collaboration. Urban Art Chicago, Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs. On the direction of public art Community Arts Assistance Program, grant panelist  
Elmhurst College, Lecture on personal work.

### Bibliography

- 2008** Cate McQuaid, "Sound and vision", Home / A&E /Theater/Arts, The Boston Globe (October 24, 2008)
- 2007** Gastman, Roger; Neelon, Caleb; and Smyrski, Anthony. Street World: Urban Art and Culture from Five Continents. New York: Harry N. Abrams, and London: Thames & Hudson.  
Hawkins, Margaret. "Chavez Brings on the Noise with the Speaker Project,"Chicago Sun-Times (June 8).  
"Profile: Juan Angel Chávez," Juxtapoz Art & Culture Magazine 14, no. 74 ( San Francisco, March).
- 2005** Huebner, Jeff. "One Man's Ceiling Is Another Man's Artwork."Chicago Reader (April 29)
- 2000** "Watching: An Artist's View,"Chicago Sun-Times (January 1)
- 1999** Koslowski, Carl. "Art Sponsors View Shape of Things To Come,"Chicago Tribune (December 15).  
"Random Walk: Picturing the Future, One Little Tile at a Time,"(September 27).

### Awards and Funding

- 2008** Artadia, Individual Artist Award, NY,NY  
3ARTS, Individual Artist Award, Chicago
- 2007** Louis Comfort Tiffany Award, NY, NY  
Special Projects Grant, Richard Driehaus Foundation, Chicago  
Special Assistance Grant, Illinois Arts Council, Chicago
- 2005** CAAP Grant, The Department of Cultural Affairs of the City of Chicago
- 2001** The Richard H. Driehaus Individual Artist Award, The Richard H. Driehaus foundation, Chicago
- 1998** Neighborhood Arts Program (NAP), From the Department Of Cultural Affairs of the City of Chicago.