

ARTIST'S RESUME - DMITRII VOLKOV

21027-A Black Rock Road, Hagerstown, MD 21740

Cell phone: 646-467-1668. E-mail: volkovartmetal@gmail.com. Website: www.volkovart.com

Summary Experience

Dmitrii Volkov is a highly qualified metal sculptor, jeweler, and restoration artisan with over 20 years of experience in wrought iron, silver, copper, bronze, wood, and glass. Designed and produced metal art décor for the exterior and interior of public and private buildings in the historic city of Saint Petersburg and other locations in Russia. Participated in the restoration of the Grand Stairs of the Catherine's-the-Great Palace in Pushkino, a UNESCO architectural landmark. Provided metal décor for the façade of The Europa (Malyi Drama) Theatre in Saint Petersburg. The winner of the Young Jewelers' Competition to commemorate the 150th birthday of Carl Fabergé. Featured artist and participant in juried art exhibitions in Europe and the U.S. In 2018, was fast-tracked to U.S. permanent residency as an immigrant with "Extraordinary Ability".

Citizenship

2018 Permanent resident of the United States since June 2018

Education

2000	M.F.A. (Master of Fine Arts) in Metalworking and Jewelry	Alexander von Stieglitz State Art and Industry Academy Saint Petersburg, Russia
1993	M.F.A. in Design and Book Illustration	Nicholas Roerich Art School, Saint Petersburg, Russia

Business and Project Management Experience

1995- Present Owner and Director of Dmitrii Volkov Metal Arts Studio. Successfully managed over 100 design/fabrication/installation projects. Simultaneously directed up to five teams of craftsmen to the timely completion of commissioned work.

2014- Present Work sold through SaatchiArt (London-San-Francisco), Etsy, and other on-line boutiques and vending platforms.

Featured Work and Award

2015 **Russia's Hockey Hall of Fame, Moscow:** Co-authored interior design; fabricated and installed a multi-functional chandelier and other metal art work

2013 **Afghan War Memorial, Saint Petersburg:** Co-authored and fabricated a metal art superstructure

2013 **Memorial Plaque for Andrei Mylnikov, a prominent Russian painter, Saint Petersburg:** Designed and fabricated metal art work extension to the stone plaque

2008-2013 **St.Nicholas Church, Luga, 30 miles South-West of Saint Petersburg:** Designed and produced the entire set of metal art work for this newly constructed church, including rooftop crosses, iconostasis, and the set of liturgical objects

2012 Produced and installed a metal art work piece **commissioned by Henkel Co. / Russia:** Lygovsky avenue in historic downtown **Saint Petersburg**

2011 **The Russia's National Museum of Political History, Saint Petersburg:** Designed and manufactured metal art work for the interior decoration

2009 **International Art Contest "Art Momentum", sponsored by Henkel Co. / Russia:** Second Prize Winner

2009 **The DLT Shopping Gallery in downtown Saint Petersburg, a landmark of the early 20th century architecture:** Member of the Municipal Architectural Commission on restoration of the DLT historical décor

2005 **Catherine's-the-Great Palace, a Bartolomeo Rastrelli's architectural masterpiece (XVIII century), part of the UNESCO world heritage site, Tsarskoye Selo (Pushkin) in the environs of Saint Petersburg:** Metal artisan for the restoration of the front entrance Grand Stairway

2002 **'Singer House' (Singer Co.'s old Headquarters in Russia), aka 'The Book House' and 'The Art**

- House', an architectural landmark on Nevsky Prospekt in St Petersburg: Restored façade décor
- 1998 **Young St. Petersburg Jewelers Contest Commemorating the 150th Birthday of Carl Fabergé:** Winner
- 1997 **The Maliy Drama Theatre (The Europa Theatre) in St.Petersburg:** Designed and produced metal art décor for the façade wall

Exhibits

- 2018 **New Art from an Old Craft** is a national juried exhibition of forged iron in collaboration with ABANA, Artist-Blacksmith's Association of North America. Gallery FLUX, Ashland, VA, US
- 2017 **International Exhibition at Hereford Cathedral, Hereford UK as part of 'Artist Blacksmithing Festival, Ferrous':** Juried Selection
- 2017 **"City in Motion" Exhibition of Outdoor Sculpture, Roanoke, VA:** Juried Selection
- 2017 **Martial Metal Work & Jewelry Exhibit 'Sword & Helmet', St Petersburg, Russia:** Official Selection
- 2016 **International Blacksmithing Event 'Transition', Ypres, Belgium,** a major international exhibition of contemporary forged metal design: Juried Selection
- 2015 **SIERAAD International Jewelry Art Fair, Amsterdam, The Netherlands:** Participant
- 2015 **International Jewelry Display 'Ausgezeichnet! Most excellent! – Art for Heroes', Chemnitz, Germany:** Juried Selection
- 2014 **Art Exhibit in Commemoration of the Centennial of Armenian Genocide, Art Gallery of the Artist Guild of Saint Petersburg:** Featured selection
- Art Exhibit for the WWII Victory Day, Saint Petersburg, Russia:** Featured Artist
- Spring Art Fair, Saint Petersburg, Russia:** Featured Artist
- Fall Art Fair: Saint Petersburg, Russia:** Participant
- Wardrobe Accessories as an Art, Saint Petersburg, Russia:** Featured Artist

Work in Private Collections

The Helen Williams Drutt Collection of Modern Jewelry - Collecting worldwide Jewelry and metal art décor owned by individual patrons in the United States, Russia, and Europe.

Teaching and Community Work Experience

- 2016 Member of the State Examination Board: Alexander von Stieglitz State Art and Industry Academy Saint Petersburg, Russia
- 2016 Participant: Charity Art Event for the Benefit for Children with Special Needs (cystic fibrosis), Saint Petersburg, Russia

Trade Publications and Feature Articles

- 2017 *Smoke City. Art Album, Publication City/Country Rome, Italy, 2018, 88 pp.* – Featured artist
- 2016 *The ANVIL'S Ring summer 2016* [ABANA Quarterly, Jonesborough, TN]: Volkov's work featured in the 'Gallery' rubric
- 2015 *ART AUREA Winter 2015* [Amsterdam, the Netherlands]: Work featured in the 'Showroom' rubric
- 2014 *World of Metal, Nov. 2014* [Saint Petersburg, Russia]: D.Volkov - Blacksmith School: The Lesson of an African Mask
- 2014 *World of Metal, Jan. 2014* [Saint Petersburg, Russia]: D.Volkov - Metal is My Co-Author
- 2013 *Art Metal XXI century: Staircases, Gates, Fences* [Saint Petersburg, Russia]:
- 2006 *World of Metal, April 2006:* Work featured in the 'The Art Box' section

Membership

- 2018 Maryland Art Council
- 2013 - Present Artist Blacksmith Association of North America (ABANA)