

System Wide Art Acquisition Committee Roster

Name	Affiliation/Museum	Expiration
Welcome W. Wilson	Regent	Indefinite Term
Michele 'Mica' Mosbacher	Regent	Indefinite Term
David Irvin (Interim Director for Facilities, Planning and Construction for UH)	Chair, SWAAC	Indefinite Term
Elizabeth Ghrist	Comm. Representative	December 31, 2009
Mariana Servitje	Comm. Representative	December 31, 2009
Vacant	Comm. Representative	
Clint Willour	Galveston Arts Center	Indefinite
Kim Davenport	Rice University Art Gallery	Indefinite
Alison de Lima Greene	Museum of Fine Arts	Indefinite
Toby Kamps	Contemporary Arts Museum	Indefinite
Franklin Sirmons	Menil Collection	Indefinite
Claudia Schmuckli (temp.)	Blaffer Gallery	Indefinite
Charles Alcorn	UH Victoria	December 31, 2009
Mark Cervenka	UH Downtown	December 31, 2009
Mary Ann Shallberg	UH Clear Lake	December 31, 2009
Michael Guidry	Ad Hoc Member	Indefinite

Charge to the Committee

This committee has been formed in an advisory capacity to the University of Houston Board of Regents, Chancellor, and Presidents, to aid in the building of a distinguished collection of twentieth and twenty-first century American art for all universities of the University of Houston System.

The Board of Regents of the University of Houston approved the acquisition of public art in 1966 to be funded under state and federal laws. These acquisitions are to be financed in whole or part by the 1% for Art Program, which was enacted into law in the State of Texas in 1969.

This Committee has been formed to select and acquire a notable collection for the benefit of the universities and community at large. For the System to be recognized for its appreciation of learning and imaginative innovation that characterize the best original research and creative performance in the arts, the artwork collected and displayed must come about as a result of informed and reasoned judgments by those most qualified to make them.