



## CONTACT

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## SKILLS

- conceptual design
- artistic collaboration
- innovative techniques
- community engagement
- online marketing
- portfolio development

## LANGUAGES

- English
- Spanish
- French

## EDUCATION

**BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS, SCULPTURE AND DESIGN, CREATIVE ARTS COLLEGE, 2015**

## ACHIEVEMENTS

- Exhibited at the International Art Biennale, gaining critical acclaim.
- Featured in art publications for groundbreaking approaches to blade design.
- Successfully sold over 50 unique pieces within the first year of business.

# Michael ANDERSON

## ARTISTIC BLADE DESIGNER

Dynamic Blade Smith with a focus on modern art and conceptual blade design, integrating artistic expression with functional utility. This individual approaches blade smithing as an art form, creating pieces that challenge traditional notions of utility while maintaining performance standards. Renowned for innovative designs that have been featured in galleries and exhibitions, showcasing the intersection of craftsmanship and art.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### ARTISTIC BLADE DESIGNER

Artisan Steel Studios

2020 - 2025

- Developed conceptual blade designs that blend aesthetics with functionality.
- Participated in art fairs and exhibitions, gaining recognition for innovative works.
- Collaborated with sculptors and painters to create unique mixed-media pieces.
- Conducted workshops on the artistic aspects of blade smithing.
- Engaged with collectors to promote contemporary blade art.
- Documented design processes for educational purposes and portfolio development.

### BLADE SMITH

Fusion Blades

2015 - 2020

- Created custom, artistic blades designed for display rather than utility.
- Engaged in experimental techniques, pushing the boundaries of traditional smithing.
- Maintained a strong online presence to showcase works and attract clients.
- Participated in collaborative projects with other artists for large-scale installations.
- Conducted private viewings for collectors and art patrons.
- Developed a series of blades that incorporate unconventional materials.