

MICHAEL ANDERSON

Functional Metal Artist

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Prominent in the realm of functional metal art, this professional has seamlessly integrated art into everyday utility, creating pieces that serve both practical purposes and aesthetic delight. With a background in fine arts and industrial design, the approach emphasizes the marriage of beauty and functionality. Each sculpture is a testament to the versatility of metal as a medium, showcasing innovative designs that cater to both form and function.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Functional Metal Artist | Artisan Craftworks

Jan 2022 – Present

- Created functional metal sculptures for both residential and commercial use.
- Designed innovative furniture pieces that combine art and utility.
- Collaborated with interior designers to enhance aesthetic appeal in spaces.
- Utilized sustainable materials to promote environmentally friendly practices.
- Engaged in public speaking to promote the benefits of functional art.
- Participated in craft fairs to showcase functional art pieces.

Sculpture Instructor | Community Art Center

Jul 2019 – Dec 2021

- Taught courses on functional sculpture design and construction.
- Developed lesson plans that emphasize creativity and practical skills.
- Facilitated community workshops to encourage local engagement.
- Organized student showcases to promote their artistic work.
- Provided individualized mentorship to students in their artistic journeys.
- Collaborated with other instructors on interdisciplinary projects.

SKILLS

functional design

industrial design

community outreach

public speaking

mentorship

sustainability

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Industrial Design

2015 – 2019

Rhode Island School of Design

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Recipient of the 'Best Functional Art Award' at the National Craft Fair.
- Successfully launched a line of furniture that increased sales by 40%.
- Featured in multiple design magazines for innovative functional art pieces.

LANGUAGES

English

Spanish

French