

Michael R. Beaudry

Award-Winning Canadian Assemblage Artist

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Artist Profile

Michael R. Beaudry is an award-winning Canadian assemblage artist based in Winnipeg, Manitoba. Working under the name Mad Mike Studio68, he creates one-of-a-kind assemblage sculptures from reclaimed industrial and mechanical components. Vintage cameras, advertising tins, gauges, chains, spark plugs, meters, and salvaged machinery are transformed into whimsical robotic figures that explore reinvention, sustainability, and the enduring value of overlooked objects. His work has been exhibited in galleries and juried exhibitions across Canada and is held in private collections around the world.

Awards & Distinctions

- 2026 - Honourable Mention, Society of Canadian Artists National Open Juried Exhibition, Ace, The Flying Lens of Destiny (\$500 award)
- 2026 - Award of Distinction, Manitoba Society of Artists First Annual Members Juried Exhibition, Ace, The Flying Lens of Destiny (\$500 award)

Upcoming Exhibitions & Events

- 2026 - Scattered Seeds Fall Market, October 23-25, Red River Exhibition Place, Winnipeg, Manitoba
- 2026 - Calgary Art Market - 40th Anniversary, November 19-22, TELUS Convention Centre, Calgary, Alberta
- 2026 - Warm & Bright Show and Sale, December 5-6, Artlington Studios, Winnipeg, Manitoba
- 2027 - Spirit of the Salvaged - Solo Exhibition, January-March, The MUSE | Douglas Family Art Centre, Kenora, Ontario
- 2027 - Guest Artist - Wisdom Keepers Week, February 27-March 6, Rancho La Puerta, Tecate, Mexico - Rediscovering Play workshop

Recent Selected Exhibitions, Juried Exhibitions & Presentations

2026

- Society of Canadian Artists National Open Juried Exhibition
- Manitoba Society of Artists First Annual Members Juried Exhibition, Piano Nobile Gallery, Centennial Concert Hall, Winnipeg, Manitoba
- TEDx Winnipeg, Desautels Concert Hall, Winnipeg, Manitoba
- Winnipeg Fine Art Fair, Winnipeg, Manitoba
- Calgary Art Market, Calgary, Alberta
- Forks Trading Company, Winnipeg, Manitoba

2025

- CRAFTED, Winnipeg Art Gallery, Winnipeg, Manitoba
- Artlington Studios, Works in Progress, Winnipeg, Manitoba
- Artlington Studios, Warm and Bright, Winnipeg, Manitoba
- Artarama, Winnipeg, Manitoba

- Scattered Seeds Market, Winnipeg, Manitoba

International

- 2025 - Burning Man, Black Rock City, Nevada, USA. Robot art display at Hand Lovers Lounge

Selected Gallery, Retail & Studio Representation

- Lagasse's Studio of Fine Art, Souris, Manitoba
- Gibson's Gallery, Albert Beach, Manitoba
- Moon Creative Art Shop, Regina, Saskatchewan
- Seven Café, Winnipeg, Manitoba
- Spirit Rock Café, Grand Beach, Manitoba
- Forks Trading Company, Winnipeg, Manitoba
- Old House Revival Company, Winnipeg, Manitoba
- Rusted Robot Speakeasy Gallery, Winnipeg, Manitoba
- Pulse Gallery, Johnson Terminal, Winnipeg, Manitoba

Selected Publications, Documentary & Media

- 2026 - Canadian Art Showcase, featured artist
- 2026 - WDYD Series, artist interview (60 minutes) featuring Michael Beaudry discussing his artistic practice, inspiration, and the development of Mad Mike Studio68
- 2025 - WDYD Series, documentary film (16 minutes), How Building Robots Saved My Life
- 2024 - Scrap Metal Maestro: Mad Mike's Robot Creations Rise from the Rubbish Heap, Winnipeg Free Press. Feature on Michael Beaudry's artistic practice and assemblage sculptures

Professional Memberships

- Society of Canadian Artists
- Manitoba Society of Artists
- Manitoba Craft Council

Community Engagement & Charitable Contributions

Dream Factory Dream Maker Auction

Regular donor of original assemblage sculptures and portrait art prints in support of the Dream Factory Dream Maker Auction, helping raise funds to fulfill dreams for children living with life-threatening illnesses.

Prairie Strides

Donated original artwork in support of Prairie Strides fundraising initiatives benefiting therapeutic riding programs.

Darts for Darcy

Donated artwork in support of fundraising efforts for the Darts for Darcy charitable event.