

THE SCULPTURE CENTER

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Christopher Duffy: *Do I Know You?* Exhibition at The Sculpture Center in the *Window to Sculpture* Series

The Sculpture Center will feature sculptor **Christopher Duffy** in the *Window to Sculpture* series with a solo exhibition entitled *Do I Know You?*, from November 4 through December 2, 2005. The free, public reception with the artist is Friday, November 4 from 5 pm to 9 pm. Irina Koukhanova, sculptor, and assistant professor of sculpture at Cleveland State University, will lead a gallery talk with the artist during the reception at 6:15 pm.

Christopher Duffy works involve the use of pressure based on the integral role that pressure plays in the act of glass blowing. He creates “systems” – setting them in motion to observe the results over time, as in his air-powered smoke printer made of blown glass and mechanics that creates images from nicotine. Materials include hot sculpted and cold worked glass, blown glass, assorted mechanical parts, water, paper, paint and plastics.

Mr. Duffy, of Cleveland Heights, Ohio holds a BFA from the Cleveland Institute of Art. His awards include a Jane Inguar Fallon Scholarship, and two Malcolm McBride Scholarships for excellence in Craft; and a Mary C. Page Memorial Traveling Scholarship. Prior to his solo exhibition at The Sculpture Center, he has shown in group shows in Cleveland, Ohio, and South Bend, Indiana.

About *Window to Sculpture*

Window to Sculpture is a series of evocative solo exhibitions by emerging artists that is the programming centerpiece of The Sculpture Center. *Window to Sculpture* serves as a lab to let the art form of sculpture evolve. The exhibitions include site-specific installation art as well as individual works in multiple media and feature diverse artistic viewpoints.

About The Sculpture Center

Gallery hours are Monday through Friday from 10 am to 4 pm, and Saturday from noon to 4 pm. Programs and hours are subject to change. Admission, parking, and public receptions and gallery talks with *Window to Sculpture* artists, are free. The Sculpture Center is a not-for-profit 501(c)(3) arts organization located in Cleveland’s University Circle neighborhood. The Sculpture Center is handicapped accessible.

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