1975 Born in Stamford, Connecticut

1997 BA, Yale University, New Haven, CT

### **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2015 Vero Beach Museum of Art Vero Beach, Florida, June 2015 (forthcoming)

North Carolina Museum of Art Raleigh, North Carolina, March 2015

James Prosek: Walk in the Woods, March 2015, Leslie Feely Gallery, New York, New York,

**2014** The Singing and the Silence: Birds in Contemporary Art, October 31, 2014-February 22, 2015, Smithsonian American Art Museum 3rd floor North8th and F Streets, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004

**James Prosek: Wall of Silhouettes**, Cornell Lab of Ornithology, Cornell University, Sapsucker Woods Ithaca, NY

**Peggy Notebeart Nature Museum**, Chicago Academy of Sciences, December 2014 – March 2015

**James Prosek: Three Americans, 2014**, September 2, 2014 – January 9, 2015, Arnot Art Museum

Falck Gallery—West Wing Ground Level, 235 Lake Street, Elmira, New York

Ocean Fishes: the Art of James Prosek, Woods Hole Historical Museum, 579 Woods Hole Road, Woods Hole, MA 02543, June 21 - July 31, 2014

**James Prosek: Wondrous Strange**, New Britain Museum of American Art, New Britain, CT, February 22-June 8, 2014

The Peacock and the Cobra: James Prosek among the Arts of South Asia, Philadelphia Museum of Art, Wood Gallery 227, November 27, 2013–September 16, 2014

**2013 Domestic, Wild, Divine:Arstists Look at Animals**, October 27-August 4, 2013, Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond, VA

**Teaming with Nature: James Prosek**, The Forrest E. Mars, Sr. Exhibit Hall, National Sporting Library & Museum, Middleburg, Virginia, October 8th, 2013 – January 30, 2014

**James Prosek: The Spaces in Between**, Addison Gallery of American Art, Andover, MA, Edward E. Elson, Artist-in-Residence, September 2 - January 5, 2014

**James Prosek: Ocean Fishes**, The Gallery at The Nature Conservancy, The Center for Conservation, East Hampton, NY, June 29 – August 16, 2013

**James Prosek: The Swordfish**, Cape Cod Museum of Natural History, Brewster, MA, July-August 2013

**James Prosek: Ocean Fishes, Birds and Curiosities**, National Arts Club, New York, NY, February 19 - March 4, 2013

**James Prosek: Abstract Nature**, Mark W. Potter Gallery, Taft school, Watertown, CT, January 4-February 1, 2013

**Tandem Pursuits: Armor & Ichthyology**, Glyndor Gallery, Wave Hill public garden & cultural center, Bronx, New York, September 15 – December 1, 2013

**2012 James Prosek: Ocean Fishes**, Academy of Natural Sciences, Philadelphia, October 13, 2012–January 21, 2013

Ocean Fishes, Yale University, Kroon Hall

**Ocean Fishes and Taxonomy,** National Academy of Sciences, Washington, DC, June 28th to September 28th

2011James Prosek: Un-Natural History, Bellarmine Museum of Art, Fairfield University

**James Prosek: Suriname**, Gallery at the Whitney, Whitney Humanities Center, Yale University, New Haven, CT

2009 Real & Imagined, Reynolds Gallery, Richmond, VA

The Peacock and The Cobra, Manhattanville College Art Gallery, Purchase, NY

2008 The Peacock and The Cobra, Center for Contempora d d ry Printmaking, Norwalk, CT

2007 Air & Water, Meredith Long Gallery, Houston, TX

Birds & Fish, Wajahat-Ingrao, New York, NY

2005 Symmetry & Myth Fleisher-Ollman Gallery, Philadelphia, PA

2000 James Prosek, Gerald Peters Gallery, New York, NY

1999 James Prosek, Craig Krull Gallery, Santa Monica, CA

James Prosek, Gerald Peters Gallery, Santa Fe, NM

1998 James Prosek, Akus Gallery, Eastern Connecticut State University, Willimantic, CT

James Prosek, Gerald Peters Gallery, Santa Fe, NM

### **GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

**2014 Audubon and the Art of Birds Bell Museum of Natural History**, University of Minnesota, October 5, 2013 – June 8, 2014, National Museum of Wildlife Art, Jackson, WY, October 4, 2014 – Jan. 4, 2015, Sam Noble Museum, Univ. of Oklahoma, Norman May 15 – July 26, 2014

**Like a Bird: Avian Ecologies in Contemporary Art**, Trafó Gallery of Contemporary Art, Budapest

Artists: Greta Alfaro (ES), Anca Benera and Arnold Estefan (RO), Tamás Kaszás / Anikó Loránt (Ex Artists Collective) (HU), Szabolcs Kisspál (HU), London Fieldworks (UK), James Prosek (USA) and Andrea Roe (UK)

December 12,2013 – January 26, 2014 **Traveled to:** Tranzit.ro / Bucharest 9 May to 4 June Str. Galelei nr.44, sector 4, Bucharest, Romania

**Strut: The Peacock and Beauty in Art**, October 11, 2014 – January 18, 2015, Hudson River Museum, 511 Warburton Avenue, Yonkers, NY 10701

**The Animal Heart**, The Slater Memorial Museum, Norwich Free Academy, 305 Broadway, Norwich, CT 06360, June 15 - August 10, 2014

**2013 Come Together: Surviving Sandy**, Industry City (curated by Phong Bui), 220 36th Street, Sunset Park, Brooklyn, October 20 – December 15, 2013

**First Look: Collecting for Philadelphia**, Philadelphia Museum of Art, Dorrance Special Exhibition Galleries
July 13-September 8, 2013

### 2012 MoMA Studio: Common Senses

Mildred's Lane and the Mildred's Complexity/group show, September 24-November 19, 2012

1708 Gallery, Catch 22, 22nd annual art auction, event chair

**James Prosek, Marc Petrovic, Mark Messersmith**, J. Johnson Gallery, Jacksonville, FL, November 13-January 25

**2011 Voyage on Uncanny Seas**, Gallery Diet, Miami, Florida.

Oceanomania: Souvenirs from Mysterious Seas, The National Museum, Monaco (*Nouveau MuséeNational* de *Monaco*, NMNM). Group show curated by Mark Dion.

Flowers, group show, Summer 2011, Schwartz • Wajahat, 25 Leonard Street, New York, NY

2010 Strange Travelers, curated by Mark Dion, Tanya Bonakdar Gallery, New York, NY

Mildred's Lane/Renovating Walden, Tufts University Art Gallery, Medford, MA

**Nature, Revisions and Dreams**, The Art Gallery at Florida Gulf Coast University, Fort Myers, Florida, curated by Anica Sturdivant

Art in Embassies, Group Show, American Embassy, Accra, Ghana, Africa

**Washington Project for the Arts**, American University Museum's Katzen Arts Center, curated by Joanna Marsh, Jock Reynolds

2009 Breaking the Surface: Painting and Sculpture, Kehler Liddell Gallery, New Haven, CT

**Etchings**, Manhattanville College Art Gallery, Purchase, NY

2007 Life & Death: A Visual Taxonomy, Aldrich Contemporary Art Museum, Ridgefield, CT

## 2006 Blind Birds

Norfolk Public Library, Norfolk, CT

**2004** *Monuments to Nature*, Westport Arts Center, Westport, CT

2003The Desire of Memory, D.U.M.B.O. Arts Center, Brooklyn, NY

41 Degrees North Gerald Peters Gallery, New York, NY

2002 Trouts of Asia Hammond Museum of Japanese Art, South Salem, NY

Pris sur le Vif: Les Peintres Pecheurs, Galerie Larock-Granoff, Paris, France

Great American Artists, Cincinnati Museum Center, Cincinnati, OH

Water Journey, Evansville Museum of Arts and Science, Evansville, IN

# **PUBLICATIONS**

Trout: An Illustrated History (Knopf, 1996)