

Biography

Stephen Perkins was born in London, England and attended art school and then did a post-graduate program in art therapy. After working as an art therapist in the National Health Service for a number of years, he moved to San Francisco in 1980. After completing an MA in Art at San Francisco State University he then spent the rest of the decade involved in that city's art scene as a curator, publisher, writer, musician, and visual & performance artist. After completing a PhD in art history at the University of Iowa, Iowa City in 2000 he took the position of curator of art at the Lawton Galley, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay, a position he holds to the present day.

Perkins continues his artistic activities and for the past 8 years has been curating the home-based WC Gallery, which is alleged to be the smallest gallery in the midwest.