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Elizabeth Mears



Judith Rosenthal



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Norm Sartorius



Mary Elizabeth Nelson



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Eric Serritella



Dale Shuffler



Robin Stanaway



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Jennifer Heller Zurick

The Wayne Art Center is pleased to host *Nature in Craft* as a companion exhibition to *Craft Forms 2013*. An invitational exhibition featuring 125 works of contemporary craft inspired by nature, *Nature in Craft* highlights a collection of works that push the boundaries of new art forms and creative techniques. With works by 46 internationally recognized artists from the US, Canada, England, Ireland, Scotland and Japan, *Nature in Craft* showcases conceptual work that is varied in medium, scale and technique. This exhibition serves as a venue to communicate the artists' unique perspective to their craft, as well as to express their vision of how it relates to our natural surroundings.

I would like to thank the artists for accepting our invitation to participate in *Nature in Craft* and for contributing to the enhancement of our community's understanding of what is current in the field of contemporary craft. A very special word of thanks to the staff of the Wayne Art Center for their enthusiasm and tireless efforts and to Karen Louise Fay, Director of Special Projects and Assistant Curator, for her dedication, for endless hours of communication with the artists, and for organizing the myriad details necessary for launching an exhibition of this caliber.

We hope you will enjoy *Nature in Craft* and that your appreciation of nature is enriched through each artist's compelling interpretation of the natural world.

Nancy Campbell
Executive Director & Curator, *Nature in Craft*



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NATURE IN CRAFT



COVER: Shin-ichi Higuchi, *Perfume Bottle Bee*

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Shin-ichi Higuchi



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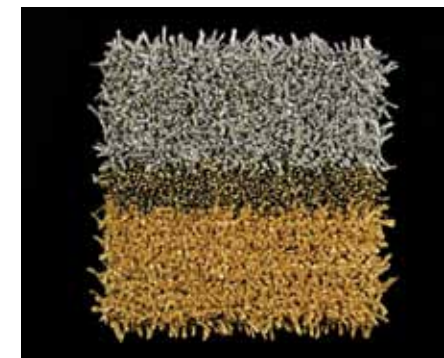
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