

**Brian Joseph Becher**

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**Education**

- 2003 B.F.A. The Ohio State University. Cumulative GPA: 3.81  
Graduation with distinction, Magna Cum Laude
- 1999-2003 Undergraduate student  
The Ohio State University, Columbus Ohio.
- 1996-1999 Environmental science undergraduate  
The University of Oregon. Eugene Oregon. Cumulative GPA: 3.75
- 2002 Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood Washington.  
Andrea Zilio, advanced Venetian techniques, juried class
- 2001 Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood Washington  
Michael Schiener/Tom Farbanish. Sculpture Making for Glass Blowers.  
Juried class.  
Penland School of Crafts. Penland, North Carolina  
Michael Shunke, The Hot Glass Experience. Juried Class
- 1999 Pilchuck Glass School. Stanwood Washington  
Randy Walker. Intermediate Glassblowing.  
Corning Glass School. Corning, New York  
Ben Edols and Cathy Elliot. Hot and Cold Glass
- 1999 Pilchuck Glass School. Stanwood Washington.  
Roger Parramore. Advanced Flame working

**Juried and Invitational Exhibitions**

- 2005 Ohio State Faculty Club Show: Ohio State faculty club solo show
- 2002 Undergraduate Juried Exhibition. Hopkins Gallery, Columbus Ohio  
Juror: Ohio State Art Faculty.
- 2001 Undergraduate Juried Exhibition. Hopkins Gallery, Columbus Ohio  
Juror: Ohio State Art Faculty.  
Glass Program Juried Exhibition. Hopkins Gallery, Columbus Ohio  
Juror: Glass faculty

**Group Exhibitions**

- 2002 772 Gallery. Columbus, Ohio  
North Oak Gallery. Columbus, Ohio  
Westerville Galley. Westerville Ohio
- 2001 772 Gallery. Columbus, Ohio  
North Oak Gallery. Columbus, Ohio  
Westerville Galley. Westerville Ohio

2000` C.Sneary Gallery. Columbus Ohio.

### **Awards and Honors**

2003 Donor of Pilchuck Glass School annual auction  
Donor to Columbus Museum of Art auction  
Donor to Bay Area Glass Institute Auction  
Awards Maker for the American Breast Cancer Society's  
Race for the Cure  
Deans List. (Winter) Ohio State  
Graduation with distinction Magna Cum Laude  
2002 Ohio states chosen student representative to attend the Glass Art Society's  
conference in Amsterdam  
Donor of Pilchuck Glass School annual auction.  
Deans List. (Winter and spring) Ohio State  
2001 Donor of Pilchuck Glass School annual auction.  
Deans List. (Winter, Spring, and Fall) Ohio State  
Alpha Lambda Delta National Honors Society  
2000 Deans List. (Winter, Spring, and Fall) Ohio State  
Edith Fergus Gilmore Scholarship Recipient  
1999 Corning award nominee from the Pilchuck Glass School for most  
outstanding student.  
Edith Fergus Gilmore Scholarship Recipient  
Ohio State Academic Scholarship Recipient

### **Teaching Experience**

2004 Instructor  
Glass Axis Columbus, Ohio  
2003 Teaching assistant  
The Ohio State University  
Instructor  
Glass Axis Columbus, Ohio

### **Publications**

2004 Columbus City Scene Magazine  
Business First Magazine  
2003 Ohio State newspaper The Lantern  
2002 Ohio State Alumni Magazine January  
Pilchuck Glass School Auction Catalog  
2001 Pilchuck Glass School Auction Catalog

### **Professional Memberships**

Ohio State Glass Club  
Glass Arts Society  
The Ohio Art League

## **Professional Experience**

2002-2005 Designer and glass blower Brian Becher Glass  
2000 Installation team. Riley Hawk galleries Columbus Ohio

## **Technical Skills**

Lampworking:	Borosilicate glass	9 years
	Moretti Glass	3 years
Furnace:		6 years