New Media Fellowships 2005 Project Cover Form

### **Jennifer Hall**

Title	The Tipping Point: Health Narratives from South End Artists
Genre	Interactive Sculptural Installation
Applicant's Role in Production	Artist, Project Leader
<b>Production Format</b>	Live

Brief Project Description (do not exceed space given below)

A community based research project which cumulates in an interactive sculptural Installation, "The Tipping Point Machine", sited for the Mills Gallery, Boston Center for the Arts, April, 2006. The sculpture will be designed and built to travel.

Collecting information through the lens of cultural anthropology, health narratives from artists living in the South End neighborhood of Boston become content for building an interactive sculptural installation. The complex relationships between body, health, self, and community will be examined from a combined anthropological and artistic perspective.

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## 2005 Sample Work Form

### **Jennifer Hall**

If you are sending more than one sample, please copy this page. Sample(s) must be cued: indicate how long each sample should be viewed for a COMBINED viewing time of no more than 15 minutes. If slides are included in this application, please list the title and year of the work on this form.

Title	Documentation: FIVE COACTIVE INSTALLATIONS
Year	Recent Work Samples (five projects from the last five years)

**Technical** Available on Web. Use any browser (backup CD included)

Original Format	Format Submitted for Viewing	Prefered OS
Software	Software	X_ Windows
Web	Web	Mac
<u>X</u> Installation		Unix
Other	X Other Any Internet Browser	
Other		

Web Information (answer only if sample work is in Web format)

X\_URL <u>www.massart.edu/rocknewmedia</u> (if more than one please list them below)

\_\_\_Browser requirement(s) NONE but navigation rollovers work best with recent browers.

\_\_\_ Plug-in requirement(s) NONE

\_\_\_\_ This sample requires broadband connection (fast Internet connection)

 $\underline{X}$  A local copy of the sample work has been included with the application

### **Special Information For Viewing:**

Use the left side screen navigation to access the documentation of five coactive installations. Make sure to access all pages by using the ">>" button on project pages. Links to additional on-line material about each project can be found at the bottom of content pages by clicking on the blue URL link.

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### 2005 Work Form

#### Description of Work (www.dowhile.org/rocknewmedia)

#### **Acupuncture for Temporal Fruit**

Robotic and Interactive Installation Decordova Museum and Sculpture Park, 1999 Lincoln, Massachusetts

Ultra-sonic tracking devices control the speed which acupuncture is administered to tomatoes. 2 sets of sensors/translators on-board for each pod. Total 12 suspended glass pods.

#### Instrument for Mediated Terrain

Thorne Gallery Robotic and Interactive Installation Keene, New Hampshire, 1999 Collaborator, Blyth Hazen

Optical sensors activated robotic arms which cleans, pat, and care take the moss landscapes. Total 10 on board-processors with motors for 5 aluminum landscape boxes.

### Laboratory for Ephemeral Investigation

Interactive Video and Robotic Installation Lamont Gallery, Phillips Exeter Exeter, New Hampshire, 2002 Collaborator, Blyth Hazen

Use of optical, sonar, and roller ball inputs drive 6 installations that send information to each other by analog video and serial feeds.

#### Virtual Body/Physical Body

Interactive Installation and Exploratory Studio Arnheim Gallery, Massachusetts College of Art Boston, Massachusetts, 2000 Co-Curated,Sandy Weisman

Use of touch sensitive screens, Quick Time Virtual Reality (QTVR) and interactive video projection.

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3D Interface and Sculpture Artifact Decordova Museum and Sculpture Park, 2001 and 2003 Lincoln, Massachusetts

Using an ambulatory EEG machine, a seizure is recorded and translated to an object through rapid prototyping and cast first in sterling silver and then another is cast in chocolate.

### **Artist Statement**

Much of my work concentrates my discontent between the promises of new media and the actual human condition. Our technologies are extensions of ourselves, to reference McLuhan. Eventually, I believe, they become part of us. They re-direct our culture through their utilitarian leverage and then they infiltrate our very character. Nothing we make is merely a tool – it is a reflection of who we are and in the noblest arrangement, what we wish to become.

Usually, it is only after a work is done that I fully realize why I made it. The product enables me to step back and observe the nature of my intentions. Materials employed work for me as a trail leading back to something I needed to understand. This process is second nature to me – it is how I learn.

One can usually find me building something out of new media or re-appropriating an existing technology. But I am mindful that the total emergence in media makes me part of mass consumption -- a component of what I find problematic with our society. To be a maker is to be a consumer – and what we produce eventually comes back to us. I find new media fraught with confusion with this as only one example. I work with it because it speaks to who we are as a culture. I dislike it because my heart tells me that this is not the best place for us to be. But it is a clear pulse and so I wrestle with the paradox.

When working with new media, the value may lie in the absence of it.

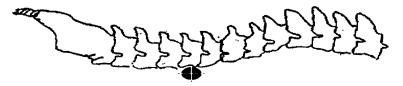
### 2005 New Media Fellowships Submitted by Jennifer Hall September 2004

# The Tipping Point: Health Narratives from South End Artists

A community based research project which cumulates in an interactive sculptural Installation, "The Tipping Point Machine", sited for the Mills Gallery, Boston Center for the Arts, April, 2006.

### **Participants Include**

- Ms. Jennifer Hall, Artist, Project Leader
- Dr. Ellen Ginsburg, Cultural Anthropologist
- Ms. Blyth Hazen, Artist, Fabricator
- Mr. Arnie Hernandez, Software Programmer
- Ms. Laura Donaldson, Curator



#### **Project Narrative**

### Description

The project pivots around the general assumption that a series of seemingly small changes can, over time, have a significant impact on the lives of individuals. This is what is referred to in social epidemiology as tipping points and made a common term by Malcom Gladwell in his recent book of the same name. The term also has roots in the medical industry as a way of clarifying the moment when a patient's health tips from stasis. A more recent neurological term, The "tripping point" is an electro-mechanical term for actions that are changed ("tripped"). When a certain threshold is exceeded it trips an electro-chemical activity into a bio-mechanical event. Based on the assumption that motion found in all kinds of life has points of stasis and tipping or tripping, Ms Hall will work with Dr Ginsburg in collecting a series of health narratives. From these, they will discern what small events (tipping points) have changed individual artists understand self. health and body. As these narratives are collected, an interactive sculpture will be designed by Ms. Hall with one or more gravitational pivot points that will be inspired by the narratives which are collected. Movement will be recorded by the visitor/ participants through a series of feedback devices located throughout the gallery. These, in turn, will send signals to the sculpture, which will trigger motion around the gravitational pivot points. The more visitors participate, the more the sculpture will create variations of movement; it will be both communal and cumulative - once shared and unique. The Tipping Point Machine experience will be different for every visitor, as the piece will continue to evolve throughout the duration of the exhibition. "The Tipping Point: Health Narratives from South End Artists" involves gallery goers in a co-active experience that resonates issues of body and health from the surrounding community. The site for this exhibition could not be more appropriate. Situated at the heart of Boston's South End, a lively neighborhood including many artists living and working within a wide variety of cultures, the Mills Gallery is a one-of-a-kind space that provides artists a supportive venue for showing community based work. It offers the Greater Boston Area (an epicenter of ground-breaking technology development) unparalleled opportunities for experiencing innovative art forms. Ms. Hall, Dr Ginsburg and their team will be working closely to realize this project. This cross-pollination of art, technology, and anthropology will enrich and broaden the dialogue for all participants. Ms. Hall and Dr. Ginsburg will use

phenomenological research methods to arrive at an understanding of the subjects tipping points. This will be accomplished through the use of open-ended interviews, informal discussion and participant-observation. The aim is to be faithful to the participant's story. Reporting the data involves interpretation and conjecture in deciding what to select, but its main role is to describe rather than to explain. Within the discipline of medical anthropology, narrative has been used as a means to grasp areas of personal and social experience of illness not attainable within the confines of biomedical research or anthropological/ sociological research. These disciplines are often too concerned with larger scale issues within the constitution of illness and sickness in a given society. The phenomenological approach is best suited for the proposed research in that it is designed 'to illuminate the specific, to identify the phenomena through how they are perceived by the actors" (http://www.anthro-phd.dk/web). The research findings will be arranged according to themes and topics. Ms. Hall will then distill the health narratives into an interactive art installation translating each narrative into mechanical tipping points. Robotic elements will be built that will focus on the flexible relationships between such issues as body/heath and community/individual and public/private self. The installation may evoke questions such as how can we decipher the ambiguities surrounding the body? How can we obtain precise information about ourselves? How can we maintain our individual integrity? The investigation of these issues regarding the body politicobjectification of the individual and sometimes contradictory discourses surrounding certain technologies is essential to reinterpreting the place of the individual as a corporeal entity in society. The proposed gallery exhibition-and narrative by extension-posits some of these questions in the examination and representation of how we can all perceive the tipping point as an agent of change. "The Tipping Point: Health Narratives from South-End Artists," represents Halls ongoing interest in ways in which technology intersects and affects our perceptions of our bodies, our lives, our imaginations and our culture. More specifically this project explores, how contemporary techno-culture is reconfiguring the dichotomies of nature/artifice, real/virtual and body/embodiment (http://www.dowhile.org/rocknewmedia).

### Interactive Components

Participants to the show will navigate through the installation freely; they will not need to physically interact with the sculpture but they will be aware that their movements affect the installation. Using a similar technique used to activate "*Acupuncture For Temporal Fruit*" (1999), sensors will collect data as participants move through the room. As participants move closer to the sculpture, individual structures will tip fowards and as they move away, the same structures will tip back. The sculpture will respond to their presence in subtle and un-mappable ways. The physical elements of the installation include long wood and aluminum beams with fragile glass elements. These glass elements will hold found objects that reference points of individual health narratives. How the long beams will be placed and how they will interact will be decided after the research is underway. Hall and Ginsburg choose not to limit the outcome by defining the sculpture beforehand, but rather, let the design emerge as the content is gathered. Hall and Ginsburg need to research, observe, and distill before a final design for the sculpture emerges.

### **Feasibility Statement**

For this project Dr. Ginsburg has received a sabbatical from her college teaching and has received a research residency at Massachusetts College of Art in spring 2005. During this time, Ms. Hall will begin studio work and a model will be ready by July 2005 for Mr. Hernandez to begin programming and Ms Hazen to upgrade the hardware interface. Ms. Hall and Ms Hazen will be building the sculpture through February 2006. Complete system testing will occur in the Month of March with code zero on all parts by April 1. The team has secured a 2-week install schedule at the Mills Gallery in April 2006.

### **Use of Work**

Ms. Donaldson plans to travel the show in 2006-2007. She will begin this outreach component in summer 2005. The catalogue will be made available to libraries and schools, and the team plans to submit papers to both art and anthropology journals as well as appropriate conferences.

## Fellowship Use/Budget Narrative

Total cost of the project is approximately \$60,000. The use of fellowship funding would go to support fees, materials and the exhibition brochure for "*The Tipping Point Machine*".

# **Project Budget**

Fees:	
Artist Fee for Hall:	\$4,000
Research Fee for Ginsburg	\$4,000
Fabrication Fee for Hazen:	\$2,000
Programmer Fee for Hernandez:	\$2,000
Curatorial Fee for Donaldson:	\$2,000
sub-total	\$14,000
Materials:	
Aluminum Square Stock:	\$1,100
Aluminum Brackets:	\$ 500
Aluminum Flat Stock:	\$1,500
Steel Cables:	\$ 500
Cable ties, nuts and bolts, misc. hardware:	\$ 600
Blown Glass Containers	\$3,000
Wood Beams	\$2,000
(8) Servo Motors @ \$350.00 ea.	\$2,800
Powercords and AC Lines	\$1,500
Ultra Sonic Range Finder Kits	\$3,000
sub-total	\$16,500
Exhibition Brochure:	
Design fee:	\$1,500
Printing	\$3,000
sub-total	\$4,500
2005 New Media Fellowship Total:	\$35,000

# Secured In Kind Donations:

LEF Foundation	Cash Awarded	\$9,500
	(includes matching fees and materials)	
Mass College of Art	MIDI Controller Hardware	\$1,000
Do While Studio:	MAC Laptop w/ Software	\$2,000
	Development Spaces	\$6,500
	AC - MIDI Interface with (8) Sensors	\$6,000
Mills Gallery:	Installation Assistance	\$1,000
-	Exhibition Announcements	\$1,500
	Transportation to Gallery	\$ 500
	In-Kind Total:	\$28,000

#### **Artist Background Information**

#### Reprint from Art, Women and Technology, MIT Press, 2003

"My art education began very early. As a child I bounced back and forth between my grandfather who descended from a clan of Hudson Valley School artisans, and made his living by creating flawless copies of famous paintings -- and my mother who was a television producer in New York City. I remember when one of my grandfather's paintings was sold by some unsavory dealer, as an original. Fate had it that then, at eight years of age, my job was to paint his name in lead on the canvas before it was gessoed. Being the honorable forger that he was, my grandfather could then guarantee that his original copy of an original master was secured forever in the annals of art duplication history."

"My mother was the first woman producer of television commercials. In the seventies I worker as her production assistant. From the Jerry Lewis Telethon to the research and development of Crazy Foam, I was immersed in the professional art of mass illusion -- I became the agencies young mistress of edible props -- painting white highlights on ears of corn and searing BBQ stripes on steaks with a soldering iron. The dance of real and fake or truth and lies became points of interpretative coincidence. I will always cherish the lessons of my first shoot. On the production set for a dish washing detergent commercial, I turned to my mother, " Mom, what does virtually spotless mean?", '*shhhhsh*!' she whispered, *'it means it has spots*!"".

"Before it was common place, I had participated in creating mass media. Like a young girl might collect stamps in a book or butterflies on a board, I collected unused video footage fron the post production studios -- discarded artifacts from my own experiences. In retrospect, I think this made me an odd little child. I build tiny theater sets filled with scaled models of useless and absurd gadgets. I carefully photographed them to appear large and actual. By th time I went to art school, I had a portfolio of video footage that I didn't shoot and documentation of odd devices that didn't really exist. I brought the first video camera to my campus but was still unsure what it meant. In 1985, I received my graduate degree at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) using tracking devices from cruse missile warheads to generate data from dancers. It was at MIT that I first understood the power of technological *re*-appropriation."

## **Artist Biography**

Jennifer Hall is a pioneer is the field of new media and has been a widely respected member of the art technology community for over twenty years. An educator, curator, researcher, and artist, her tireless curiosity has led her to make significant contributions to the fields of art, education and new media.

Ms. Hall received her Bachelor of Fine Arts (B.F.A) at the Kansas City Art Institute in 1980, and her Masters of Science in Visual Studies (M.S.V.S.) from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (M.I.T.) in 1985. Ms. Hall is the Founding Director of Do While Studio, a Boston-based, not-for-profit organization dedicated to the fusion of art, technology, and culture. She has taught at the Visible Language Workshop at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, The School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, Massachusetts, the Institute de Arte de Frederico Brandt, Caracas, Venezuela, and is currently a Professor and Coordinator of the Masters of Science in Art, Education, and New Media at the Massachusetts College of Art, Boston.

In 2000, Ms Hall received the first Rappaport Prize, administered through the Decordova Museum and Sculpture Park. In both 1984 and 1985, She received the first IBM Home Computing Award administrated by the Media Lab at M.I.T. for developing gesture driven interfaces. In 1995 she received Woman of the Year from the Boston Chapter of the National Epilepsy Association for her work with Art and Epilepsy, and in 1998 was awarded the first Anne Jackson Award for Teaching from the Massachusetts College of Art. Ms. Hall has installed work at numerous international locations such as the Contemporary Museum of Sydney, Australia; the Museum de Belle Arts, Caracas, Venezuela; and St. Johns Island, Newfoundland.

Jennifer Hall. Do While StudIo.

#### EDUCATION

- 1982-1985: Masters of Science in Visual Studies (M.S.V.S.) Center for Advanced Visual Studies. M.I.T. Cambridge, Massachusetts
- 1976-1980: Bachelors of Fine Arts (B.F.A.) Sculpture Kansas City Art Institute Kansas City, Missouri

### EDUCATIONAL CONSULTING AND CURATORIAL PROJECTS

- 2003: Program Coordinator, Education Developer Multimedia Modules for Media Literacy – k12 and College Levels Aspect Magazine DVD Boston, Massachusetts
- 1999-2001: Consultant, Education Developer On-line Modules for Adult Learners Spinnaker Software Developers Boston, Massachusetts
- 1999: Coordinator, Education Program First Boston Cyberarts Festival Boston, Massachusetts
- 1998: Consultant and Project Partner Developing k-12 media arts modules BBN, Educational Division Cambridge, Massachusetts
- 1996-1998: Project Developer Extended Classroom Learning Modules for music in public schools Music Performance Trust Fund, New York, New York
- 1995: Curator, From the Storm Phase 2 International Neurology Conference Museum of Contemporary Art Sydney, Australia
- 1994: Computer Art Lab Developer Instituto de Arte Frederico Brant Caracas, Venezuela

1994:	Curator, From the Storm American Neurology Conference New Orleans, Louisiana
1994:	Curator, From the Storm Canadian Academy of Neurology Annual Congress St Johns Island, Newfoundland, Canada
1994:	Curator, From the Storm Meeting of the American Academy of Neurology Washington, DC.
1990-1991:	Research Coordinator 10th Year Anniversary Event New England Computer Arts Associations Needham, Massachusetts
1988-1990:	Computer Imaging Consultant Reebok Inc. Gloucester, Massachusetts
1986-1987:	Art Community Liaison Commodore International Inc. Cambridge, Massachusetts
1987:	Event Coordinator Electronic Surrealist Ball Computer Museum, Boston, Massachusetts
1985-1986:	Research Affiliate Design of computer/animation interface systems Graphical Marionette Project, Media Lab at MIT. Cambridge, Massachusetts
1984-1985:	Research Assistant Development of optical body tracking interface devices Graphical Marionette Project, Architecture Machine Group Cambridge, Massachusetts
1984:	Conference Case Study Organizer National Alliance of Media Arts Centers (NAMAC), APPALSHOP Whitesburg, Kentucky
<b>1977-1981</b> :	Production Specialist for remote site broadcast television West Glen Communications and SSC&B Advertising New York, New York

## SELECTED LECTURES AND PAPERS

2004:	Keynote Speaker, Science Educators Conference Garden in the Woods Framingham, Massachusetts
2003:	Consultant Media Literacy Module for CAST Organization Maynard, Massachusetts
2001, 2002:	Issues of Cross Disciplinary Collaboration Art Science Conference, The Graduate School, NYU New York, New York
2001:	Values and the Culture of Cyberart Graduate School of Education, Harvard University Cambridge, Massachusetts
1999 - 2000:	Issues of Interface Bunting Institute, Radcliff College Cambridge, Massachusetts
1999:	Women, Art, Technology and the Greater Boston Community Goulston and Storrs Attorneys Boston, Massachusetts
1998:	The Do While Model Connecticut College Art Technology Conference New London, Connecticut
1997:	Induced Seizures Using the World Wide Web as Feedback Control Science, Art and Health Conference Sydney, Australia
1997:	Lecture Series: Does Global Interface solve the Local Issues? Art, Technology and Culture Conference Pullman, Washington
1997:	International Environmental Design Conference Boston, Massachusetts
1997:	ACAD Conference Minneapolis Minnesota
1997:	International Sculpture Conference Providence, Rhode Island

1996:	New Models for Art Collaboration CSCW Cooperating Communities Conference Boston, Massachusetts
1996:	The Feminist Engineered Interface 1996 Women's Caucus for Art Conference Boston, Massachusetts
1995:	Form Follows Function: Creativity, Neurotransmittors, and The Chemistry of Self International Neurology Conference Sydney, Australia
1995:	Art Technology and Non-profit Structures Lesley College, Graduate School of Art Boston, Massachusetts
1995:	Artificial Life: Disembodied and Architectural Tufts University Medford, Massachusetts
1994:	The History of Art and Technology Computer Lecture Series, Wellesley College Wesley, Massachusetts
1994:	Absorbing Technology by Informed Choice Museum de Bella Arts, Caracas Venezuela
1994:	Design Pedagogy and Computer Technology Northeastern University Boston, Massachusetts
1993:	Computer Controlled Media Series School of the Museum of Fine Arts Boston, Massachusetts
1993:	Tools and Content Panel The First New England Artist Congress Providence, Rhode Island
1992:	Computer Controlled Marionette Project Third International Symposium on Electronic Art (TISEA) Sidney, Australia
1992:	Sculpture and the Bioapparatus Mystique Symposium on Sculpture and Computers International Sculpture Center Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

1991:	Handmade Peripherals 11th Annual Symposium on Small Computers in the Arts University of the Arts, Tyler University Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
1991:	Flowcharts and Computer Icons as Poetic Language Center for Advanced Visual Studies Cambridge Massachusetts
1990:	NETDRAMA: An On Line Telecommunications Theater ARTRANSITIONS 1990 Conference, M.I.T. Cambridge, Massachusetts
1988:	Technological Templates: Women and the Moving Image A paper for the Women's Caucus for the Arts National Conference Houston, Texas
1987:	Body Tracking as a Personal Medium Women's Caucus for Art Conference, Houston Texas
1987:	Modeling For Sculpture MIT Museum, Cambridge, Massachusetts
1987:	Computer Generated Sculpture Mid-Atlantic Commodore Conference, West Chester, Pennsylvania
1986:	Computer Generated Sculpture
1985:	Mid-Atlantic Commodore Conference, West Chester, Pennsylvania Computer Generated Sculpture N.Y.C.I.G. Commodore Group, New York, New York
1981:	Body Tracking for Computer Animation Boston Art Institute, Boston, Massachusetts
TEACHING	
1986-2004:	Do While Studio, Boston Massachusetts Graduate Courses (through MassArt, Tuffs, Wellesley, Boston University) Research in New Art and Design Forms
2000-2004:	Massachusetts College of Art, Boston Massachusetts Professor and Coordinator of MSAE Program in New Media Department of Education
1987-2000:	Massachusetts College of Art, Boston Massachusetts Assistant - Associate Professor Department of Design

1996-2002:	University of Vermont, Bennington, Vermont Graduate Mentoring
1994- 2003	Instituto de Arte Frederico Brant, Caracas Venezuela Visiting Professor, Digital Arts
1994, 1995:	University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia Visiting Lecturer, Graduate School: New Media
1989-1990:	School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, Massachusetts Faculty: Design Department, Evening Division
1984-1988:	Visible Language Workshop M.I.T. Cambridge, Massachusetts Creative Seeing: A technologically-oriented visual program
PUBLICATION	S
2003:	The Community of Do While Studio A chapter in the Book, Art, Women and Technology MIT Press, 2003 Cambridge, Massachusetts
1995:	Creative Orientations for Interface Design at Do While Studio Interactions Journal, ACM publication, Oct 95, New York, New York
1995:	Converting Biological Signals for Levels of Negotiation as a Dynamic Interface Procedure Geekgirl Magazine, Spyfood Publication, Aug 95 Sydney, Australia
1994-1995:	Art and Technology Column Artpoint, Fort Point Artist Community Quarterly Publication Boston, Massachusetts
1993:	Feu De Helene: A Computer Controlled Theater Event Australian Film, Television, and Radio School, Cultural Diversity Publication Sydney, Australia
1991:	The Grassroots of Telecommunication Art , Publication on ARGUS Computer Exchange Burlington, Massachusetts
1990:	Project NETDRAMA 1990, LEONARDO Journal Telecommunications Issue SP '91 Berkeley, California

1988:	Computer Aided Sculpture NYSIG Monthly Report New York, New York
1987:	NETDRAMA: An On-line Telecommunications Scheme Publication ACEN on the WELL Network Berkeley, California
1986:	Computer-aided Body Tracking Techniques for Animation Published in report form by NHK Television Osaka, Japan
ALLIANCES	
2003-2004	Organizing Member At Boston Collective www.atboston.net
2002:	Honorary Juror Boston Cyberarts Festival, Digital Photography The Boston Copley Society, Boston, Massachusetts
2002:	Case Study for National Artist Support Urban Institute, Washington, D.C
2002:	Case Study White paper on multiple intelligences Project Zero, School of Education, Harvard University Cambridge, Massachusetts
2002:	Honorary Juror Boston Cyber Arts Festival, Animation Festival Cambridge, Massachusetts
1999-2004:	Boston Neighborhood Committee Leather District and Chinatown District
1998-2004:	Board Member and Information Design Consultant PeerTeen Group, Boston, Massachusetts
1994-2002:	Council Member MIT Advisory Council on Art-Science-Technology, Cambridge, Massachusetts
1994-2001:	Massachusetts College of Art Advisory Committee for Technology Advisory Committee on Privacy and the Internet

1993-2004:	Member, Contributor and Organizer New England Arts Congress
1992-2004:	Member and Contributor Art and Science Collaborations Incorporated, New York, New York
1992-2004:	Member and Contributor National Association of Artists' Organizations, Washington, D.C.
1976-2004:	Long Standing Member and Contributor Leonardo, Art Science and Technology Oxford, England and Cambridge, Massachusetts
1987-1995:	Member Fort Point Artist Community, Incorporated South Boston, Massachusetts
1987-2004:	Founder and Director Do While Studio, Boston Massachusetts
1987-1995:	Board of Directors New England Computer Arts Association Newton, Massachusetts
HONORS	
2000:	The first Rappaport Award Decordova Museum and Sculpture Park
1995:	The first Anne Jackson Development Award Massachusetts College of Art For work as a teacher
1994:	Woman of the Year Boston Chapter of the National Epilepsy Society For contributions to the connection between Temporal Lobe Epilepsy and Creativity
1986:	The first Commodore Computer Equipment Award For work in the field of Computer Art
1985, 1986:	The first IBM Home Computing Awards For creative work in interactive computer systems

# PERFORMANCES

1994:	Out of the Body Shorts Museum de Bella Artes, Caracas, Venezuela
1989-1993:	New Work Annual Prints, Light Box Graphics and Device Control Do While Studio Cube Boston, Massachusetts
1992:	Feu de Helene: Out of the Body Theater for Computer Marionettes Do While Studio Cube Boston, Massachusetts
1991:	Acupuncture for a Temporal Fruit: Interactive Prefiguring of Sunshine and a Tomato Do While Studio Cube Boston, Massachusetts
1990:	What Are You Saying? Out of the Body Performance Do While Studio Cube Boston, Massachusetts
1987:	Computer Animation Screening and Performance Mid-Atlantic Commodore Conference West Chester, Pennsylvania
1983:	Chat Mode with The Architecture Machine Group Telecommunications Performance Cambridge, Massachusetts/Osaka, Japan Exchange
1980:	Computer Animation Screening National Arts and Media Conference Whitesburg, Kentucky
1979:	Transference of Presence Sound Sculpture/Installation Kansas City Art Institute Kansas City, Missouri
1978:	Electronic Transpose with Reverend Dwight Frizell Sound Sculpture/Performance Center for the Arts Topeka, Kansas

## INSTALLATIONS

2006 pending:	The Tipping Point: Healthcare Narratives from the South End Collaborate Project with Dr Ellen Ginsburg, Anthropologist Mills Gallery Boston, Massachusetts
2003:	Epilepiforms, Brainwaves in Sterling Silver and Chocolate Decordova Museum and Sculpture Park Lincoln, Massachusetts
2002:	Laboratory for Ephemeral Investigations Interactive Video and Robotic Installation Lamont Gallery, Phillips Exeter Academy Exeter, New Hampshire
2001:	Instrument for a Mediated Terrain, Interactive Robotic Installation The Thorne Museum, Keene State College Keene, New Hampshire
2000:	Virtual Body/Physical Body, Installation/Studio Laboratory Mass College of Art, Arnheim Gallery Boston, Massachusetts
1999:	Acupuncture for Temporal Fruit, Interactive Robotic Installation Decordova Museum and Sculpture Park Lincoln, Massachusetts
1995:	DO WHILE CITY Interactive Multimedia Showcase Sites throughout North America, South America and Australia
1993:	Light Box Graphics, Bits and Pieces: The President's Choice 38th South Shore Art Center Festival Cohasset, Massachusetts
1993:	The Computer is Not Sorry Computer Assisted Installations The Space Gallery Boston, Massachusetts
1992:	Afterthought: Artists Assess The Future. Virtual Reality Brochure (co-author: Dana Moser) Diego Rivera Gallery, San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco, California
1991:	Light Box Graphics, Computer Graphics Exhibit Warwick Museum, Warwick, Rhode Island

1990:	Light Box Graphics, Fort Point Artist Community Exhibit, Federal Reserve Bank Gallery Boston, Massachusetts
1990:	Light Box Graphics, Computer Graphics Exhibit The Brewery Cambridge, Massachusetts
1989:	"How Many K?" Computer Generated Sculpture/Installation Do While Studio Cube Boston, Massachusetts
1989:	New Works: New Technology, Large Scale Computer Prints Skylight Gallery Boston, Massachusetts
1989:	Bits of Art , Sculpture Models Henry Ford Community College, Michigan
1988:	"There Once was a Fairytale that Imagined a Girl " Computer Graphics Kingston Gallery Invitational Show Boston, Massachusetts
1987:	Selected Works of Interface Women's Caucus for the Arts National Conference Houston, Texas
1987:	"Household Hysteria in the Information Age " TV Shrine Series M.I.T. Museum Cambridge, Massachusetts
1987:	Slow Scan Telecommunications: Atlanta and San Francisco Head End: Computer Museum Boston, Massachusetts
1986:	"Don't Cry Over Spilled Media" Sculpture and Animation The Barn Gallery Ogunquit, Maine
1986:	Computer Pulsed Island, Computer Generated Sculpture Mid-Atlantic Commodore Conference West Chester, Pennsylvania
1981:	"Pulsating Orifice" Computer Shrine with Animation Boston Art Institute Boston, Massachusetts

### **ONLINE MATERIAL**

Do While Studio, Non-Profit Arts Organization www.dowhile.org

Do While/Gallery Soto Residency Program www.newmediaresidency.org

Personal Art Web Page www.dowhile.org/physical/people/hallj.html

Educational Research www.massarted.org

Teaching Resources www.massart.edu/~jenhall

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