

# Material Worlds

Las Vegas galleries highlight works of local artists.

## MCQ Fine Art →

With more than 20 years of professional experience, Michele C. Quinn Fine Art Advisory (MCQ) specializes in the acquisition, installation, and collection management of post-war and contemporary art. In addition, the firm frequently features exhibitions of both locally and internationally recognized artists. MCQ is currently showcasing local artist and sculptor Brent Sommerhauser, whose works are described as metal point drawings created using a unique copper and silver “mark-making” technique. In addition, Sommerhauser’s serene, complex glass sculpture installations merge

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glass casting and glass blowing techniques, achieving a soft yet distinct surface quality and creating a sculptural element where glass “meets”



New work by Brent Sommerhauser

architecture. MCQ is located in the heart of downtown Las Vegas, where founder and principal Michele C. Quinn is actively involved in raising the city’s cultural arts profile.



Celebration,  
in alabaster

## ← Gainsburg Studio & Gallery

For artist Sharon Gainsburg, stone carving communicates the mystery and magic of life’s journey. Her Las Vegas gallery combines realism and abstraction, with soft, supple forms emerging from rough stone. Inspired in Italy, she has worked surrounded by the marble quarries of Michelangelo. Gainsburg’s works are found nationwide and internationally in many private and corporate collections and have been featured on PBS. She has more than 35 years of teaching experience and offers stone carving classes and creativity coaching, and three- to four-day stone carving workshops are available to Las Vegas visitors. She also teaches intuitive painting workshops to both painters and non-painters. Gainsburg believes that every person is creative, and with the right guidance anyone can learn to express his or her creative voice and have fun at the same time.

### Sharon Gainsburg Stone Sculpture Studio & Gallery

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