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Exhibition: KILN PROCESSES USING RECYCLED GLASS

Dates: May 3-30, 2006

Venue: Cal/EPA building, 1001 I Street, Sacramento, CA

Opening reception and awards ceremony: May 3, 4:30-6pm



Beauty and innovation in the use of recycled glass are explored in this exciting exhibition of art works and building products. Mounted for the purpose of promoting the wider use of recycled glass in art and industrial applications, this exhibition includes work from individual artisans, entrepreneurs, and small-scale producers. A jury of experts in the fields of art and glass technology selected entries through a nationwide competition for this event. From tiles to jewelry to furniture and fine art, there is "something for everyone" in this unusual display.

These outstanding examples of glass and ceramics highlight current technological and aesthetic achievements in the use of recycled glass. The variety of the exhibits extends well beyond form, revealing a wealth of textural and luminous effects. Participants used a broad range of kiln processes to fuse, sinter, cast, slump, and otherwise reuse "waste" glass—with surprising results!



To further celebrate exceptional achievement in the use of recycled glass, awards for excellence will be presented at the opening reception. The competition and exhibition have been organized by the Center for Environmental Economic Development with funding provided by the California Department of Conservation through the Recycling Market Development and Expansion Grant Program.

For further information, contact:

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<http://www.ceedweb.org/glass/awards.html>

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Faun by Richard Glenn

Bowl #2 by Sol Mesz

Recycled Glass Tile Presentation Board by Sand Hill Industries

