

Mike Marvins CV

Honors

Fellow, American Society of Photographers (an organization of Master Photographers)

Fellow, The Royal Photographic Society of Great Britain

Fellow, The British Institute of Professional Photographers (The Fellowship Honor represents a lifetime achievement in photography. Marvins is one of only three Americans who holds all of these Fellowships.)

Master of Photography, MPhotogCr-Professional Photographers of America Fellow-Texas Professional Photographers Assn.

BA History- Tulane University

Lt. Colonel-Retired U.S. Army Reserve

Some Representative Institutional Collections

The Museum of Fine Arts, Houston (26 Prints)

The New Orleans Museum of Art

The Harry Ransom Center/University of Texas (28 Prints)

The Amon Carter Museum of American Art, Ft Worth (24 Prints)

The Victoria and Albert Museum, London

The Fox Talbot Museum, Lacock, England

The Grace Museum (4 Prints)

Texas State University (4 Prints)

CHI St. Lukes Hospital (36 Prints)

Robert B. Green Hospital – University of Texas San Antonio (52 Prints)

Veterans Administration Hospital -Austin (6 Murals and prints)

The Houstonian Hotel and Club-23 Prints

Some Representative Exhibitions

The House of Commons, London 1995

The Cultural Palace, Beijing (two exhibits)



The International Photography Hall of Fame and Museum, 1996

The American Society of Photographers Travelling Loan Collection (Many times)

The Hill Country Arts Foundation Juried Exhibit 2019 and others

The Houston Museum of Natural Science (48 Print, 6 month exhibit), 1996

The Texas Photographic Society (four group exhibits)

The Museum of Western Art (36 Print exhibit)

Big Bend, Winter, 36 Print Exhibit, Williams Tower Gallery, Houston

Texas Big Bend Exhibit, Bob Bullock State History Museum, Austin, 2018

The Grace Museum, Abilene. Opening of the Photography Galleries

The Texas Hill Country-Shreiner University-2019

Kerrville Art and Cultural Center-2019

RODEO!, 12 large prints, Bob Bullock Texas State History Museum, Austin America The Beautiful Billboards, Ft Worth, The Amon Carter Museum Kerr Arts and Cultural Center, 2018

Other Public Installations

CHI St. Luke's Hospital, Houston Permanent installation of 35 Prints and large murals Robert B Green Hospital, University of Texas, San Antonio. Fifty two prints permanently displayed.

Veterans Administration Outpatient Clinic, Austin, Texas, two face mounted Acrylic 12 ft murals and 6 prints.

Other Current Organizations

Rotary Club of Houston
The Big Bend Conservancy
Compadres del Rancho Grande/Friends of Big Bend Ranch State Park, Board
Houston Center For Photography, Founding Member and Advisory Board.
Photo Forum, Museum of Fine Arts Houston, founding member
Rodeo Houston, Life Member and Active Committeeman 45 years
Rodeo Houston-,School Art Committee- Founded Photography competition



Texas Professional Photographers Association, Past President Professional Photographers Guild of Houston, Life Member Professional Photographers of America-Life Member

Books

Texas Big Bend; A Photographic Adventure, (Bright Sky Press)

Boots and Saddles-The M.L. Leddy Tradition (Corporate-Private- 2017)

The Texas Hill Country; A Photographic Adventure, First and Second editions(Texas A&M University Press)

Lives Remembered (U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum, New York)

Rodeo Texas; A Photographic Adventure-working title (2024 release-Texas A&M University Press)