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Artist Statement

I create sculpture in handcarved paper, metal, and natural woven elements, which explore the delicacy of nature, the beauty of line, and the transformation of light and space. Through my work's investigation of both natural and man-made patterns, I seek to understand how pattern lends overall strength to an object such as the veining in plant leaves, the structure of a moth's wing, or the crystal formation of snowflakes. The interaction of light, carved patterns, and shifting shadows play with the architectural shape, sculpting an ever-changing landscape in space around each piece.

Katagami, the ancient Japanese paper carving skill I use to create my sculpture, connects me with the past just as each paper bridge or link in my work connects to form a solid, yet open structure. I bridge the gap between our own human scale, the minute and intimate, and the vast and grand by freezing a moment in time, immortalizing it in pattern, light, and shadow. Through these moments, I am comforted in seeing humanity reflected in nature's change, rebirth, resiliency, and endurance.

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