



ELENI GIANNAKOULAKOU Sculptor – Contractor

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I was born in Athens on 27th of March of 1966.

My artistic expressions began in my childhood, and over time developed to and through various directions, always with hard work and love for research.

In 1996, I started sculpting professionally with clay. From 1998 to 2004, (living in the village of Mesta, a medieval castle settlement of Chios island), partner of a ceramic art studio & exclusive showroom for my ceramic sculptures, finished with three firings technique.

Moved to the United States and worked there until 2007 as a medical sculptress/anaplastologist at Alalheia Prosthetic Rehabilitation Center in Brandon, Mississippi. For many years I experienced a very successful career as a micro sculpture specialist, designer and decorator with shows and exhibitions in Greece and abroad.

I am also experienced as an Office Manager , Management Developer, Business Consultant or Executive Manager in companies involved with tourism, or art.

Multilingual and pleasantly communicative, developed remarkable skills in personal contacts. The last years I am sculpting local stones by commission, working as an Executive Manager -Hostess in an ART ROOF-BAR and I am also the Construction Designer - Artistic Manager of the annual local carnival parade of "MOSTRA".

I am also instructing CLAY SCULPTURE & ART THERAPY workshops for children and adults.

The collective value and character of my work captured in clay or stones, travel all over the world through personal contacts and private shows. Every sculpture is a prototype, which with personal perspective, records and shares life moments, emotions and dreams. Mixed techniques and experimentation, produce a modern way to display unique sculptures, micro sculptures, miniatures and jewels. Symbolic character, Hellenistic style, realistic forms and philosophical references inspired from Hellenic mythology are the parameters of creative efforts to spread Humanism within my art.

Each creation has a reason behind its existence.....

To communicate, share conscious moments and inspire you !!!

My base is the magic island of Chios, NE Aegean, Hellas.

My workshop wherever artistic challenges inspire me ...