This 17th Sculpt Siouxland exhibition comes at an exciting time in the growth of public sculptures in downtown Sioux City. With 20 sculptures on permanent display and another 7 that are on display for through June 2023, Sculpt Siouxland provides many great choices as you stroll through the downtown looking for your favorite.

Sculpt Siouxland, Inc. is a private, non-profit organization of community leaders who are dedicated to engaging and educating the public on the potential of art in public spaces. Working with the support of area businesses, organizations, and individuals, Sculpt Siouxland brings sculptures to Sioux City from throughout the upper Midwest and beyond.

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Sculptures 1-14 are located throughout downtown Sioux City

1. Architrave stainless steel and aluminum Daniel Perry, Waterloo, IA 2022-23 Sculpt Siouxland Participant
2. Rachel Weeping for Her Children resin Sondra Jonson, Cambridge, NE 2007 People’s Choice Award
3. Nutrition Sculpture galvanized steel Will Vannerson, Kansas City, MO 2022-23 Sculpt Siouxland Participant
4. Single Rule steel Kristin Garnant, Camanche, IA 2016 Jury’s Choice Award
5. Queued Up bronze Kate Christopher, Mahtomedi, MN Donated to Sculpt Siouxland by Downtown Partners and Jim & Lynn Johnson
6. Circle Totem Cor-ten steel Harry Kessen, Sioux Falls, SD Purchased with a grant from the Iowa Arts Council
7. El Toro – Angry Bull welded steel rods Dr. James Busby, Bemidji, MN 2006 Jury’s Choice Award
8. Borbor 7.1 galvanized steel Will Vannerson, Kansas City, MO 2018 Jury’s Choice Award
9. After a Knights Meal Cigar bronze Lee Leuning & Sherri Treeby, Aberdeen, SD 2006 People’s Choice Award
10. Greeting Arc II stainless steel and painted steel Sunghoo Min (Roseville, MN) 2022-23 Sculpt Siouxland Participant
11. Greeting Arc I stainless steel and painted steel Sunghoo Min, Roseville, MN 2022-3 Sculpt Siouxland Participant
12. Greased Lightning painted steel Shannon Sargent, Sioux City, IA 2022-23 Sculpt Siouxland Participant
13. Hang Your Hat 4 painted steel Ken Peterson, Hood River, OR Donated to Sculpt Siouxland by Tammy Struve, Dee Polak, & Roger Caudron
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Sculptures located on the campus of the Sioux City Art Center

Sorcerer’s Gate powder-coated aluminum Bruce White, DeKalb, IL 2014 Purchase Award
Duod Forward painted steel Leslie Bruning, Omaha, NE 2017 Purchase Award
Let’s Go steel and polymer Terrence Karpowicz, Chicago, IL 2015 Purchase Award
daredevil painted steel Robert Craig, Des Moines, IA 2013 Purchase Award
Knock-Off powder-coated steel Paul Chelstad, Sioux City, IA Purchased with a grant from the Iowa Arts Council
Timewarp stainless steel Tommy Riefe, Davenport, IA 2015 Purchase Award
Whistle stainless steel Leslie Bruning, Omaha, NE 2012 Purchase Award
Exes and Ohs (X’s and O’s) painted steel Dan Johnson, Alto Pass, IL 2017 Jury’s Choice Award, donated by the artist
Traveler (Cathedral Series Figure) blackened, torch-cut steel, fused bronze James Bearden, Des Moines, IA 2022-23 Sculpt Siouxland Participant
Land Jacks carbon steel Jason Verbeek, New Lenox, IL 2022-23 Sculpt Siouxland Participant
Cradle welded steel Steven T. Elliott, Wayne, NE 2011 Judge’s Choice Award
Gravitation stainless steel Steven T. Elliott, Wayne, NE 2013 Jury’s Choice Award
Synaptic Sinew Sequi V painted, fabricated aluminum with steel base Bill Ppher Walker, Eau Claire, WI 2018 Invitational Artist

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