

# INNOVATIVE EDUCATORS INSTITUTES

## GATEWAYS TO ART ENVIRONMENTS

Presented by the John Michael Kohler Arts Center and facilitated in collaboration with Dr. Liz Rex, art education instructor at UW-Milwaukee.

- Discover the wonder of art environments
- Access exclusive curricula resources
- Get creative with innovative hands-on art making
- Connect with creative professionals



Nick Engelbert, Grandview (site view, Peacock, Hollandale, WI), c. 1930-1960. Photo: 1997.



Fred Smith, Wisconsin Concrete Park (site view, Indian with Red Feathers, Phillips, WI), 1948-1964. Photo: Robert Mertens, 1973.



James Tellen Woodland Sculpture Garden (site view, Black River, WI), c. 1942-57. John Michael Kohler Arts Center Collection, gift of Kohler Foundation Inc.

### Friday, June 23

8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

#### Nick Engelbert's Grandview in Hollandale, WI

Think big and learn strategies to develop curricula based on art environments using enduring concepts. Explore Nick Engelbert's transformed home and surrounding gardens. Inspired by the environment, "use your head" to create a one-of-a-kind, concrete sculptural form.

### Friday, July 21

8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

#### Fred Smith Wisconsin Concrete Park in Phillips, WI

Delve deeper into curriculum development based on these art sites. Immerse yourself in Fred Smith's astounding Wisconsin Concrete Park, featuring over 230 sculptures. Inspired by Nebraskan artist Emery Blagdon's "Healing Machine," harness the powers of the earth and make your own kinetic, mixed-media mobile.

### Saturday, August 5

8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

#### THE ROAD LESS TRAVELED at the John Michael Kohler Arts Center

Tour THE ROAD LESS TRAVELED exhibition series featuring the art-environment builders and create inspired curricula. Respond to the work of Stella Waitzkin by creating an alginate and wax-casting assemblage. Step outdoors to view the work of Carl Petersen and then off to the James Tellen Woodland Sculpture Garden.

Early registration cost: \$65 per day  
Registration after June 1: \$80 per day  
20% off for art and education students  
20% off for registering for all three days

Price includes lunch and curriculum binder. All sales final, no refunds.

To register, call the Arts Center at 920-458-6144. For more information, visit [www.jmkac.org](http://www.jmkac.org)

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