

AT THE EDGE

ARTIST AND ENGINEER



An industrial engineer for more than two decades, NJIT alumnus Bob Mataranglo '68, MS '95, then embarked on a very different course – earning an MA in painting and an MFA in visual arts. He's now an artist and professor teaching art and film-making courses at Kean University and Ocean County College.

Bob's animated videos have been screened at film festivals across the U.S. and in seven other countries, and he's exhibited three-dimensional art throughout New Jersey. Based in Monmouth County, Bob also paints murals for public buildings, homes and businesses. His work has garnered numerous awards.

Of his foam board *Ready or Not, Here I Come*, Bob says "It's six-feet high, four-feet wide, and extends seven feet into the room. I built it in graduate school after a professor said 'my pieces extend a bit far from the wall.' Those pieces extended less than a foot. I took his remark as a challenge."

Bob on the Web:
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Residence mural evoking Monet



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