

ARTIST STATEMENT

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I like to think of myself as somewhat of a Social Scientist; a Sociologist observing people, an Anthropologist traveling with notebook, an Archeologist making field sketches.

I have never wanted to be specifically associated with any one particular school or movement of art or thought. I feel more compelled to create work that represents a more generalized experience; at once familiar, common and unsettling, of the potential viewer and as an individual artist. – **Jordan West**