



Artist Statement

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The science of physics and engineering often influence my thinking and serve as a starting for making. The majority of my work involves some element of a physical force and goes through a process of planning and fabrication.

Some of my fondest childhood memories involve building electromagnets, scouring through countless tins and jars of hardware, and prototyping my next break through invention.

The apparatuses I create harness material qualities, movement, light, and sound. Simple in their being, they reference outside themselves the spiraling descent of a seedpod, the dry squeak of a porch swing, the glisten of a freshly washed car.

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| Figure 1: | Magnet Table | Sculpture | plywood, steel, magnets, found furniture; 5 ft. x 5 ft. x 5 ft. |
| Figure 2: | Magnet Table Detail | Sculpture | plywood, steel, magnets, found furniture; 5 ft. x 5 ft. x 5 ft. |
| Figure 3: | Rusting Apparatus | Sculpture | peristaltic pump, steel, plywood, salt and vinegar solution; 6 ft. x 12 ft. x 6 ft. |
| Figure 4: | Rusting Apparatus Detail | Sculpture | Peristaltic pump, steel, plywood, salt and vinegar solution; 24 in. x 8 ft. |
| Figure 5: | Mechakinesis | Sculpture | mixed media; 4 ft. x 8 ft. x 5 ft. |
| Figure 6: | Mechakinesis | Sculpture | mixed media; 4 ft. x 8 ft. x 5 ft. |
| Figure 7: | Mechakinesis | Sculpture | mixed media; 4 ft. x 8 ft. x 5 ft. |
| Figure 8: | Mechakinesis | Sculpture | steel, brass, plastic, maple, plywood, synchronous motor; 4 in. x 20 in. 4 in. |
| Figure 9: | Mechakinesis | Sculpture | steel, brass, plastic, maple, plywood, synchronous motor; 4 in. x 20 in. 4 in. |
| Figure 10: | Mechakinesis | Sculpture | aluminum, copper; 3.5 in. x 1.5 in. x 1.5 in. |
| Figure 11: | Mechakinesis | Sculpture | steel, brass, aluminum, copper, magnets, masonite, synchronous motor; 1 ft. x 1 ft. x 1 ft. |
| Figure 12: | Mechakinesis | Sculpture | steel, brass, aluminum, copper, magnets, masonite, synchronous motor; 1 ft. x 1 ft. x 1 ft. |



Figure 1: Magnet Table.

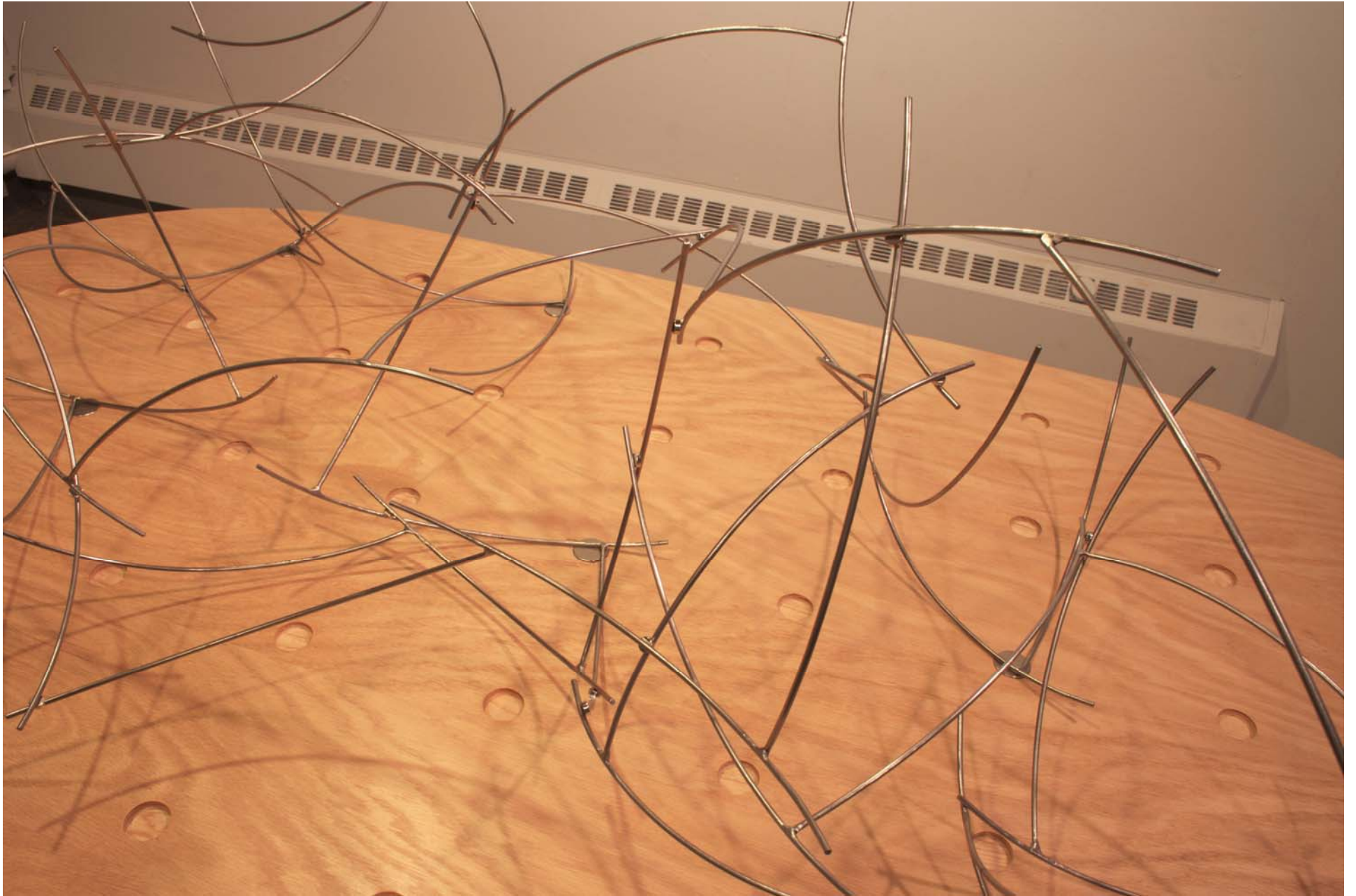


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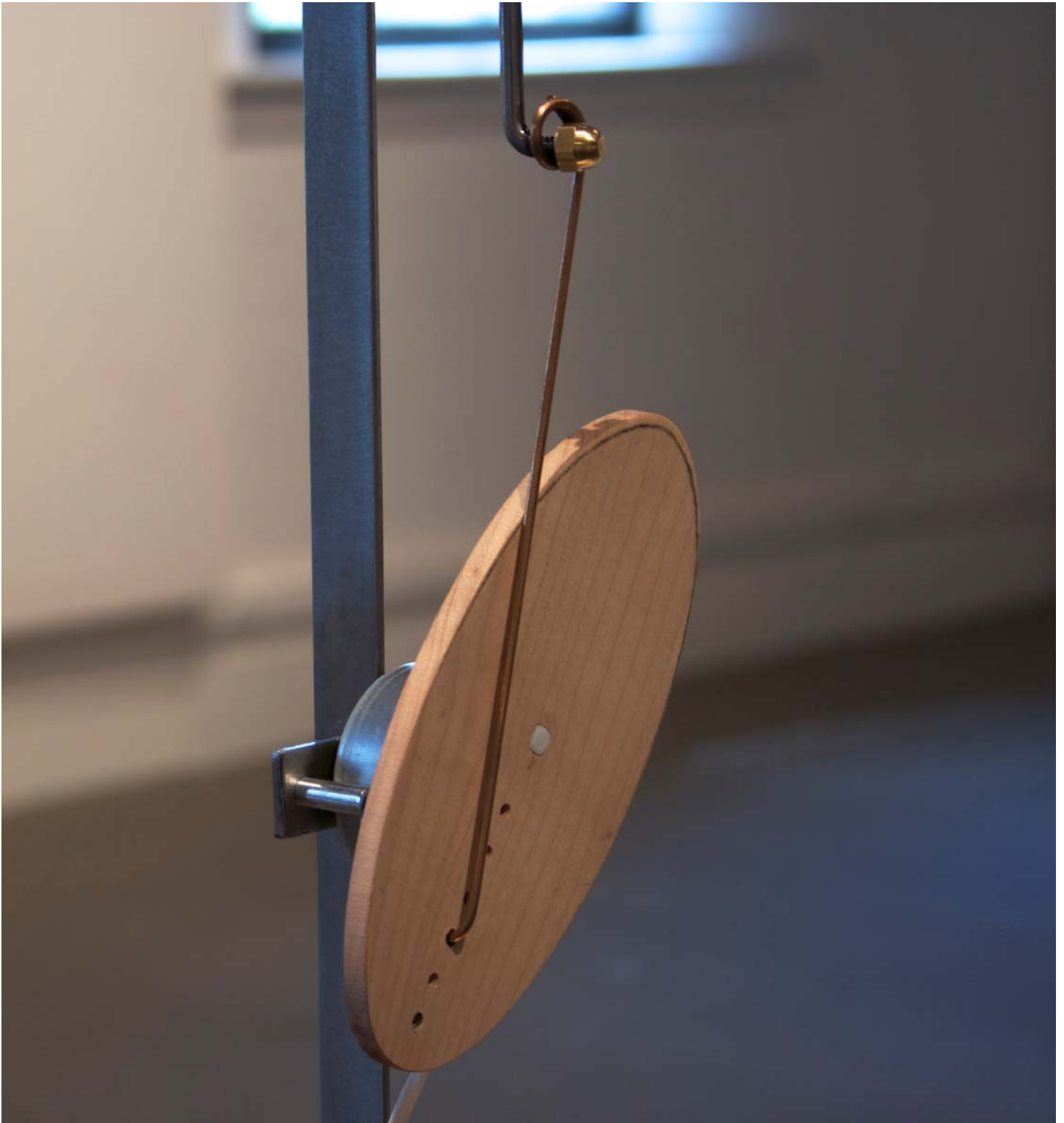


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