

**A SUBTLE DIFFERENCE
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ARTIST STATEMENT - RIVERKEEPER BOAT MODEL

THIS PROJECT WAS A COLLABORATION BY RYAN WILLIAMS AND CONOR LANDENBERGER. BOTH RYAN AND CONOR GREW UP IN SOUTHERN VERMONT, ATTENDED THE SAME SCHOOLS AND NOW LIVE IN THE HUDSON VALLEY OF NEW YORK.

RYAN WAS INITIALLY APPROACHED TO DECORATE THE MODEL AND IMMEDIATELY KNEW HE WANTED TO BRING CONOR ON BOARD. CONOR CREATED THE PIECES NOT ORIGINALLY PART OF THE MODEL, SUCH AS THE RAILS ALONG THE TOP, THE WINDOWS AND THE RIG ON THE BACK OF THE BOAT THAT HOLDS ALL THE LINES. HE DID THIS THROUGH LASER-CUTTING AND CNC ROUTING.

RYAN DID ALL THE DECORATIVE WORK ON THE BOAT, SUCH AS THE PAINTING, GLUEING AND FINISHING. CONOR HELPED HIM WITH THIS AS WELL. IT WAS TRULY A JOINT EFFORT.

BOTH AGREE THAT IT WAS A VERY INTERESTING PROJECT. TO NOT HAVE CONTROL OF EITHER THE MODEL NOR THE CONCEPT MADE THEM LOOK AT PROBLEM SOLVING AND OUTSIDE-THE-BOX THINKING AS MUCH AS CREATION. THEY BOTH THANK YOU FOR THE OPPORTUNITY.

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