

photo by Mel Schockner



This is the maquette for the third in a series of three different running cheetahs. "Turning Point" is the lead cat, executing a tight cheetah turn in front of the other two that are running straight ahead, "Running Cheetah" with its feet gathered tightly beneath its body and "Cheetah Sprint" stretched out, almost airborne. Together they represent the

three most characteristic elements of the famed running style of this fastest of land animals. The name "Turning Point" not only describes the spectacular maneuver depicted in this sculpture, but also the position occupied by the species in its struggle against extinction.

ROSETTA, SAA

Resides: Loveland, Colorado
b. 1945, Virginia, USA

Turning Point
Cheetah
Bronze
5.5 x 15 x 8