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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2017- **Professor of Art**, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2011-16 **Associate Professor of Art**, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2005-10 **Assistant Professor of Art**, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 1999 **Faculty**, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, Visiting Instructor of Art
- Residency**, Clinton Public Schools, Clinton, NY
- 1996-99 **Faculty**, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA, Visiting Instructor of Art, Adjunct Instructor
- 1987-89 **Teaching Assistant**, ART 101, Art Fundamentals; ART 102, Two-Dimensional Design; Summer Sessions, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH
- 1989 **Gallery Teaching Assistant**, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH

PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

James Madison University, Courses taught: ART 260, Introduction to Photography; ART 362, Intermediate Photography: Experimental Black and White; ART 364, Intermediate Photography: Large Format; ART 460 and ART 560, Advanced Photography: Alternative Processes; ART 464, Photography: Portfolio Development; ART 462 and ART 562: The Pre-History of Photography, Magic and Illusion; ART 492 and ART 590: Summer Photo Festival, Street Photography in Prague, Czech Republic; ARTH 304, History of Photography; ART 655, Graduate Research; PSYC 680, Graduate Psychology Independent Research (The Aesthetic Experience); ART 260, Drawing II; ART 140, Two-Dimensional Design

Graduate faculty: Graduate Thesis Committee: Sarah Boyts, Spring 2006; Ashley Miller, Spring 2007; Graduate Thesis Advisor: Daniel Robinson, Spring 2008; Graduate Thesis Advisor: Paul Estabrook, Fall 2008; Graduate Thesis Advisor (MA and MFA): Aimee George, Spring 2009, Fall 2009; Graduate Thesis Advisor: Cheyenne Crawford, Spring 2011; Graduate Thesis Advisor: Jennifer Creef, Spring 2014; Graduate Thesis Advisor: Patricia Drummond, Graduate Thesis Committee: Brian Barger, Spring 2015

Other Teaching and Service: Supervise darkroom assistants; Maintain darkrooms and equipment; Director of New Image Gallery, Fall 2006-2015; Faculty advisor to student run gallery, artWorks, Fall 2007; Serve on the School of Art, Design and Art History Gallery Committee; Represented the College of Visual and Performing Arts in the University Honors Program 2005-2011; PAC (Personnel Action Committee), Chair 2012-2013; PAC and College of Visual and Performing Arts FLAG (Faculty Leave Awards and Grants) Committees, 2014-2015; Advise undergraduate art majors; Honors Thesis Advisor: Nancy Daly, 2007-2008, Danielle Strickler, 2009-2012, Sarah Wink, 2010-2012; Book Arts Minor Faculty, Fall 2014

University of Virginia, Courses taught: Photography I, Photography II, Intermediate Photography, Advanced Problems: Photo Series; Maintained beginner and advanced darkrooms; Supervised darkroom assistants; Advised Anspaugh Fifth Year Fellows

VISITING ARTIST LECTURES, WORKSHOPS, AND EXHIBITION JURYING

- 2024 Woodberry Forest School, Orange, VA, **Visiting Artist Lecture, "Process vs. Outcome: Behind the Scenes of an Art Studio Practice,"** April 8, 2024.
- 2023 Sparks Research Symposium "**Hidden Mothers and Invisible Birds: Reframing an Overlooked Genre and Arcane Photographic Process from a Contemporary 'Art and Activism' Perspective,**" Forbes Center for the Performing Arts, Friday, April 21, 2023 <https://www.jmu.edu/arts/events/sparks/sparks-symposium.shtml>
<https://www.pechakucha.com/presentations/silberman-hidden-mothers-and-invisible-birds-931>
- Mary Baldwin University Spencer Center, Staunton, VA, Fredericksburg, VA, **Visiting Artist Brown Bag Lunch Discussion, "Magical Thinking and Creativity"**
<https://marybaldwin.edu/news/2023/02/22/wellness-happenings-february-march/>
- 2022 University of Mary Washington, Fredericksburg, VA, **Visiting Artist Lecture**
- 2018 Mary Baldwin University, Staunton, VA, Annual Undergraduate Art Exhibition, **Juror**
- Albemarle High School, Charlottesville, VA, **History of Photography Lecture and Tintype Demo**
- 2017 Bridgewater College, Bridgewater, VA, **Visiting Artist Lecture**
- Christopher Newport University, Newport News, VA, **Visiting Artist Lecture and Tintype Demo**
- Rockbridge Camera Club, Lexington, VA, **Visiting Artist Lecture, "Optics, Magic and Illusion (the old made new again in photography)"**
- 2016 "**REMIX | Art from the Archives,**" Virginia Caucus of the Mid-Atlantic Regional Archives Conference, **Juror**
- Albemarle High School, Charlottesville, VA, **History of Photography Lecture and Tintype Demo**
- George Mason University, **Visiting Artist Lecture**
- 2015 Prism Gallery, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA, Office of International Programs: International Week Juried Photography Exhibition, **Juror**
- Charlottesville High School, Charlottesville, VA, **History of Photography Lecture and Tintype Demo**
- Monticello High School, Charlottesville, VA, **History of Photography Lecture and Tintype Demo**
- Woodberry Forest School, Orange, VA, **History of Photography Lecture and Tintype Demo**
- 2014 Prism Gallery, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA, Office of International Programs: International Week Juried Photography Exhibition, **Juror**
- James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA, **IVS Colloquium: Rebecca Silberman, Inhabiting the Uncanny, Animated Dolls and Micro-Sets**
- Monticello High School, Charlottesville, VA, **History of Photography Lecture and Tintype Demo**
- Suffolk Art Center, 30th Annual Juried Photography Exhibit, Suffolk, VA, **Juror**
- 2007 Mary Baldwin College, Staunton, VA, **Artist Lecture**
- 2005 University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, **Artist Lecture**

- 2002 Piedmont Virginia Community College, Charlottesville, VA, **Artist Lecture**
Virginia Commonwealth University, Continuing Education Outreach, Louisa, VA, **Artist Lecture**
- 2000 Manhattanville College, Purchase, NY, **Artist Lecture and Tintype Workshop**
- 1998 Austin Peay State University, Clarksville, TN, **Photo Transfer Workshop**
Orange Art Center, Orange, VA, **Photo Transfer Workshops**
- 1997 Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI, **Artist Lecture and Photo Transfer Workshop**
Piedmont Virginia Community College, Charlottesville, VA, **Photo Transfer Workshop**
- 1996 James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA, **Artist Lecture and Photo Transfer Workshop**
- 1995 Warren Wilson College, Asheville, NC, **Artist Lecture and Photo Transfer Workshops**
- 1994 University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point, Stevens Point, WI, **Artist Lecture**
University of Wisconsin-Marshfield, Marshfield, WI, **Artist Lecture**

***SOLO AND TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS**

- 2024 ***"Hidden Mothers and Invisible Birds,"** The Baker Gallery, Woodberry Forest School, Orange, VA
- 2022 ***"Invisible Birds and Other Works,"** Virginia Museum of Fine Arts Pauley Center, Richmond, VA
***"Disappearing Act,"** Beverley Street Studio School Gallery, Staunton, VA
- 2015 **"Passage,"** with Dymph de Wild, New Image Gallery, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2014 ***"12 x 12,"** Darrin McHone Gallery, Arts Council of the Valley, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2010 ***"Everything in its Right Place,"** ArtGallery, Norfolk, VA
***"I waited for you, but you never came,"** Darrin McHone Gallery, Arts Council of the Valley, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2009 ***"All Things Together, All Things Apart and Everything Left Over,"** Staunton Augusta Art Center, Staunton, VA
- 2006 ***"All Things Together, All Things Apart and Everything Left Over, excerpts, journals, tintypes, drawings, fragments,"** National Institutes of Health Clinical Center Galleries, Bethesda, MD
- 2001 ***"Listening for Lazarus,"** James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2000 ***"Proof,"** Artemisia Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1998 ***"Self Storage,"** Kirkland Art Center, Clinton, NY
***"Cover,"** Austin Peay State University, Clarksville, TN

***Western Michigan University**, Kalamazoo, MI

***Piedmont Virginia Community College**, Charlottesville, VA

***“Cover(s),”** Urban Institute for Contemporary Arts, Grand Rapids, MI

***“Odd Numbers,”** George Washington University, Virginia Campus, Ashburn, VA

***“Black Sheep,”** New Image Gallery, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA

“Pretend Everything’s Normal,” with Cat Crotchett, Machine Shop Gallery, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH

1995 ***“I’m Not Making This Up,”** Warren Wilson College, Asheville, NC

1994 ***“Trick Question,”** An Art Place Gallery, Chicago, IL

***University of Wisconsin-Marshfield**, Marshfield, WI

“Architecture of Memory,” with John Ford, Internos Gallery (formerly Kohler-Clark), Milwaukee, WI

1993 **“Smoke and Slang,”** with John-Paul Pietrus, No Name Gallery, Minneapolis, MN

***“Rebecca Silberman: Rocket Scientist and Other Works,”** Webster’s Bookstore, Milwaukee, WI

***“Not Coming Home Tonight,”** Blatz Gallery, Milwaukee, WI

“Spring Forward, Fall Back,” with Brian Kelly, Silver Paper Gallery, Milwaukee, WI

1992 ***“The Last Straw and Other Ones After That,”** Grava Gallery, Milwaukee, WI

HONORS AND AWARDS

2024 **Professional Development Fund Award, *Hidden Mothers and Invisible Birds***, Baker Gallery, Woodberry Forest School, Orange, VA; School of Art, Design and Art History, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA

2023 **CVPA Faculty Development Award, *Hidden Mothers and Invisible Birds***, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA

Professional Development Fund Award, *Disappearing Act*, Beverley Street Studio School Gallery, Staunton, VA, School of Art, Design and Art History, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA

Professional Development Fund Award, *Invisible Birds and Other Works*, Virginia Museum of Fine Arts Pauley Center, Richmond, VA, School of Art, Design and Art History, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA

2022 **Editors’ Pick**, LensCulture Summer Open Competition Gallery, lensculture.com/awards

2020 **Professional Fellowship, Photography**, Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond, VA

2018 **Faculty Educational Leave Award, *Metal Shed CoLab Itinerant Tintype Studio***, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA

- 2017 **Undergraduate Student Research Grant Award, *Nevermore***, (Jorge Escobar)
Faculty Advisor, College of Visual and Performing Arts, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2016 **Award of Distinction, Mixed Media**, “VIRGINIA ARTISTS, 2016,” Charles H. Taylor Arts Center, Hampton, VA
- Halide Project Prize**, “Living Image,” The Halide Project, Philadelphia, PA
- 2015 **Undergraduate Student Research Grant Award, *Anthotype Photosensitizing Gardens***, (Jeremiah Morris and ART 460 and ART 560), *Faculty Advisor*, School of Visual and Performing Arts, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- Professional Development Fund Award**, writers workshop for *Burgeon Magazine* and participation in *Hothouse: imPrint*, Washington DC, School of Art, Design and Art History, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2014 **Arts Council of the Valley Advancing the Arts Grant, 12 x 12**, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2013 **Professional Development Fund Award**, Visit to the Halsey Institute of Art in Charleston, SC, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2012 **Faculty Educational Leave Award, *Medicine and Magic, the Convergence of Science and Art; Magic, Miniatures and the History of Photography***, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2011 **Madison Scholar, College of Visual and Performing Arts**, nomination, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2011 **Summer Research Grant, *Optics and Miniatures: Cabinets of Wonder in the Age of Digital Photography***, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2010 **Travel Grant**, (Traveled to Amsterdam to look at Dutch miniatures at the Rijksmuseum and Anne Frank Huis), Office of International Programs, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA,
- 2008 **Residency Award**, Paris Atelier in La Cité International des Arts, July/August 2008
(Collaborative works made with Jožica Medle, Fiona Rukschcio, NYC Artist Carol Holsinger; initiated a traveling *World Journal*; temporary installation, *The Garden of Chosen Ones* at Père Lachaise Cemetery)
- 2007 **First Place Award**, “Celebrating Women in the Arts,” Invitational Exhibition, Les Yeux du Monde Gallery, Charlottesville, VA
- Summer Research Grant, *Missing Metal Mothers: Bringing a Lost Genre of Photography to Life Using Optics, Light and Sound***,” James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2004 **Purchases**, Capital One, Richmond, VA
- 2003 **Professional Development Retreat**, Funded by Creative Capital and Mid-Atlantic Arts Foundation, Baltimore, MD
- 2001 **Individual Artist Fellowship, Works on Paper**, Virginia Commission for the Arts, Richmond, VA
- 1999 **Finalist, Individual Artist Fellowship, Works on Paper**, Virginia Commission for the Arts, Richmond, VA
- Director’s Recognition Award**, Digital/Experimental ’99, Period Gallery, Omaha, NE

- 1997 **Qualex Award**, International Photography and Digital Image Exhibition, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
- 1996 **Finalist, Works on Paper**, Mid-Atlantic Artist's Fellowship, National Endowment for the Arts
- Best in Show**, "Regional Exhibition," Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD
- Judge's Choice Award for Innovative Work, and Third Place - Thematic Category**, "Quilts = Art = Quilts, Auburn, NY
- Merit Award**, Visions Touring Exhibition, Virginia Beach, VA; Richmond, VA
- 1995 **Jury Award**, "A New View of Judaic Art," Pittsburgh, PA
- First Place, Thematic Category**, "Quilts = Art = Quilts," Auburn, NY
- First Place in Mixed Media**, The Waterford Fair Photography Exhibition, Waterford, VA
- Contributor Award**, Northern National Art Competition, Rhinelander, WI
- Juror's Award**: Invitation to submit portfolio for review by the curatorial staff of the Museum of Photographic Arts of San Diego, Photropolis '95, San Diego, CA
- 1994 **Best in Show, First in Mixed Media**, The Waterford Fair Red Barn Exhibition, Waterford, VA
- Honorable Mention**, "Dark Vision," Dark's Art Parlor, Santa Ana, CA
- Second Place**, Personal Visions II, An Art Place Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1993 **Second Place**, Wisconsin Painters and Sculptors Juried Show, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI
- Sax Award**, "Beauty and the Beast," University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI
- Jurors' Purchase Award** for the City of Mesa, Arizona, "Drawn to the Extreme," Galeria Mesa, Mesa, AZ
- 1992 **Grumbacher Best of Show Gold Medal Award**, The North Coast Collage Society, National Juried Exhibit, Spokane, WA
- First Award**, Mixed Media, Twentieth Annual Small Painting Exhibition, Albuquerque, NM
- 1991 **Louisville Art Festival Merit Award**, Louisville, CO
- Hudson Society of Artists Award**, Hudson, OH

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 **"Disappearing Birds of North America,"** contributing artist (Brewer's Blackbird), Cornell University, Ithaca, NY. <https://www.disappearingbirds.org>; <https://www.disappearingbirds.org/artists>
- 2023 **Faculty Exhibition**, Duke Hall Gallery of Fine Arts, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA

- 2022 **"Suppression: A group response to the overturn of Roe v Wade, supporting the Blue Ridge Abortion Fund,"** Chroma Projects, Charlottesville, VA <https://www.chromaprojects.com/new-events/2022/8/5/suppression-a-group-response-to-the-overturn-of-roe-v-wade>
- 2020 **"Murmuration," Variation I, II, and III, Curator,** (year long exhibition series) New Image Gallery, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA <https://www.jmu.edu/artandarthistory/galleries/new-image/new-image-gallery.shtml>
- 2019 **"VMFA: Futures,"** group invitational exhibition curated by Jaynelle Hazard, McGuire Woods Gallery, Workhouse Arts Center, Lorton, Virginia
- 2018 **"Care and Feeding: The Art of Parenthood,"** international group invitational exhibition curated by Selene Foster and Andrea Antonaccio, Palo Alto Art Center, Palo Alto, CA
- 2017 **"Emerging & Emerged: The Sisters of MythOfUs,"** faculty/student collaboration in a group show, with Lyndsay Crump and Sarah Phillips, artWorks Gallery, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- "Locked House Books,"** install with PS+3 (collaboration with members of ART 460, Alternative Processes), Duke Hall Crit Space, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- "There Need Not Be Relic: Work inspired by the book Housekeeping from the Metal Shed CoLab,"** (Corinne Diop, Dymph de Wild, Rebecca Silberman), Darrin McHone Gallery, Smith House, Arts Council of the Valley, Harrisonburg, VA
- "The Age of Wire and String,"** "Metal Shed CoLab" (Corinne Diop, Dymph de Wild, Rebecca Silberman), Cleo Driver Miller Art Gallery at Bridgewater College, Bridgewater, VA
- Faculty Exhibition,** Duke Hall Gallery of Fine Arts, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2016 **"There Need Not Be Relic: New Work inspired by the book Housekeeping from the Metal Shed CoLab,"** (Corinne Diop, Dymph de Wild, Rebecca Silberman), Falk Gallery, Christopher Newport University, Newport News, VA
- "Emerging & Emerged,"** faculty/student collaboration in a group show, with Rachel McCroddan and Corinne Diop, artWorks Gallery, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- Mixed Media & Photo-based Works by Corinne Diop, Jeremiah Morris and Rebecca Silberman,** The Gallery at Laughing Dog, Harrisonburg, VA
- "VIRGINIA ARTISTS, 2016,"** Juror Jeffrey Allison, Charles H. Taylor Arts Center, Hampton, VA
- "Nocturnes,"** SE Center for Photography, Juror Harold Davis, Greenville SC, *online catalog*
- "Living Image,"** The Halide Project, Juror Chandra Glick, Artforum Photo Editor, Philadelphia, PA, *catalog*
- "Housekeeping,"** "Metal Shed CoLab" (Corinne Diop, Dymph de Wild, Rebecca Silberman) Beverley Street Studio School Gallery, Staunton, VA
- 2015 **Grand Celebration of Innovation, Art, and Scholarship,** Faculty Exhibition, Duke Hall Gallery of Fine Arts, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- "From the Earth, (Anthotype Garden Exhibition),"** Frances Plecker Education Center at the Edith J. Carrier Arboretum, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- "Music Without Sound,"** The Music Library Gallery Space, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA

- "That was Then, This is Now: From 19th Century to Digital Photography at JMU,"** "Metal Shed CoLab" (an evolving collaborative of faculty, grads, and undergraduates who work with photo-based processes), Terrace Gallery, Capital One, Richmond, VA
- "Hothouse: imPRINT,"** Curator Robert Bettmann, Washington Project for the Arts, Capitol Skyline Hotel, Washington DC
- "The Drawing Show,"** Duke Hall Crit Space, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2014 **"Prelude,"** Duke Hall Gallery, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2013 **"Drawing More," an international video and print exchange,** curated by Anne Beck and Dietmar Krumrey of The Lost Coast Culture Machine, Fort Bragg, CA. Screening debut and exhibition at James Madison University; additional screenings scheduled at University of Virginia, University of Akron and trenutak39, Zagreb, Croatia
- Faculty Exhibition,** Sawhill Gallery, Warren Hall, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2012 **"Divergent Visions, The Graduate Art Faculty at James Madison University,"** Staunton Augusta Art Center, Staunton, VA
- 2011 **"Light Scattered: Photography at JMU,"** Capital One, Richmond, VA
- Faculty Exhibition,** Sawhill Gallery, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2010 **"Tiny Art Show,"** Smith Gallery, Southampton, NY
- "Minds Wide Open,"** Les Yeux du Monde Gallery, Charlottesville, VA
- Faculty Exhibition,** Sawhill Gallery, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2009 **"Action of Play, a Selection of Work by JMU Graduate Faculty,"** Capital One, Richmond, VA
- Faculty Exhibition,** Sawhill Gallery, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2008 **Faculty Exhibition,** Sawhill Gallery, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2007 **"Celebrating Women in the Arts,"** Invitational Exhibition, Les Yeux du Monde Gallery, Charlottesville, VA
- Faculty Exhibition,** Sawhill Gallery, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2006 **"The Land of Wandering,"** The Brown Science and Engineering Library, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA
- Faculty Exhibition,** Sawhill Gallery, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2005 **"The Land of Wandering,"** University of Virginia Off Campus Gallery, Charlottesville, VA, **book "ex.hi. volume one, the land of wandering"** published by the Printmakers Left and University of Virginia Press, 2005
- "Voices and Visions"** Group Exhibition, National Institutes of Health, Clinical Center Galleries, Bethesda, MD
- Faculty Exhibition,** Sawhill Gallery, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA

- 2003 **"Seeing in the Dark,"** (Women Photographers' Collective), University of the Arts Sol Mednick Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
- "Notebook,"** ARTSCAPE 2003, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD
- 2002 **"Seeing in the Dark,"** (Women Photographers' Collective), Artspace, Richmond, VA
- Contemporary Photography in Virginia,** Curator Susannah Koerber, Art Museum of Western Virginia, Roanoke, VA
- 2001 **Folio,** Juror Gayle Paul, Charles Taylor Art Center, Hampton, VA
- Women Photographers' Collective,** (three woman exhibition), Eastern Mennonite University, Harrisonburg, VA
- "Box,"** ARTSCAPE 2001, Villa Julie College, Baltimore, MD
- "Fresh Works: A Celebration of Virginia Photography,"** Juror Phillip Brookman, 1708 Gallery, Richmond, VA, *catalog*
- "Put Yourself in the Picture,"** Juror Tom Gitterman, Center for Photography at Woodstock, Woodstock, NY
- "Seeing in the Dark,"** (Women Photographers' Collective), ARC, Chicago, IL
- Collaboration with Martha Saunders, Scott Smith, Tristan Kerr, and John Hunter,** "Martha Saunders: Fusing Terrains," Piedmont Virginia Community College, Charlottesville, VA
- 2000 **"Artafexus,"** ARTSCAPE ANNUAL, School 33 Art Center, Baltimore, MD
- "Added Layers,"** (three woman exhibition) Matrix Gallery, Sacramento, CA
- Photo Invitational Exhibition,** Brownson Gallery, Manhattanville College, Purchase, NY
- All Media Juried Exhibition 2000,** Juror Jane Farver, Arlington Arts Center, Arlington, VA
- 1999 **Faculty Show,** Guest Artist, University of Maine-Orono, Orono, ME
- Greater Reston Art Center Annual Juried Exhibition,** Juror Peter Dubeau, Reston, VA
- "Presence,"** (three woman exhibition), Boyden Gallery, St. Mary's College of Maryland, St. Mary's City, MD
- Directions in Contemporary Printmaking,** Edna Carlsten Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point, *catalog*
- Fiberart International '99,** Pittsburgh Center for the Arts, Pittsburgh, PA, *catalog*
- New Media '99 "Photocopier Art: An Exploration",** Shepherd College, Shepherdstown, WV, *catalog*
- The Magic Silver Show 1999,** The University of Northern Iowa; Cedar Falls, IA, *catalog*
- Digital/Experimental '99,** Period Gallery, Omaha, NE
- 1998 **Corcoran Art Auction Exhibition,** Corcoran Museum of Art, Washington, DC, *catalog*

- Maryland Art League Regional Open Juried Exhibition**, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD
- “Excavations,” ArtSites 98**, Corcoran and Washington Project for the Arts, Washington, DC, *catalog*
- “Culture: Kinship and Contradiction Between Coexisting Cultures,”** Juror Clarissa Sligh, Ohio University School of Art, Athens, OH
- 1997 **Mid-Atlantic New Painting 97**, Mary Washington College Galleries, Fredericksburg, VA, *catalog*
- “Domesticity, Nostalgia and Memory,”** 1708 Gallery, Visiting Critic Invitational Exhibition, Richmond, VA
- International Photography and Digital Image Exhibition**, Juror Olivia Parker, The Wellington B. Gray Gallery, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC, *catalog*
- Alumni Juried Exhibition**, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH
- 1996 **“Quilts = Art = Quilts,”** Schweinfurth Art Center, Auburn, NY
- Light Factory Members Show**, Charlotte, NC
- Visions Touring Exhibition**, Visions Gallery, Virginia Beach, VA, Traveled to Shockoe Bottom Arts Center, Richmond, VA
- Soho Photo Gallery**, Juror Susan Kismaric, New York, NY
- “Women’s Art Works Six,”** Center at High Falls, Rochester, NY
- “Passover and Passed Over,”** Ashwell Gallery, Beverly, MA
- “Regional Exhibition,”** Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD
- 1995 **14th National “Quilts = Art = Quilts,”** Schweinfurth Art Center, Auburn, NY
- A New View of Judaic Art**, The Jewish Community Center, Pittsburgh, PA
- “Beads on Target,”** Torpedo Factory Art Center, Alexandria, VA
- “Counterpoint,”** The Hill Country Arts Foundation, Ingram, TX
- Toledo Friends of Photography: National Juried Photographic Exhibition**, Toledo Center for Visual Arts, Toledo, OH
- Northern National Juried Art Competition**, Nicolet College, Rhinelander, WI
- Women Artists ‘95**, Matrix Gallery, Sacramento, CA
- Three Rivers Arts Festival**, Juror Richard Flood, The Carnegie Museum of Art, Pittsburgh, PA, *catalog*
- Greater Reston Arts Center/Annual Juried Art Exhibition**, Reston, VA
- “Provocare,”** North Valley Arts Council, Grand Forks, ND, *catalog*
- “Art/MD,”** Juror Phyllis Rosenzweig, Howard County Center for the Arts, Ellicott City, MD

- "Photropolis '95,"** Jurors Diana Gaston, Suda House and Richard A. Lou, San Diego Art Institute, San Diego, CA, *catalog*
- 6th Annual New Image Exhibition,** Juror Bea Nettles, New Image Gallery, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 1994 **"The Dark Age,"** Dark's Art Parlor, Santa Ana, CA
- "ARC Regional,"** ARC Gallery, Chicago, IL
- "Narratives,"** Union Art Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI
- 1993 **Wisconsin Painters and Sculptors Juried Show,** University of Wisconsin Memorial Union Art Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI
- Jahn/Matter Arts,** Minneapolis, MN
- Kohler-Clark Open House,** Kohler-Clark Gallery, Milwaukee, WI
- "Beauty and the Beast,"** Union Art Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI
- "Drawn to the Extreme,"** Galeria Mesa, Mesa Art Center, Mesa, AZ
- Contemporary American Drawing,** Artsquad Contemporary Fine Art, Easton, PA
- "The Gang of 40: 40 Works by 40 Women,"** Gallery 218, Milwaukee, WI
- Featured Artist,** Gallery Ten, Rockford, IL
- 1992 **Wisconsin Painters and Sculptors, Wisconsin Artists in all Media,** AGA Center for the Arts, Appleton, WI
- "Menagerie,"** Gallery Ten, Rockford, IL
- Higher Elevations International Juried Art Competition,** Higher Elevations Gallery, Lake City, CO
- "The Gang of 4,"** (four woman exhibition), Firestation Gallery, Milwaukee, WI
- Northern National Juried Art Competition,** Nicolet College Gallery, Rhineland, WI
- North Coast Collage Society National Juried Exhibition,** Corbin Art Center, Spokane, WA
Traveled to: Governor's Gallery, Olympia, WA; Index Gallery, Vancouver, WA; North Light Gallery, Everett, WA
- Twentieth Annual National Small Painting Exhibition,** New Mexico Art League, Albuquerque, NM
- 1991 **Group Show Gallery Artists,** Grava Gallery, Milwaukee, WI
- "Privileged Access,"** Milwaukee Art Museum, Milwaukee, WI
- Louisville Arts Festival Annual Juried Show,** Louisville, CO
- "Expressions and Commentary,"** Neville Public Museum, Green Bay, WI
Traveled to: Cedarburg Cultural Art Center, Cedarburg, WI, *catalog*
- Regional Show VI,** Southside Art League, Indianapolis, IN
- Seventh Annual North Coast Collage Exhibit,** Stocker Center Gallery, Elyria, OH

21st National Works on Paper Exhibition, Harnett Hall Gallery, Minot, ND

"Paper in Particular," Columbia College, Columbia, MO

EDUCATION

- 1989 **M.F.A. Graphics (Photography, Drawing, Printmaking)**, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH, Secondary Concentration in Painting
- 1987 **B.F.A. Painting**, Longwood University, Farmville, VA, Minors in Sociology and French, **CUM LAUDE**

CONTINUING EDUCATION

- 2007 **f295 Lensless, Alternative and Adaptive Photographic Processes Symposium**, Carnegie Mellon Institute, Pittsburgh, PA
- Wet Plate Collodion Workshop**, The Center for Alternative and Historic Processes, Pittsburgh, PA
- 2001 **Historic Photographic Process Workshops**, George Eastman House, Rochester, NY
- 1998 **Workshop**, The Center for Photography at Woodstock, Woodstock, NY: **Digital Imaging** with Ann Lovett
- 1993 **Workshop**, School of Visual Arts: **Polaroid Process** with John Reuter of 20x24 Studio, New York City

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