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Curriculum Vitae
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EDUCATION

- MFA 2008** **Ceramics**, School for American Crafts, Rochester Institute of Technology
Rochester, New York
- BA 2006** **Studio Art**: Concentration in Ceramics, University of New Hampshire
Durham, New Hampshire

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2016-Present** **Teaching Lecturer**
Creativity in the Visual World, Fine Arts Department
Plymouth State University, Plymouth, New Hampshire
- 2012-Present** **Adjunct Professor**
Professional Artist, BFA Department
Ceramic Sculpture, Continuing Education Department
New Hampshire Institute of Art, Manchester, New Hampshire
- 2010-Present** **Ceramics Manager**
Managing all ceramic programming for children, teens, and adults. Duties include coordinating ceramic classes, firing kilns, maintaining glazes, inventory, and running an internship program
Currier Museum Art Center, Manchester, New Hampshire
- 2009-Present** **Faculty**, Ceramics Instructor
Adult Wheel Throwing, Handbuilding Pottery, Pre-teen Wheel Throwing, Garden Sculpture, Open Studio, and specialty workshops such as Slip Casting and Smoke Firing
Currier Museum Art Center, Manchester, New Hampshire
- 2009-Present** **Adjunct Professor of Visual Art**
Ceramics I, Ceramics II, Advanced Ceramics Independent Study, Capstone Independent Study, Introduction to the visual Arts
New Hampshire Technical Institute, Concord, New Hampshire

- 2009-2011** **Adjunct Professor of Fine Art**
Art History Survey I, the Clay Experience
Lakes Region Community College, Laconia, New Hampshire
- 2009-2010** **Ceramics Instructor**
Handbuilding and Wheel Throwing Workshops
Sanctuary Arts, Eliot, Maine
- 2009** **Ceramics Instructor**
Handbuilding Workshops
Artstream Gallery and Art Academy, Rochester, New Hampshire
- 2008** **Teaching Internship**
Country Day Creative Arts, New Orleans, Louisiana
- 2006-2008** **Instructor of Record**
Ceramics Elective
Rochester Institute of Technology
- 2006-2008** **Graduate Assistantships**
Teaching Assistant for two Fine Art faculty
Rochester Institute of Technology
- 2006** **Office Assistant** (Ceramics Department)
Rochester Institute of Technology
- 2005** **Ceramic Fellowship**
*Managed Ceramics Studio: kept inventory, mixed studio glazes,
fired all student work in electric and gas kilns, and various studio maintenance*
University of New Hampshire
- 2004- 2006** **Work/Study** (Ceramics Studio Maintenance)
University of New Hampshire

EXHIBITIONS

- 2016** *Faculty Exhibition*
Karl Drerup Gallery, Plymouth, New Hampshire
- 2016** *Forms, Volume, and Space: works by Rachel Montroy, Joe Montroy, and
Christopher Georgia, Invitational*
Chester F. Sidell Gallery, Essex Art Center, Lawrence, Massachusetts
- 2016** *6th Annual Currier Museum Art Center Faculty Show*

- Currier Museum of Art, Manchester, New Hampshire
- 2016** *Minumental, Faculty and Student Exhibition*
New Hampshire Institute of Art, Manchester, New Hampshire
- 2015** *Botanica: All Things Plant Life, Juried Exhibition*
Bedford Gallery, Walnut Creek, California
- 2015** *5th Annual Currier Museum Art Center Faculty Show*
Currier Museum of Art, Manchester, New Hampshire
- 2014** *17th Annual Outdoor Sculpture Exhibit, Juried Exhibition*
Mill Brook Gallery and Sculpture Garden, Concord, New Hampshire
- 2014** *5th Annual Currier Museum Art Center Faculty Show*
Currier Museum of Art, Manchester, New Hampshire
- 2013** New Hampshire Potter's Guild Biennial Exhibition,
Sharon Arts Gallery, Peterborough, New Hampshire
- 2013** *Human/Nature, Invitational Exhibition*
Studio 550, Manchester, NH
- 2013** *4th Annual Currier Museum Art Center Faculty Show*
Currier Museum of Art, Manchester, New Hampshire
- 2013** *Love, Lust, and Desire, Juried Exhibition*
McGowen Gallery of Fine Art, Concord, New Hampshire
- 2012** *Ceramics Biennial, Juried Exhibition*
New Hampshire Institute of Art, Manchester, New Hampshire
- 2012** CSArt, Juried
Sharon Arts Center, Sharon, New Hampshire
- 2012** *Lives Transformed: A celebration of Marvin Sweet and his Students, Invitational*
Chester F. Sidell Gallery, Essex Art Center, Lawrence, Massachusetts
- 2012** *Within our Imagination, Invitational*
Soo Rye Art Gallery, Rye, New Hampshire
- 2012** *15th Annual Invitational Outdoor Sculpture Exhibit*
Mill Brook Gallery and Sculpture Garden Concord, New Hampshire
- 2012** *Coming of Age: New England Artists Under 30, Juried Exhibition*

- Sharon Arts Gallery, Peterborough, New Hampshire
- 2012** 3rd Annual *Currier Museum Art Center Faculty Show*
Currier Museum of Art, Manchester, New Hampshire
- 2011** New Hampshire Potter's Guild Biennial Exhibition
Sharon Arts Gallery, Peterborough, New Hampshire
- 2011** *Art in the Garden*, Invitational
Exeter, New Hampshire
- 2011** *14th Annual Invitational Outdoor Sculpture Exhibit, Juried Exhibition*
Mill Brook Gallery and Sculpture Garden, Concord, New Hampshire
- 2010** 2nd Annual *Currier Museum Art Center Faculty Show*
Currier Museum of Art, Manchester, New Hampshire
- 2010** *Masters and Mentors*, Invitational
Currier Museum of Art, Manchester, New Hampshire
- 2010** *Art in the Garden*, Invitational
Exeter, New Hampshire
- 2010** *13th Annual Invitational Outdoor Sculpture Exhibit*
Mill Brook Gallery and Sculpture Garden, Concord, New Hampshire
- 2009** 1st Annual *Currier Museum Art Center Faculty Show*
Currier Museum of Art, Manchester, New Hampshire
- 2009** Sanctuary Arts' Outdoor Sculpture Garden, Invitational
Elliot, Maine
- 2009** Featured Artist of the Month (June), Invitational
Lotus and Orchid Gallery, Keene, New Hampshire
- 2009** *Art Beyond Sight*, Robert Lincoln Levy Gallery, Juried Exhibition
Portsmouth, New Hampshire
- 2009** *Under the Influence*, New Hampshire Potter's Guild Biennial
Kimball Jenkins Estate, Concord, New Hampshire
- 2008** *Kimball Jenkins School of Art Faculty Show*
Concord, New Hampshire

- 2008** *Origination*, MFA Thesis Exhibition
Canal Street Gallery, Rochester, New York
- 2007** *Warehouse Arts Exhibition*, The Gear Factory
Syracuse, New York
- 2007** *Graduate Student Exhibition*, Dyer Arts Center
Rochester Institute of Technology
- 2006** *Senior BA and BFA Exhibition*, Museum of Art
University of New Hampshire

AWARDS AND GRANTS

- 2016** Vivika and Otto Heino Craft Education Scholarship
Awarded from the League of New Hampshire Craftsman
- 2015** Rudy Houk Scholarship from the New Hampshire Potter's Guild
- 2011** Entrepreneurial Grant from the New Hampshire State Council of the Arts
- 2011** Juried Kiln God Award from Watershed Center for the Ceramic Arts
- 2011** Assistanceship at Watershed Center for the Ceramics Arts
- 2005** Ceramics Fellowship at the University of New Hampshire

PUBLICATIONS AND ONLINE REPRESENTATION

- 2012-Present** Access Ceramics, www.accessceramics.org, Juried Artist
- 2012** The Concord Insider, June 19- 25, "Summer is Upon Us, Concord"
sculpture featured for Mill Brook Gallery's 15th Outdoor Sculpture Invitational
- 2012** Artscope Magazine, March/April Issue
Interviewed for Coming of Age Exhibition at the Sharon Art's Center Gallery

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- 2016** Member of the Potter's Council
- 2015** Visiting Artist Lecturer

Currier Museum of Art, Manchester, NH

2012

Visiting Artist Lecturer
New Hampshire Institute of Art, Manchester, NH

2011

Artist Residency, Watershed Center for the Ceramic Arts in Newcastle, ME

2009- Present

Member of the New Hampshire Potter's Guild

2006-2008

Member of the Ceramic's Guild, Rochester Institute of Technology

2004- Present

Member of the National Conference on the Education of the Ceramic Arts

2004-2005

Member of the Ceramic's Student League, University of New Hampshire