

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Personal Information

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Biography

2011 - Member in the International Academy of Ceramic (IAC)
1996 - 2013 Senior Scientist at Biochemistry Department at the Hebrew University Medical School, Jerusalem, Israel
1994 - 1996 Post Doc. at Biochemistry Department at the Hebrew University Medical School, Jerusalem, Israel
1994 - 1996 Night courses in ceramic art at the Rehovot Culture Foundation
1990 - 1993 Project Managers at Biotechnology General, Rehovot, Israel
1985 - 1990 PhD - Tel Aviv University, Human Microbiology, Sackler School of Medicine, Israel
1981 - 1985 M.Sc - Tel Aviv University, Human Microbiology, Sackler School of Medicine, Israel
1978 - 1981 B.Sc - Bar-Ilan University, Microbiology, Faculty of Life Sciences, Israel

Awards

2015 - **Honorable Mention**, Cluj International Ceramic Biennale, Cluj-Napoca Museum of Art, Romania
2015 - **First Special Mention**, XX International Ceramic Contest, Ciudad De Valladolid", Valladolid, Spain
2013 - **Second Prize**, 33 Concurs Internacional de Ceràmica, Museo de ceramic de L'Alcora, Spain
2012 - **Third Prize "C. PUJOL I BAUSIS AWARD"**, 16 Biennal de Ceràmica d'Esplugues Anglina Alos, Museu Can Tinturè, Esplugues, Spain
2012 - **First Prize "ILLIS BALERAS"**, IV Biennale International de Ceramic de Marratxí (BICMA), Museum Del Fang, Marratxí, Spain
2011 - **Gold Award**, 1st China Kaolin Grand Prix for International ceramic art, Jingdezhen, China
2011 - **Second Prize**, VI Biennale de Ceramic, El Vendrell, Tarragona, Spain
2011 - **Grand Prix**, STUDIO GALERIJA GASSPAR PIRAN, XIIth International Ex-tempore of ceramic, Obalne Galerije Piran, Slovenia
2010 - **Purchase Prize**, SCARBO d.o.o, KOPER, XIth International Ex-tempore of ceramic, Obalne Galerije Piran, Slovenia
2009 - **Honorable Mention**, V Biennale de Ceramic, El Vendrell, Tarragona, Spain
2009 - **First Prize** in the Competition of Design and New Forms in Ceramic, LXXIX Exhibition of Pottery and Ceramic of La Rambla, Cordoba, Spain
2008 - **Winner of the 26th Gold Coast International Ceramic Art Award**, Gold Coast City Art Gallery, Australia
2007 - **Honorable Mention**, the 4th World Ceramic Biennale, Icheon, Korea
2006 - **Second Prize**, 26 Concurs International de Ceramic, Museo de ceramic de L'Alcora, Spain

Solo exhibitions

2016 - "The Black / The White/ The Fire", Keramikmuseum Westerwald, Höhr-Grenzhausen, Germany
2014 - "Balance in Motion", Benyamini Contemporary Ceramics Center, Tel-Aviv, Israel

Selected Exhibitions

2016 - IAC Members' Exhibition: Ceramics in Architecture and Public Spaces, Disseny Hub Museum, Barcelona, Spain
2016 - The Eight Biennale for Israeli Ceramic: Wet / Fired, Eretz Israel Museum, Tel-Aviv, Israel
2015 - Cluj International Ceramic Biennale, Cluj-Napoca Museum of Art, Romania
2015 - 59th Faenza Prize - International Competition of Contemporary Ceramic Art, MIC, Faenza, Italy
2015 - ENFLAMED, Cavin-Morris Gallery, New York, USA
2015 - International Ceramic Symposium, V-Oglje / Slovenia, Keramik Museum, Berlin, Germany

2015 - XX International Ceramic Contest, Ciudad De Valladolid", Valladolid, Spain

2014 - ELEMENTALS: Women Sculpting Animism, Cavin-Morris Gallery, New York, USA

2014 - Moving Objects, IAC Members' Exhibition, Dublin, Ireland

2014 - 29th Gold Coast International Ceramic Art Award, Gold Coast City Art Gallery, Australia

2014 - 4th International Triennial of Silicate Arts, Kecskemét, Hungary

2014 - Raku, Wilfrid Israel Museum of Art, Hazorea, Israel

2014 - Raku Ceramics: Origins, Impact and Contemporary Expression", Sedona Art Center, Sedona, Arizona, USA

2014 - Symposium Ceramic Art V-Oglje / Sancur / Slovenia, Keramikmuseum Westerwald, Germany

2014 - XIX International Ceramic Contest, Ciudad De Valladolid", Valladolid, Spain

2013 - Cluj International Ceramic Biennale, Cluj-Napoca Museum of Art, Romania

2013 - Going Duch II, Doetinchem, Nederland

2013 - 33 Concurs Internacional de Ceràmica, Museo de ceramic de L'Alcora, Spain

2013 - The 6th International Biennial Ceramics "Ciudad de Talavera" La Reina, (Toledo), Spain

2013 - Restless II - a Mix Exhibition, Cavin-Morris Gallery, New York, USA

2013 - XVIII International Ceramic Contest, Ciudad De Valladolid", Valladolid, Spain

2012 - 16 Biennal de Ceràmica d'Esplugues Anglina Alos, Museu Can Tinturè, Esplugues, Spain

2012 - Winners Exhibition - VI Biennale International de Ceramic, El Vendrell, Tarragona, Spain

2012 - IAC members' exhibition, New Mexico Museum of Art, Santa Fe, USA

2012 - The Fourth International Festival of Postmodern Ceramics - CERAMICA MULTIPLEX, Museum of Varaždin, Croatia

2012 - 32 Concurs Internacional de Ceràmica, Museo de ceramic de L'Alcora, Spain

2012 - 2nd International Ceramic Triennial UNICUM 2012, Maribor, Slovenia

2012 - IV Biennale International de Ceramic de Marratxí (BICMA), Museum Del Fang, Marratxí, Spain

2012 - Ceramic Now Exhibition, Galatea Gallery, Bucharest, Romania

2011 - Ceramic Now Exhibition, Cluj-Napoca, Romania

2011 - 1st China Kaolin Grand Prix for International ceramic art, Jingdezhen, China

2011 - VI Biennale International de Ceramic, El Vendrell, Tarragona, Spain

2011 - "Smooth & Smoky", Vessels Gallery, Boston, USA

2011 - XIIth International Ex-tempore of Ceramics, Obalne, Galerije Piran, Slovenia

2011- "Move", Opera House, Tel-Aviv, Israel

2011 - 81th Exhibition of pottery and Ceramic of La Rambla, Cordoba, Spain

2011 - 3rd International Triennial of Silicate Arts, Kecskemét, Hungary - Them:"Century 21"

2011 - 39th Gangjin Festival International Ceramic Exhibition, Korea

2011 - The 5th International Biennial Ceramics "Ciudad de Talavera" La Reina, (Toledo), Spain

2011 - CERCO, International Prize of Contemporary Ceramics, Zaragoza, Spain

2011 - International Mix Exhibition Painting-Sculpture-Ceramic, Usak University Art Gallery, Turkey

2011 - The 6th Biennale for Israeli Ceramic "Ceramic Design: Techno.Logical Implements" Eretz-Israel Museum, Tel-Aviv, Israel

2010 - Keramikos, Ceramic Art International Festival, Artidec Gallery, Bracciano, Rome, Italy

2010 - XIth International Ex-tempore of ceramic, Obalne Galerije Piran, Slovenia

2010 - III Biennale International de Ceramic de Marratxí (BICMA), Museum Del Fang, Marratxí, Spain

2010 - 12th Biennale de la Céramique, Andenne, Belgium

2010 - "At the Moment" traveled exhibition - Keramikmuseum Westerwald in Hohn-Grenzhausen, Germany

2009 - The 9th Biennale International de Ceramic, Manises, Valencia, Spain

2009 - The 6th International Biannual of Ceramics of the City of Kapfenberg, Austria - Them: "At the Moment"

2009 - V Biennale de Ceramic, El Vendrell, Tarragona, Spain

2009 - International Ceramic Competition Mosee De Carouge, Carouge, Switzerland - Them: "The Cup and Saucer"

2009 - Xth International Ex-tempore of Ceramic, Obalne Galerije Piran, Slovenia

2009 - LXXIX Exhibition of Pottery and Ceramic of La Rambla, Cordoba, Spain

2009 - 29 Concurs Internacional de Ceramic, Museo de ceramic de L'Alcora, Spain

2009 - The 1st International Ceramic Triennial UNICUM 09, Metelkova National Museum, Ljubljana, Slovenia

2009 - Ceramic Space & life the 5th World Ceramic Biennale, Icheon, Korea

2009 - The Third International Festival of Postmodern Ceramics - CERAMICA MULTIPLEX, Museum of Varaždin, Croatia
- Them: "Nature as Adventure"

2008 - The 5th Biennale for Israeli Ceramic "Clay, Sensation", Eretz-Israel Museum, Tel-Aviv, Israel

2008 - "Clay Focus" Exhibition, Gloria Kennedy Gallery, NY, USA

2008 - LXXVIII Exhibition of Pottery and Ceramic of La Rambla, Cordoba, Spain
 2008 - 26th Gold Coast International Ceramic Art Award, Gold Coast City Art Gallery, Australia
 2008 - II Biennale International de Ceramic de Marratxí - BICMA - Museum Del Fang, Marratxí, Spain
 2008 - Sidney Myer Fund International Ceramic Award, Shepparton Art Gallery in association with La Trobe University, Australia

2007 - The 8th Biennale International de Ceramic, Manises, Valencia, Spain
 2007 - Tiresies Art Gallery, Barcelona, Spain
 2007 - CERCO-07, International Prize of Contemporary Ceramics, Zaragoza, Spain
 2007 - The 4th World Ceramic Biennale, Icheon, Korea
 2007 - "Goblet", The Gallery. Shoeva, Israel

2006 - 26 Conkurs International de Ceramica, Museo de ceramic de L'Alcora, Spain

2005 - "Red" - The Design Gallery of Hankin College, Holon, Israel
 2005 - International Ceramic Competition Mosee De Carouge, Carouge, Switzerland - Them: "Le Vase Soliflore"

2004 - The Third Israeli Biennale for Ceramics, "Design, Art, Design", Eretz- Israel Museum, Tel-Aviv, Israel

2003 - Altech Ceramics Triennial, Cape Town, Rep. South Africa

2002 - The Second Israeli Biennale for Ceramics, Eretz-Israel Museum, Tel Aviv, Israel

2001 - "Yakimono" - Japanese stile fired Pots Exhibition. Ein Hod Artist Village Gallery, Ein Hod, Israel

2000 - "Vase Movement", Ceramic Design Exhibition. The Design Gallery of Hankin College, Israel
 2000 - Altech Ceramics Biennale, Sandton Civic Gallery, Sandton, Gauteng, Rep. of South Africa
 2000 - "Clay 2000" The First Israeli Biennale for Ceramics, Eretz-Israel Museum, Tel-Aviv, Israel

Collections

2016 - Musée Ariana, Geneva, Switzerland
 2016 - Keramikmuseum Westerwald, Höhr-Grenzhausen, Germany
 2015 - Museo Internazionale delle Ceramiche (MIC), Faenza, Italy
 2015 - Shenhou International Ceramic Art Commune, Henan, China
 2014 - State Art Collection, Dublin, Ireland
 2013 - Museo de ceramic de L'Alcora, Spain
 2012 - Museu Can Tinturè, Esplugues, Spain
 2012 - The American Museum of Ceramic Art, Pomona, CA
 2012 - Museum Del Fang, Marratxí, Spain
 2011 - Great China Museum, Jingdezhen, China
 2011 - Town Council Art Collection, El Vederell, Tarragona, Spain
 2011 - Ganjin Celadon Museum, Korea
 2011 - Obalne Galerije Piran, Slovenia
 2010 - Obalne Galerije Piran, Slovenia
 2009 - Museum of Ceramic of La Rambla, Cordoba, Spain
 2008 - Gold Cost City Art Gallery, Australia
 2007 - Icheon World Ceramic Exposition Foundation (WOCEF), Korea
 2006 - Museo de ceramic de L'Alcora, Spain
 2000 - Eretz-Israel Museum - Tel Aviv, Israel
 Privet Collections - Israel, Europe, USA

Member of competition Jury

2016 - Latvia International Ceramics Biennale "Martinons Award", Daugavpils, Latvia
 2015 - International Ceramic Competition, Vallauris Institute of Art (V.I.A), Vallauris, France - Them: "URN"
 2013 - V Biennale International de Ceramic de Marratxi (BICMA), Museum Del Fang, Marratxi, Spain
 2012 - "Maud Friedland Prize", Israel
 2007 - Winners Selection of the 27th Conkurs International de Ceramic, L'Alcora, Spain

Invited Symposium/ Residency

- 2017 - Residency at Shangyu Celadon - Modern International Center, China - October 15th - end of December (2.5 months)
- 2016 - 4th International Mediterranean Terracotta Symposium, Nicosia, Cyprus (May)
- 2015 - Second International Jun-Porcelain Ceramic Creation Camp in Henan, Shenhua, China (September)
- 2015 - International Ceramic Art Symposium "Ceramic Laboratory", Daugavpils, Latvia (August)
- 2014 - International Ceramic Symposium Innsbruck - Tirol (IKSIT), Austria (July)
- 2013 - 8th International Symposium of Ceramic Art (ISCA) V-Oglje, Slovenia (July)

Lectures

- 2017 - "**Around the World**", Benyamini Contemporary Ceramics Center, Tel-Aviv, Israel
- 2017 - Studio Re4clay, Delhi, India
- 2017 - Ishan Khosla Design, Delhi, India
- 2017 - Delhi Blue Pottery Trust, Delhi, India
- 2016 - Benyamini Contemporary Ceramics Center, Tel-Aviv, Israel
- 2016 - Ton- Raum, Keramikmuseum Westerwald, Höhr-Grenzhausen, Germany
- 2016 - International Workshop of Contemporary Ceramic, Pontevedra, Spain
- 2016 - "Tension & Balance". PERSON, COLOR, NATURE, MUSIC Conference, Daugavpils, Latvia
- 2015 - Second International Jun-Porcelain Ceramic Creation Camp in Henan, Shenhua, China
- 2015 - The Brewery of Ceramic Arts, Israel
- 2015 - Ceramic Artist Organization "Southern Clay", Israel
- 2014 - International Ceramic Symposium Innsbruck - Tirol (IKSIT), Austria
- 2013 - Biennial Ceramics Seminar in Villa Gesell, Argentina
- 2013 - Vallauris Institute of Art Vallauris (V.I.A), Vallauris, France
- 2013 - 8th International Symposium of Ceramic Art (ISCA) V-Oglje, Slovenia

Raku Masterclass workshops

- 2017 - Benyamini Contemporary Ceramics Center, Tel-Aviv, Israel (June)
- 2017 - Delhi Blue Pottery Trust, Delhi, India (March)
- 2016 - Benyamini Contemporary Ceramics Center, Tel-Aviv, Israel (November)
- 2016 - Ton- Raum, Keramikmuseum Westerwald, Höhr-Grenzhausen, Germany (October)
- 2016 - International Workshop of Contemporary Ceramic, Pontevedra, Spain (August)
- 2015 - The Brewery of Ceramic Arts, Israel (May)
- 2015 - Ceramic Artist Organization "Southern Clay", Israel (January)
- 2013 - Biennial Ceramics Seminar in Villa Gesell, Argentina (October)
- 2013 - Vallauris Institute of Art Vallauris (V.I.A), Vallauris, France (September)

Articles & Books

Articles

- Interview, with **Simcha Even-Chen**, Israel by Evelyne Schoenmann, **Potter Council Board Member**, April 2016
- **In the studio with Simcha Even-Chen** by Evelyne Schoenmann, **New Ceramic Magazine**, Issue 4, 2015
- Simcha Even-Chen article by Antonio Vivas, **REVISTA INTERNACIONAL CERAMICA**, Issue 130, 2013
- **Simcha Even-Chen** article by Maria Ramis, **REVISTA CERAMICA CONTEMPORANIA terrart**, Issue 41, 2012
- "**Rhythmus**" article by Simcha Even-Chen, **1280°C Magazine**, Issue 25, 2012
- "**Jingdezhen - Ceramic Paradise**" article by Simcha Even-Chen, **Ceramic Vision**, 2012
- **Simcha Even-Chen**, **Ceramic Now Magazine**, No.1/Winter 2011-2012
- **Simcha Even-Chen** article by Gordon Flouds, **Ceramic Art and Perception**, Issue 87, 2012
- "**The Poetics of Mathematics**" article by Sara Hkkert, **Ceramic Review Magazine**, Issue 243, May/June 2010
- **Making Sequence**, Simcha Even-Chen Practice, **Ceramic Review Magazine**, Issue 243, May/June 2010
- "**Smoke firing**" article by Simcha Even-Chen, **1280°C Magazine**, Issue 2, 2001
- **Craft & Art international Magazine** profile by Gordon Flouds, **Even-Chen Simcha: Gold Coast International Ceramic Award 2008**, issue 75, page 91-93

Books

1. Louisa Taylor, "**Ceramic: Tools and Techniques for Contemporary Maker**", Published by Jacqui Small Iip - UK and Europe edition, ISBN: 978-1-906417-67-3 or "**Ceramic Bible**", Published by Chronicle Books - USA edition, ISBN: 978-1-4521-0162-0
2. **500 Raku**, Lark Books, 2011, ISBA 978-1-60059-474-8
3. Emmanuel Cooper, **Contemporary Ceramic International Perspective**, Thames & Hudson, UK, ISBA 978-0-500-51487-0