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EDUCATION

- 2014** Bachelors in Fine Arts, Ceramics, *Kansas City Art Institute, Kansas City, Missouri*
- 2011** Professional Technical Communications, *College of Lake County, Grayslake, Illinois*

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2015** *SCHEMA: A Journey Through Traditional Patterns and Imagery*, Belger Crane Yard Studios, Kansas City, Missouri
- Transposed Concepts*, Goodwin Fine Art, Denver, Colorado

EXHIBITIONS

- 2015** *Decalcomania*, Reese Gallery, St. Louis, Missouri
- LÉNYEG | ESSENCE*, Kápolna Galéria, International School of Ceramics, Kecskemét, Hungary
- 2014** *NCECA National Student Juried Exhibition*, Milwaukee School of Art and Design, Milwaukee, WI
- Nebraska National Collegiate Juried Art Exhibition, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE
- The Clay Cup: Vessel, Icon, Canvas, University of Missouri, Columbia, MO
- Spoon Me, Medalta's International Spoon Show, Medalta, Medicine Hat, Alberta, Canada
- 2013** *Objectivity*, Juried Ceramic Exhibition, Kansas City Art Institute, Kansas City, Missouri
- Earth Moves: Shifts in Ceramic Art and Design*, National Exhibition, NCECA and Arvada Center for the Arts and Humanities, Arvada, Colorado
- Medalta International Cup Show*, Medalta, Yuill Family Gallery, Medicine Hat, Alberta, Canada
- Köszönöm Szépen*, Visiting Artist Exhibition, Kápolna Galéria, International School of Ceramics, Kecskemét, Hungary
- Hot Box*, Juried Ceramic Exhibition, Kansas City Art Institute, Kansas City, Missouri

- 2012** *Flux*, Juried Ceramic Exhibition, Kansas City Art Institute, Kansas City, Missouri
EXPO No 82, Juried Ceramic Exhibition, Kansas City Art Institute, Kansas City, Missouri
The Cup: 50 Artists, 250 Interpretations, ARTcetera, College of Lake County, Grayslake, Illinois
International Cup 2012, The Clay Studio of Missoula, Missoula, Montana
- 2011** *30th Annual Student Arts Competition*, The Robert T. Wright Community Gallery of Art, College of Lake County, Grayslake, Illinois
- 2010** *2010 Skyway Juried Art Exhibition*, Illinois Skyway Collegiate Conference, Oakton Community College, Oakton, Illinois
29th Annual Student Arts Competition, The Robert T. Wright Community Gallery of Art, College of Lake County, Grayslake, Illinois
- 2009** *Members Exhibition*, The Robert T. Wright Community Gallery of Art, College of Lake County, Grayslake, Illinois
28th Annual Student Arts Competition, The Robert T. Wright Community Gallery of Art, College of Lake County, Grayslake, Illinois

HONORS | REWARDS

- 2014** *Windgate Fellowship Award*, The Center for Craft, Creativity & Design, Asheville, North Carolina
Regina Brown Undergraduate Student Fellowship, The National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts (NCECA), Milwaukee, Wisconsin
AMACO/Brent Purchase Award, NCECA, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Cup of Merit Award, 22nd Annual NCECA Cup Sale, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
McKeown Special Project Award, Byron and Deanne McKeown, Kansas City, Missouri
- 2013** *Student Purchase Award*, Ceramics Art and Perception / Ceramics Technical, Medicine Hat College, Medicine Hat, Alberta, Canada
- 2012-14** *Dean's List*, Kansas City Art Institute, Kansas City, Missouri
- 2011** *Phoebe Boyd Scholarship Award*, Lake County Arts League, Lake County, Illinois
- 2010** *Art League Scholarship Merit Award*, Lake County Arts League, Lake County, Illinois
- 2009** *Steve Mendelson Memorial Award*, Ken and Carol Mendelson, Grayslake, Illinois
- 2008-11** *Dean's List*, College of Lake County, Grayslake, Illinois

RESIDENCIES

- 2015** *Resident Artist, International School of Ceramics, Kecskemét, Hungary*
- 2014** *Resident Artist, The Pottery Workshop, Jingdezhen, China*
- 2013** *Resident Artist, International School of Ceramics, Kecskemét, Hungary*

PUBLICATIONS

- 2015** *Ceramics Monthly, November 2015, The Ceramic Publication Company, Westerville, OH*
- 2014** *NCECA Journal 2014, Volume 35, HKM Direct Market Communications, Cleveland, Ohio*
- 2014** *Ceramic Arts Yearbook 2014, The American Ceramic Society, Westerville, Ohio*
- 2011** *Alternative Firing Calendar Collection, Potters Council, Westerville, Ohio*
- 2009-11** *Prairie Voices – A Collection of Student Writings/Art, College Of College of Lake County, Grayslake, Illinois*

COLLECTIONS

- Private Collection of Richard Belger and Evelyn Craft, Kansas City, Missouri*
- Ken Ferguson Teaching Collection, Kansas City Art Institute, Kansas City, Missouri*
- The International Ceramics Studio, Kecskemét, Hungary*