## Kimberly LaVonne Luther

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**EDUCATION** 

2015 MFA Ceramics Indiana University 2012 Post-Bacc. Ceramics Indiana University

2011 BFA Ceramics & Painting University of Central Missouri (cum laude)

RESIDENCIES

Feed Your Soul: an Art Educator Program, Maine College of Art, Portland, ME
 Charlotte Street Foundation's Studio Residency Program, Kansas City, MO

2016 The International Ceramic Studio, Kecskemét, Hungary

2015-2016 **323Clay Studio**, Independence, MO

2015 The International Ceramic Studio, Kecskemét, Hungary, Special Artists Group with George Timok

**SOLO EXHIBITIONS** 

2019 This is Devotion, Kiosk Gallery, Kansas City, MO

2015 In Parts, Ivy Tech John Waldron Arts Center, Bloomington, IN

The Body Reflected, Thesis Exhibition, Grunwald Gallery of Art, Bloomington, IN

2011 **Indulgence**, Pinkie Couture, Overland Park, KS

INVITATIONAL | GROUP | JURIED EXHIBITIONS

2020 (Forthcoming) **Guest Artist**. Bredin-Lee Gallery, Kansas City, MO

(Forthcoming) Déformer, Oliva Gallery, Chicago, IL

(Forthcoming) House Warming: A Planter Show! Kansas City Urban Potters, Kansas City, MO

23<sup>rd</sup> San Angelo National Ceramic Competition, San Angelo Museum of Fine Arts, San Angelo, TX – Juror: Jo

Lauria

2019 **Shifting Ground**, AUTOMAT, Philadelphia, PA

Connected Diaspora: U.S. Central American Visuality in the Age of Social Media, Fredric Jameson Gallery,

Duke University, Durham, NC

Be. Long., Dutoit Gallery, Dayton OH – Jurors: Mychaelyn Michalec, David Linneweh & Erika Hess

Shifting Ground, Vulpes Bastille, Kansas City, MO

Art Blender: Collaborative Pots, Kansas City Urban Potters, Kansas City, MO

Flesh for Fantasy: The Figure Reimagined, The Workshop MPLS, 53rd NCECA, Minneapolis, MN

2018 River to River, Sinclair Galleries, Coe College, Cedar Rapids, IA – Jurors: Clary Illian & Mitchell Spain

New Works: An Invitational Featuring Artwork by Park University Faculty, Campanella Gallery,

Park University, Parkville, MO

2017 **Sculpture Salon**, Cerbera Gallery, Kansas City, MO

YET, UNKNOWN curated by Lynnette Miranda, Paragraph Gallery, Kansas City, MO

Progressional Currents, KCAC, Kansas City, MO

2016 **UCM Faculty Exhibition**, UCM Gallery of Art & Design, Warrensburg, MO

Death, Art & Anatomy Exhibition, University of Winchester, Hampshire, United Kingdom

**323Clay Studio Show**, Bredin-Lee Gallery, 50<sup>th</sup> NCECA, Kansas City, MO **Generations**, Filipino Cultural Center, 50<sup>th</sup> NCECA, Overland Park, KS **NCECA Pop-up Show**, Cerbera Gallery, 50<sup>th</sup> NCECA, Kansas City, MO

Keeping Up With | UCM Ceramic Alumni, UCM Gallery of Art & Design, Warrensburg, MO

2015 12th Annual Marge Brown Kalodner Graduate Student Exhibition, The Clay Studio, Philadelphia, PA

LÉNYEG | ESSENCE - Residence Artist Exhibition, Kápolna Galéria, International Ceramics Studio, Kecskemét,

Hungary

NSAL: Emerging Artists – Ivy Tech John Waldron Arts Center, Bloomington, IN

35 Concurs Internacional de Ceràmica CICA 2015, Museu de Ceràmica de l'Alcora, Castelló, Spain

2014 **2014 College Invitational**, Indianapolis Art Center, Indianapolis, IN

Group Exhibition, Sub Rosa Gallery, Bloomington, IN

The Knoble, Invitational, Greiner Art Gallery, Hanover College, Hanover, IN Art from the Heartland, Indianapolis Art Center, Indianapolis, IN – Juror; Sarah Green Contemporary Ceramics International Biannual Clay & Context, Swope Art Museum-Halcyon Art Gallery, Terre Haute, IN- Juror: Ray Chen MFA Group Show - Grunwald Gallery of Art, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN Bodies, North Seattle Community College Art Gallery, Seattle, WA - Juror: Elizabeth Brown NSAL Emerging Artists, Ivy Tech John Waldron Arts Center, Bloomington, IN 2013 Overseas: Florence, Venice, Osaka, Grunwald Gallery of Art, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN Eleven, Blueline Gallery, Bloomington, IN Dinner at 8, Fuller Projects Space, Bloomington, IN Brickhouse, Indiana University East Art Gallery, Richmond IN MFA Group Show, Grunwald Gallery of Art. Indiana University, Bloomington, IN 2012 Celebrate EveryBODY, SRC, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN 2011 Reconfigure, Gulf Coast Community College Art Gallery, Panama City, FL Opposites Attract, Primary Colors Gallery, Independence, MO Senior Exhibition, UCM Gallery of Art & Design, University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, MO 43rd Annual Citation Awards, UCM Gallery of Art & Design, UCM, Warrensburg, MO KCAC Undergraduate College Student Exhibition, Charno Galleries, Kansas City, MO- Juror: Jackie Warren **Topeka Competition 30**, Alice C. Sabatini Gallery, Topeka, KS – Juror: Richard Notkin 2010 McNair Scholars, James C. Kirkpatrick Library, University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, MO Opposites Attract, UCM Gallery of Art & Design, University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg MO Red Balloon Art Walk, La Sous Terre, Warrensburg, MO **UCM Student Exhibition**, Rockhurst University, Kansas City, MO 42nd Annual Citation Awards, UCM Gallery of Art & Design, University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, MO 17th Annual Women in the Arts, Craft Studio Gallery, University of Missouri-Columbia, MO – Juror: Elizabeth Snipes WORKSHOPS | LECTURES 2020 (Forthcoming) Notre Dame de Sion High School, Visiting artist, Kansas City, MO Weber State University, Visiting Artist Demonstration and Lecture, Ogden, UT Surface Design with Sgraffito & Mishima, Kansas City Clay Guild, Kansas City, MO. 2018 Figure-101. Hands-on Workshop, Belger Crane Yard Studios, Kansas City, MO. 2017 Figure-101, Hands-on Workshop, Belger Crane Yard Studios, Kansas City, MO. 2016 The Body Reflected, Artist Lecture: Death, Art and Anatomy Conference, Delegate, University of Winchester, Hampshire, United Kingdom University of Central Missouri Visiting Artist Lecture, Warrensburg, MO 2014 Hanover College, Visiting Artist Lecture, Hanover, IN 2011 Study of Eighteenth Century French Rococo Ceramic Figures and Connections to Contemporary Ceramic Art, Presenter, 10th Annual Scholars Symposium, University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, MO 2010 Study of Eighteenth Century French Rococo Ceramic Figures and Connections to Contemporary Ceramic Art. Presenter, 17th Annual McNair Scholars Research Symposium, University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, MO TEACHING EXPERIENCE 2019 Adjunct Instructor, Ceramics, Park University, Parkville, MO. 2018 MakeMobile Instructor, Alphapointe Youth Services, Kansas City, MO **Adjunct Instructor**, Ceramics, Park University, Parkville, MO. 2017 Adjunct Instructor, Ceramics, Park University, Parkville, MO.

34 Concurs Internacional de Ceràmica CICA 2014, Museu de Ceràmica de l'Alcora, Castelló, Spain

## 2016 Adjunct Instructor, 2-D Design, University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, MO. 2014-2015 Associate Instructor, Ceramics, Indiana University, Bloomington IN. 2013-2014 Associate Instructor, Drawing I, Indiana University, Bloomington IN. (2 semesters & 6-week summer course) Teaching Assistant to Christyl Boger, Indiana University, Ceramics, Bloomington, IN

DESIG	SN   ASSISTANTSHIPS   RELATED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE
2017 –	Present Floral Designer, Crestwood Flowers, Kansas City, MO
2017	Feed Your Soul: Figure Drawing with Alex Rheault, Workshop Participant, Maine College of Art, Portland, ME Hollow Build the Self-Referential Bust with Misty Gamble, Instructor Assistant, Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts, Gatlinburg, TN
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2015	Studio Nong – The Bust Workshop, Workshop Participant, Red Star Studios, Kansas City, MO Plaster Wheel with Gabi Kuzsel, Workshop Participant, International Ceramic Studio, Kecskemét, Hungary
2011 2011 – 2	Overglaze Enamels with Sandra Trujillo, Workshop Participant, Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts, Gatlinburg, TN
2011 – 2	Studio Assistant to Joyce Jablonski, Ceramics, University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, MO
PUBLI	CATIONS
2020	(Forthcoming) Ceramics Monthly, Emerging Artist, Print. Works Pictured.
2018	La Horchata Zine, La Primavera, Print. Works Pictured.
2017	YET, UNKOWN, Exhibition Catalogue. June 2017. Print. Pages 12 & 13.
2014	500 Figures in Clay: Volume II. Lark Crafts. 2014. Print. Page 138.
2013	Canvas Creative Arts Magazine, Volume 16, Issue 2. Fall 2013
	Carol Epp, "Emerging Artist: Kim Luther," Musing about Mud (blog). April 14, 2013. http://musingaboutmud.blogspot.com/2013/04/emerging-artist-kim-luther.html
2011	Joetta Maue, "Sweets Candied World," Little Yellow Birds (blog). August 31, 2011. http://
	littleyellowbirds.blogspot.com/2011/08/sweets-candied-world.html
	Arcade Magazine, Issue 5, Fall 2011. Cover & Pages 34 & 35. Works Pictured.
2010	Hi+Res, UCM Art & Design Magazine, June 2011, Issue 3. Page 8. Works Pictured  Study of Eighteenth Century French Rococo Ceramic Figures and Connections to Contemporary Ceramic Art,
2010	The McNair Journal, University of Central Missouri, Volume XIX, Pages 5-9. Article with Works Pictured.
	Student Artist Interview, Hi+Res, UCM Art & Design Magazine, April 2010, Issue 2. Pages 12 & 13. Works Pictured.
AWARE	OS .
2017	Nominee: Provost Award Teaching & Excellence Award, Park University, Parkville, MO
2015	Thesis Prize, Friends of Art   Grunwald Gallery, Bloomington, IN
	Klein Merit Award, National Society of Arts & Letters, Bloomington, IN  Pygmalion's Art Supplies Award, Bloomington, IN
2013	Editor's Choice Award, Canvas Creative Arts Magazine, Bloomington, IN
20.0	Grant-in-Aid of Master's of Fine Arts Projects, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
2012	Graduate McNair Scholars Fellowship, University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, MO
2011	Dr. Judith Temple Scholarship, Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts, Gatlinburg, TN
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2010	McNair Research Intern, McNair Summer Research Institute, University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, MO  1st Place, Internship Research Paper – McNair Scholars Program, University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, MO
	1st Place, Citation Award Winner – Juror: Grant Miller Edwin C. Ellis Scholarship, University of Central Missouri,
	Warrensburg, MO
	Undergraduate Research Grant, Honors College, University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, MO
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McNair Summer Internship Grant, McNair Scholars Program, University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, MO

2010 – 2009 McNair Scholar, Ronald E. McNair Post-baccalaureate Achievement Program

Provost Scholarship, University of Central Missouri

Department of Art Scholarship, University of Central Missouri

2010 – 2006 Freedom Alliance Scholarship

Bank of Iberia Scholarship

## MEMBERSHIP

- -NCECA
- -ArtAxis

## PERMANENT COLLECTIONS

-Museum of International Ceramics, Kecskemét, Hungary