

Sophie Gibson

Education

New York State College of Ceramics at Alfred University, M.F.A. in Ceramics, graduated 2025

Brown | RISD Dual Degree Program, graduated 2017, Providence, RI

B.A. in History from Brown University, Magna Cum Laude

B.F.A. in Illustration from Rhode Island School of Design, Honors

Awarded the Eliza Gardiner Memorial Scholarship, Rhode Island School of Design, Fall 2013

Barcelona Academy of Art, Drawing and Sculpture Program, January - June 2022

Professional Experience

- Ceramics Teacher, The Loomis Chaffee School, Current
- Teacher of Record, Ceramics for Non Majors, Alfred University, Fall 2024
- Sculpture Instructor: City Clay Charlottesville, December 2020 - July 2023, Charlottesville, VA
- Studio Manager: City Clay Charlottesville, December 2020 - October 2021, Charlottesville, VA
- Director of Media Operations: Cristina Cordova Studios, Fall 2020, Spruce Pine, NC
- Upper School Humanities and Visual Arts Teacher, St. Anne's - Belfield School, Fall 2017 – Spring 2020, Charlottesville, VA
- Studio Assistant: Cristina Cordova Studio, Summer 2019, Spruce Pine, NC
- Student and Teacher Programs Intern: National Portrait Gallery, Summer 2016, Washington D.C.

Selected Exhibitions

2026 *Terra Anima*, Sill House (ca.1817), Lyme Academy of Fine Arts, Old Lyme, CT

2025 *Aerial Reverie*, Solo Exhibition at The Sue and Eugene Mercy Jr. Gallery, Windsor, CT

2025 Finalist for the 2025 *Miami University Young Sculptors Competition* (Juror Sohrab Mohebbi), Hiestand Galleries, Miami, OH, September 6 – October 6, 2025.

2025 *The Figure in Craft Juried Exhibition*, Touchstone Center for Crafts, Farmington, PA

2025 *Sculpted Stories: Visual Narratives in Clay*, GoggleWorks Center for the Arts, Reading, PA

2025 *The Mind's Eye*, Solo Exhibition at Fosdick-Nelson Gallery, Alfred, NY

2025 *Soft Logic*, Jane Hartsook Gallery, Greenwich Village, NYC

2024 *Rounding the Corner*, Cohen Gallery, Alfred, NY

2024 *The Figure, Portraiture and Narrative, a juried exhibition*. Ethel Sergeant Clark Smith Gallery, Wayne Art Center, Wayne, PA *Awarded Best In Show

2024 *NCECA Juried Student Exhibition*, The Visual Arts Center of Richmond, Richmond, VA

2024 *Central Virginia Career Potters*, McGuffey Art Center, Charlottesville, VA
2023 *University of Mississippi Graduate Student Juried Exhibition*, Gallery 130, University, MS
2023 *Direct Sow II*, Visible Records Group Show, Charlottesville, VA
2023 *Teeny Tiny Trifecta 6*, Second Street Gallery, Charlottesville, VA
2023 *You Have to Break Your Heart Until it Opens*, Chroma Projects, Charlottesville, VA
2023 Curator for *The Golden String Art Show*, Studio IX, Charlottesville, VA
2022 *Direct Sow*, Visible Records Group Show, Charlottesville, VA
2021 *Gardenhair*, Solo Exhibition at Studio IX, Charlottesville, VA
2021 *Girls I Know*, Solo Exhibition at McGuffey Art Center, Charlottesville, VA

Residencies

2021- 2023 Visible Records, Studio Member, Charlottesville, VA
2022 Cordova Studios, Spruce Pine, NC
2021 Red Lodge Clay Center, Red Lodge, MT