

Mark Tarabula

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Education

2017-2020

- Edinboro University of Pennsylvania. Edinboro, PA. Masters of Fine Arts

2009-2014

- Northern Michigan University. School of Art and Design. Marquette, MI.
Bachelor of Fine Arts: Ceramics

Related Experience

2019-2020

- Graduate Assistant-Ceramics Studio. Edinboro University. Edinboro, PA

2019

- Instructor Assistant to Niki Havekost. Arrowmont School of Art and Crafts. Gatlinburg, TN

2017-2019

- Graduate Assistant-Wood Studio. Edinboro University. Edinboro, PA

2017-2020

- Technician. Erie Clay Space. Erie, PA
- Board member. Erie Clay Space. Erie, PA

2015-2017

- Studio Technician. Gallery-One. Ellensburg, WA.

2014, 2016, 2018

- Kiln Technician. Center for the Arts Camp. Interlochen, MI.
- Workshop Instructor. Interlochen Center for the Arts Camp. Interlochen, MI.

2014

- Assistantship. Watershed Center For Ceramics Arts. Newcastle, ME.
- Resident. Justin Rothshank. Goshen, IN.

2012-2013

- Student Art Gallery Monitor. Northern Michigan University. Marquette, MI.

Selected Skills

CERAMICS/SCULPTURE

- Wheel throwing and hand building with various techniques
- Extensive studio repair/maintenance- potter wheels, electric kilns, gas kilns
- Kiln firing-decals, low, salt, soda, wood, updraft, downdraft, and other atmospheres
- Clay and glaze production and formulation
- Kiln building

SHOP TOOLS

- Drills, joiners, table/panel/circular saws, band saws, sanders, air tools, etc
- Forklift, large trucks

Skills continued

OTHER MEDIUMS

- Experience with screen printing, some presses
- Wood working tools, hand tools, joinery, bent lamination
- Mixing paint, starching canvas
- Welding-ARC, TIG, MAG
- Bronze and aluminum casting

COMPUTER

- Microsoft Office- Word, Excel, PowerPoint
- Adobe Photoshop
- Sales experience with Quickbooks
- Basic use of Sales Force

Artist in Residence

2015-2017

- Resident Artist. Gallery-One. Ellensburg, WA.

2014-2015

- Resident Artist. The Ceramic Center. Cedar Rapids, IA.

Memberships

Edinboro Clay Club. Vice-President

Washington Clay Arts Association

National Council on Education for the Ceramics Arts

Michigan Ceramic Art Association

NMU Ceramic Collective

Awards

2014

- Northern Michigan University Watershed Scholarship to attend workshop.

2013

- Michigan Ceramic Arts Association Scholarship
- "The Summer Show," Viewer's Choice Award. Student Art Gallery. Marquette, MI

Exhibitions

2020

- To be named. The Shop. Erie, PA. Dual

2019

- "LUSH" Lighthouse Art Center. Tequesta, FL. Juried.
- "Spot Artists" Gallery-One. Ellensburg, WA. Invitation.
- "Grad Student Exhibit" Bruce Gallery. Edinboro, PA
- "Keystone Clay: West" Baltimore Clayworks. Baltimore, MA
- "Clay Bodies" Clay Center of New Orleans. New Orleans, LA. Juried

Exhibitions continued**2018**

- “Terra Nova 10 Year Exhibition” Cedar Rapids Art Museum. Cedar Rapids, Iowa
- “the body2” Bates Gallery. Edinboro, PA. Dual
- “Edinboro NCECA Show” Carnegie Library. Pittsburgh, PA
- “Sip: A Ceramic Cup Show” Savannah, GA. Juried.
- “Opening Show” Erie Art Gallery. Erie, PA
- “Interlochen Faculty and Staff” Visual Arts Gallery. Interlochen, MI

2017

- “Chimera XV” Erie Art Museum. Erie, PA Juried.
- “Ceramic Club Show” The Bates Gallery. Edinboro, PA
- “The Grad Show” The Bates Gallery. Edinboro, PA

2016

- “Class Show” Gallery-One. Ellensburg, WA.
- “Interlochen Faculty and Staff” Visual Arts Gallery. Interlochen, MI

2015

- “Ascention” The Ceramics Center. Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Dual.

2014

- “Zeitgeist: Senior Art Exhibition” DeVos Art Museum. Marquette, MI.
- “Interlochen Faculty and Staff” Visual Arts Gallery. Interlochen, MI
- “XOXO” L-13 Gallery. Marquette, MI. Pop up. Group.
- “Human Heirlooms: Earthen Remains” Moxie Studio 133 W. Pittsburgh Ave, Milwaukee, WI studio #201. Juried.
- “Sticks and Stones” Students Art Gallery. Marquette, MI. Juried.
- “Concentrate” Students Art Gallery. Marquette, MI. Juried.

2013

- “ARTlab: Take Two” DeVos Art Museum. Marquette, MI. Group show.
- Michigan Mud Student Show, Delta College, Bay City, MI. Juried.
- “Wichita National All Media Craft Exhibition 2013” Wichita Center for the Arts, Wichita, KS. Juried
- “The Summer Show” Students Art Gallery. Marquette, MI. Juried.
- “No B.S. (or B.F.A.) yet!” William Bonifas Arts Center, Escanaba, MI. Juried.

2012

- “303 Show” Student Art Gallery. Marquette, MI. Juried.
- “NMU President Show” Marquette, MI. Juried.