

MARK ZELLERS

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EDUCATION

- 2001 **Master of Fine Arts**, Artisanry/Ceramics
University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth
285 Old Westport Road, North Dartmouth, MA 02748
- 1998 **Bachelor of Fine Arts**
University of Wisconsin-Superior
Belknap & Catlin, P.O. Box 2000, Superior, WI 54880

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2007-
present **Professor of Art** (promotion from Associate Professor as of January 1, 2021),
Community College of Rhode Island, Flanagan campus
*Ceramics I, Ceramics II, Ceramics III, Independent Study in Ceramics, Three-Dimensional Design, Introduction to Sculpture,
Art Seminar
Independent Study Groups: Glaze Calculation, Clay Body Development*
- 2011-15 **Art Department Chair**, Community College of Rhode Island
Original NASAD accreditation, two new faculty lines secured, normalization of increase to 3-hour art classes
- 2003-07 **Visiting Lecturer, Full-Time Temporary Instructor of Art**, Community College of
Rhode Island, Flanagan and Knight campuses
*Ceramics I, Ceramics II, Ceramics III, Independent Study in Ceramics, Introduction to Sculpture, Art Seminar
Independent Study Groups: Glaze Calculation*
- 2001-03 **Adjunct Instructor of Art**, Community College of Rhode Island, Flanagan campus
Ceramics I, Ceramics II, Ceramics III
- 2000 **Instructor**, University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth, fall
Three-Dimensional Concepts (spring), Wheelthrowing (fall)

RELATED WORK EXPERIENCE

- 1999-07 **Ceramics Studio Builder and Consultant**, various locations, MA and RI
- 2001-03 **Contracting Technician**, Department of Ceramics, University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth,
New Bedford, MA
- 2001 **Technician**, art studio relocation, College of Visual and Performing Arts, University of
Massachusetts-Dartmouth, New Bedford, MA
- 2000-01 **Production Assistant**, casting molds from master molds for sanitary ware, Sheryle Wagner
International ceramics factory, Fall River, MA
- 1998-99 **Ceramics Technician**, Department of Ceramics, University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth,
New Bedford, MA

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 *Uncommon Goals: a Sabbatical Exhibition*, work produced during 2021-22 sabbatical year, including works made at STARworks Ceramics Artist Residency (NC), Remote Ceramics site (MN), and home studio (RI), Flanagan Gallery, Community College of Rhode Island, Lincoln, RI
- 2019 *Faculty Exhibition*, Flanagan Gallery, Community College of Rhode Island, Lincoln, RI
- 2015 *Mark Zellers: A Sabbatical Exhibition*, Flanagan Gallery, Community College of Rhode Island, Lincoln, RI
- Form As Function*, two-person exhibition, Flanagan Gallery, Community College of Rhode Island, Lincoln, RI
- CCRI Ceramics Invitational*, with artist panel, NCECA Independent Exhibition, curator and participant, Warwick Museum of Art, Warwick, RI
- Aút Këm*, invitational, NCECA Independent Exhibition, Cellar Door Projects, Providence, RI
- 2013 *CCRI Ceramics Invitational*, curator and participant, Knight Gallery, Community College of Rhode Island Gallery, Warwick, RI
- 2012 *KACA Members Exhibition*, juried, Sabatini Gallery, Topeka, KS
- 2011 *Modest Expressions*, solo, with Artist's Lecture, Sawmill Pottery, Putnam, CT
- It's Only Clay*, juried, Bemidji Community Art Center, Bemidji, MN
- CCRI Ceramics Invitational*, curator and participant, Warwick Museum of Art, Warwick, RI
- National Juried Cup Exhibition*, juried, Lux Center for the Arts, Lincoln, NE
- CCRI Faculty and Staff Exhibition*, Knight Gallery, Community College of Rhode Island, Warwick, RI
- 100 Teapots V*, juried, Baltimore Clayworks, Baltimore, MD
- Members Exhibition*, The Clay Studio, Philadelphia, PA
- 2010 *Muddy's Wood Fire Classic*, juried, Myers Gallery, Santa Ana, CA
- Material Mastery*, juried, Strecker-Nelson Gallery, Manhattan, KS
- Nellie Allen Smith National Juried Pottery Competition*, juried, Cape Fear Studios, Fayetteville, NC
- It's Only Clay*, juried, Bemidji Community Art Center, Bemidji, MN
- KACA Members' Exhibition*, juried, Chapman Gallery, Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS
- Members Exhibition*, invitational, Newport Potters Guild, Newport, RI
- CCRI Faculty and Staff Exhibition*, Knight Gallery, Community College of Rhode Island, Warwick, RI
- Couplings*, Warwick Museum of Art, Warwick, RI
- 2009 *State of Clay*, juried, Newport Potters Guild, Newport, RI
- 2008 CCRI Ceramics Invitational*, curator and participant, Flanagan Gallery, Community College of Rhode Island, Lincoln, RI
- Rhode Island State of the Arts*, invitational, Providence Campus Gallery, University of Rhode Island, Providence, RI
- State of Clay biennial*, juried, Lexington Arts and Craft Society, Lexington, MA
- CCRI Faculty Exhibition*, invitational, Flanagan Gallery, Community College of Rhode Island, Lincoln, RI
- 2008 *CCRI Ceramics Invitational*, curator and participant, Flanagan Gallery, Community College of Rhode Island, Lincoln, RI
- Rhode Island State of the Arts*, invitational, Providence Campus Gallery, University of Rhode Island, Providence, RI
- CCRI Faculty Exhibition*, invitational, Knight Gallery, Community College of Rhode Island, Warwick, RI
- Potters Juxtaposed: Many Hands, Many Visions*, invitational, Maude Bowen Carter Gallery, Ashburnham, MA
- 2007 *Biennial 2007*, juried, New Hampshire Institute of Art, Manchester, NH
- It's Only Clay*, juried, Bemidji Community Art Center, Bemidji, MN
- Members Exhibition*, juried, Fuller Craft Museum, Brockton, MA

- CCRI Faculty Exhibition, invitational, Knight Gallery, Community College of Rhode Island, Warwick, RI
- Bowls 2007*, juried, University of North Carolina, Wilmington, NC
- Rhode Island State of the Arts*, invitational, Providence Campus Gallery, University of Rhode Island, Providence, RI
- State of Clay biennial*, juried, Lexington Arts and Craft Society, Lexington, MA
- Apex to Zenith*, juried, Green Trees Gallery, Northfield, MA
- CCRI Faculty Exhibition, invitational, Flanagan Gallery, Community College of Rhode Island, Lincoln, RI
- Members Invitational*, invitational, South County Art Association Helme House, Kingston, RI
- 2006 *Northeastern Juried Exhibition*, juried, Green Trees Gallery, Northfield, MA
- Earthworks!*, juried, South County Art Association Helme House, Kingston, RI
- 2005 *Opening Exhibition and Demonstration*, invitational, Vessels Gallery, Boston, MA
- Raising the Bar*, invitational, University of Rhode Island Gallery, Kingston, RI
- Faculty Exhibition*, invitational, Community College of Rhode Island Gallery, Providence, RI
- Earthworks!*, juried, South County Art Association Helme House, Kingston, RI
- 2004 *First Annual Juried Exhibition*, juried, Blackstone River Gallery, Woonsocket, RI
- Faculty Exhibition*, invitational, Community College of Rhode Island Gallery, Providence, RI
- 2003 *Perspectives in Clay – Studio Ceramics of Southeastern New England University Art Faculty*, invitational, South County Art Association Helme House, Kingston, RI
- T-pots*, Community College of Rhode Island Gallery, Providence, RI
- 2001 *Mark Zellers*, Tabor Academy, Marion, MA
- MFA Thesis Show*, invitational, University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth, North Dartmouth, MA
- Pots by Mark Zellers*, Gallery 244, New Bedford, MA
- 2000 *Furniture*, juried, Artworks! Gallery, New Bedford, MA

RESIDENCIES AND SPECIAL PROJECTS

- 2021 Resident Artist at STARworks Ceramics, Star, NC
- 2017 Inception of *Remote Ceramics Project*, Superior National Forest, MN

AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- 2001 Tomlinson Fellowship/Visiting Artist at Tabor Academy, Marion, MA
- 2000 Teaching Assistantship at University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth
- 1999 University Scholarship at University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth
- 1998-99 Technical Assistantship at University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth
- 1998 Best of Show/Best Body of Work at Bachelor of Fine Arts Exhibition, University of Wisconsin-Superior
- 1997 Lucile V. Holden Artist Scholarship at University of Wisconsin-Superior
- Visual Arts Department Merit Scholarship at University of Wisconsin-Superior

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- Member of the National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts (NCECA)
- Member of Archie Bray Foundation for the Ceramic Arts, Helena, MT
- Member of Duluth Art Institute, Duluth, MN
- Member of STARworks Ceramics, Star, NC