

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

Indiana University; Bloomington, IN

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Ceramics, College of Arts and Science

Indiana University; Bloomington, IN

Candidate, Master of Fine Arts in Ceramics, Eskenazi School of Art and Design

Awards

2022 *Christyl Ann Boger Memorial Award*, Eskenazi School Scholarship Awards

2021 *1st Place*, State of Clay in Indiana II, Indiana Clay Conference, Indianapolis, IN
Mary Jane McIntire Endowed Fellowship, Eskenazi School Scholarship Awards

2020 *Friends of the Art Bookshop Award*, Eskenazi School Scholarship Awards

2019 *Honorable Mention in Ceramics*, Midsummer Festival of the Arts, Sheboygan, WI
Third place, Bodies of.... At Crooked Tree Art Center, Traverse City, MI

2018 *Best in Ceramics*, Art Comp, Chesterton Art Center, Chesterton, IN
Juror's recognition Award, Midwest Museum of American Art Juried Regional

2014 *Award in Ceramics*, Caldwell Fine Arts Fund

- Nick's English Hut Award in Ceramics*, Indiana University School of Fine Arts
Founders Scholar Award, Indiana University Holiday Awards
Inductee, Phi Beta Kappa Society
Dean's List, Indiana University
- 2013 *Prize in Ceramics*, Indiana University School of Fine Arts
Friends of the Art Bookshop Award, Indiana University School of Fine Arts
Nick's English Hut Award in Ceramics, Indiana University School of Fine Arts
Dean's List, Indiana University
- 2012 *Whose Who Among American Students*, Indiana University School of Fine Arts
Certificate of Honor for B.A. Degree, Indiana University School of Fine Arts
Dean's List, Indiana University
- 2011 *Dean's List*, Indiana University

Experience

- 2021- Present **Associate Instructor**, Eskenazi School of Art and Design, Bloomington, IN
- 2020-2021 **Graduate Assistant**, Eskenazi School of Art and Design, Bloomington, IN
- 2019 **Artist Talk Presentation**, Midwest Museum of American Art, Elkhart, IN
- 2015-2020 **Independent studio potter**, Porter, IN
- 2016 **Ceramics Instructor**, Chesterton Art Center, Chesterton, IN
- 2014-2015 **Pottery demonstrations**, 100-200 level courses, Indiana University
- 2014 **Vice President**, Fine arts Ceramics Club at Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
- 2013 **Assistant to visiting artist**, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
Pottery demonstrations, Chesterton High School, Chesterton, IN

Exhibitions

- 2023 *Elusive Familiarity*, Grunwald Gallery, Bloomington, IN
- 2023 *Currents and Charges*, Carl Solway Gallery, Cincinnati, OH

- 2023 *Fired Up: New Vistas in Ceramics*, Fort Wayne Museum of Art, Fort Wayne, IN
- 2021 *State of Clay in Indiana II*, Indiana Clay Conference, Indianapolis, IN
- 2020 *7th Central Time Juried Exhibition*, Bradley University Galleries, Peoria, IL
- 2019 *41st Juried Regional Exhibition*, Midwest Museum of American Art, Elkhart, IN
12th Annual Cup Show: Form and Function, **Gulf Coast College**, Panama City, FL
Utilitarian Ceramics of the Michiana Pottery Tour, Findlay Art league, Findlay, OH
Bodies of... Crooked Tree Arts Center, Traverse City, MI
- 2018 *Art Comp*, Chesterton Art Center, Chesterton, IN
40th Juried Regional Exhibition, Midwest Museum of American Art, Elkhart, IN
Playing in Clay, Rising Phoenix Gallery, Michigan City, IN
Thrown and Altered, Clay Arts Vegas, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2017 *Conductivity: Many faces of copper in ceramics*, Companion Gallery, Humboldt, TN
- 2014 *Restricted Buoyancy*, Thesis show, Grunwald Gallery, Bloomington, IN
Current Works by Joel Pisowicz, Blueline Gallery Bloomington, IN
5th International biennial- Cup of Comfort, Halcyon Gallery, Terre Haute, IN
Cup: The Intimate Object X, Charlie Cummings Gallery, Gainesville, FL
BFA Area Show, Grunwald Gallery, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
- 2013 *BFA Area Show*, Grunwald Gallery, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN

Galleries

Paradigm Gallery, Fort Wayne Museum of Art, Fort Wayne, IN

Lubeznik Center for the Arts, Michigan City, IN

Rising Phoenix Gallery, Michigan City, IN

Art Festivals

2021 *Chesterton Art Fair*, Chesterton, IN

2019 *MMoCA Art and Gift Fair*, Museum of Contemporary Art, Madison, WI

Porter's Perfect Pint, Porter, IN
Ogden Dunes Art Fair, Ogden Dunes, IN
Michiana Pottery Tour, Goshen, IN
Penrod Art Fair, Indianapolis, IN
Bucktown Arts Festival, Chicago, IL
Lubeznik Center Art Fair, Michigan City, IN
Chesterton Art Fair, Chesterton, IN
Valparaiso Art Festival, Valparaiso, IN
Three Rivers Festival: Art in the Park, Fort Wayne, IN
Kohler Arts Center: Midsummer Festival of the Arts, Sheboygan, WI
Talbot Street Art Fair, Indianapolis, IN
Kalamazoo Institute of Art Fair, Kalamazoo, MI
For the Love of Art Festival, South Bend, IN

2018 *Ogden Dunes Art Fair*, Ogden Dunes, IN
Art Walk, Elkhart, IN
Porter's Perfect Pint, Porter, IN
Penrod Art Fair, Indianapolis, IN
Lubeznik Center Art Fair, Michigan City, IN
Chesterton Art Fair, Chesterton, IN
ArtFest Michigan Ave, Chicago, IL
Lakeshore Art Festival, Muskegon, MI
American Artisan Festival, Nashville, TN
Art in the Village, Cleveland, OH
Broadripple Art Fair, Indianapolis, IN

2017 *Chesterton Art Fair*, Chesterton, IN
Porter's Perfect Pint, Porter, IN
European Market, Chesterton, IN

2016 *Michiana Pottery Tour*, Goshen, IN

2015 *Michiana Christmas Pottery Market*, Goshen, IN

Skills

Experienced in the instruction of Fundamentals of 3D Design and Ceramics.

Experienced in operating and repairing electric kilns and gas kilns, clay and glaze chemistry, wheel throwing, hand building.

Proficient in slip casting, mold making, and kiln building.

Experienced in building construction, electrical, plumbing.