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Selected Exhibitions and Shows

2019

Courtney Martin Solo Exhibition, Arthur Butcher Art Gallery, Alexander Fine Arts Center at Concord University, Athens, WV. Jan 14 to Mar 8, 2019.

Southern Crossings Pottery Festival, Louisville, KY. March 1 and 2, 2019.

Smithsonian Craft Show, National Building Museum, Washington D.C. April 24-28, 2019.

Edge, Focus, Design: Visual Building Blocks. Schaller Gallery, St Joseph, Ml. July 2019.

Courtney Martin: New Work, Signature Shop, Atlanta, GA. August 10 to September 7, 2019 **Cousins in Clay**, Bakersville NC. August 31 and September 1, 2019.

12 Women 12 Voices, David McCune International Art Gallery, Fayetteville, NC. September 12 to November 9, 2019.

Spruce Pine Potters Market Invitational, Spruce Pine, NC. October 13, 13, 2019

2018

Surface and Substance, Schaller Gallery, St Joseph, Ml. March 2018.

The Southern Table, Mason Scharfenstein Museum of Art, Piedmont College, Demorest, Georgia. March 8 - April 6, 2018.

The Plate Show, Schaller Gallery, St Joseph, Ml. June 2018.

Spruce Pine Potters Market Invitational, Spruce Pine, NC. October 13 and 14, 2018.

2017

Solo Exhibition, In Tandem, Bakersville, NC, Feb 18- March 18.

Squared; Edges, Angles, Flattened Surfaces, Corners, Schaller Gallery, Saint Joseph, MI. April 2017.

7th Annual Potter's Market, Potters of Madison County, Marshall, NC. April 7, 2017.

Confluence: a Woodfire Invitational, STARworks, Star NC. May 26 - August 19, 2017

Current Effects: Contemporary Woodfiring in Western North Carolina, Asheville Area Arts Council. Asheville, NC. May 19th-June 23rd, 2017

Degrees of Wood, In Tandem, Bakersville, NC. June 1st – 30th, 2017.

What's for Dinner? NC Pottery Center, Seagrove, NC. August 5 to November 25, 2017

Michiana Pottery Tour, Guest of Justin Rothshank. Goshen, IN, September 22 to 24, 2017.

Spruce Pine Potters Market Invitational, Spruce Pine, NC. October 14 and 15, 2017.

Cups Show, Santa Fe Clay, Santa Fe, NM. November 17, 2017 to January 13, 2018

2016

Clay, The Galleries: Cabarrus Arts Council, Concord, NC. November 11, 2016-January 21, 2017.

Winter Show, Greenhill Gallery, Greensboro, NC. December 4 2016- Jan 13, 2017.

Spruce Pine Potters Market Invitational, Spruce Pine, NC. Oct 8 and 9, 2016.

Irons in the Fire; The Many Faces of Iron in Ceramics, Companion Gallery, Humbolt, TN. September 2-30, 2016.

Smithsonian Craft Show, Washington DC. April 21-24, 2016.

6th Annual Potter's Market, Potters of Madison County, April 2016.

La Mesa, Santa Fe Clay, NCECA Kansas City, March 16-19, 2016.

2015

Cups: Hundreds of Cups, Santa Fe Clay, Santa Fe, NM. Dec 11, 2015- Jan 23, 2016.

1st annual Akira Satake Ceramics Invitational, Asheville Area Arts Council, Asheville, NC. Nov 4 to Dec 10, 2015.

Featured Potter, Lark and Key, Charlotte, NC. November 2015.

Spruce Pine Potters Market Invitational, Spruce Pine, NC. Oct 10 and 11, 2015.

Scratching the Surface, Red Lodge Clay Center, Red Lodge, MT. October 2-30, 2015.

Prized Pieces: The Makers Collection, North Carolina Pottery Center, Seagrove, NC. May 26 to October 5, 2015.

5th Annual Potter's Market, Potters of Madison County, Marshall, NC. April 4, 2015 **La Mesa,** Santa Fe Clay at NCECA, Providence, RI. March 25-28, 2015

Functional Ceramics, Wayne Center for the Arts, Wooster, Ohio. March 19-April 18, 2015.

2014

Spruce Pine Potters Market Invitational, Spruce Pine, NC. October 11 and 12, 2014.

Two, Lark and Key, Charlotte, NC. October 3 to November 1, 2014.

Greetings From North Carolina, Santa Fe Clay, Santa Fe. September 26 to November 8, 2014.

Potters Market Invitational, Mint Museum Randolph, Charlotte, NC. September 6, 2014.

Potters of the Roan, The Signature Shop, Atlanta, GA. May 17- June 28, 2014.

La Mesa, Santa Fe Clay at NCECA, Milwaukee, WI. March 19-22, 2014.

Winter Invitational; Clay and Paper, 9 East Contemporary Art, Huntington, NY. January 25 to March 16, 2014.

Southern Hospitality, Baltimore Clayworks, Baltimore, MD. January 11 to February 22, 2014.

Select Exhibitions from 2013 and earlier

Featured Artist Solo Exhibition, Crimson Laurel Gallery, Bakersville, NC. June 2013.

Yunomi Invitational, AKAR, Iowa City, IA. April 19 to May 17, 2013.

Teapot Series II, The Functional and the Conceptual, North Carolina Pottery Center, Seagrove, NC. February 2 to April 27, 2013.

An Artful Union, Art Cellar Gallery, Banner Elk, NC. August 2 to 25, 2012.

Potters of the Roan, Mahler Gallery, Raleigh, NC. May 6 to June 4, 2011.

Courtney Martin Exhibition, Ryubo Gallery. Naha City, Okinawa, Japan. July 20 to 26, 2010.

Studio Pots, Freehand Gallery, Los Angeles, CA. October 24 to November 21, 2009.

Function and Funk: The Pottery of Courtney Martin, Toe River Arts Council, Burnsville, NC. July 3 to August 15, 2009.

Publications

- "Mastering Kilns and Firing: Raku, Pit, Barrel, Wood Firing and More" Lindsay Oesterritter, published by Quarto Publishing Group USA Inc. 2019
- "Mastering Hand Building; Techniques, Tips, and Tricks for Slabs, Coils, and More" Sunshine Cobb, published by Quarto Publishing Group USA Inc. 2017
- "Graphic Clay; Ceramic Surfaces and Printed Image Transfer Techniques" Jason Bige Burnett, published by Lark Books, 2015.
- "500 Teapots; Second Edition". Juried by Jim Lawton, Published by Lark Books, 2013.
- "Studio Visit: Courtney Martin" Ceramics Monthly, December 2013. pp 30-33; 64.

Teaching

Arrowment School of Arts and Crafts, July 2017. One week workshop about hand building with slabs and salt firing

Penland School of Craft, August 2017. Two week workshop about slab and coil building, decorative glazing using resist techniques, and atmospheric firing.

Recipient: Regional Artist Project Grant 2006-2007. Recipient of funding towards building a single chamber, wood burning kiln. A collaborative funding effort of the North Carolina Arts Council, Asheville Arts Council, Avery Arts Council, Madison County Arts Council, and Toe River Arts Council.

Education

University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM

B.F.A. with an emphasis in Ceramics. Studied under Gina Bobrowski and Bill Gilbert. Studies also included summer sessions in Mata Ortiz, Mexico with Juan Quezada. B.F.A. exhibition in May 2001 at the South Broadway Cultural Center, Albuquerque, NM.

Workshop Assistantships at Santa Fe Clay, Arrowmont, Penland, Odyssey.