A. Blair Clemo

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Education :

M.F.A	. 2010	Ceramics	The New York State College of Ceramics Alfred University
B.F.A	. 2006	Ceramics	The University of Montana, Missoula Magna Cum Laude
A.A.	2003	Liberal Arts	College of Southern Idaho, Twin Falls

Professional Experience:

2011 - Present	Ceramics Instructor , Grand Valley State University. Allendale, MI. Intermediate Ceramics: Wheel Throwing
2010 - Present	Ceramics Studio Technician, Grand Valley State University. Allendale, MI.
2011	Artist In Residence, Da Wang Cultural Highland. Shenzhen, China.
2008- 2010	Graduate Teaching Assistant, NYSCC Alfred University.
2006 - 2008	Ceramic Materials Technician , Northern Clay Center. Minneapolis, MN.
2006 - 2008	Artist In Residence, Northern Clay Center. Minneapolis, MN.
2006 - 2008	Ceramics Instructor, Northern Clay Center. Minneapolis, MN.
2007	Summer Clay Camp Instructor , Northern Clay Center. Minneapolis MN.
2006	Ceramics Instructor, The Clay Studio of Missoula, MT.
2005 - 2006	Production Potter/ Studio Assistant, Kotula Clay. Corvallis, MT.
2004 - 2005	Production Potter/ Studio Assistant, Wild Rose Pottery. Victor, MT.

Selected Exhibitions:

2011 Connections and Beyond. Richard Swanson Studio. Helena, MT. June
Resident Artist Exhibition. Da Wang Cultural Highland. Shenzhen, China. May
White: Focusing on White. Schaller Gallery. Benton Harbor, MI. April

Skin. NCECA Exhibition. Artful Living Gallery. St. Petersburg, FL. April

Emerging Artists. Red Star Studios. Kansas City, MO. March

2010 *UICA Holiday Artist Market*. Urban Institute of Contemporary Art. Grand Rapids, MI. December

Michigan Clay Artist Invitational. Greater Flint Arts Council. Flint, MI. November

Home Sweet Home. Dow Studio Gallery. Deer Isle, ME. June

Deco- MFA Thesis Exhibition. Fosdick-Nelson Gallery. School of Art and Design, Alfred University, Alfred, NY. April

- 2009 *MFA Ceramics at Alfred University*. 111th Annual Conference, The American Ceramics Society, Pittsburgh, PA. October
- 2008 Duets/Pairs. Dow Studio Gallery. Deer Isle, ME. August

Go Green. Dow Studio Gallery. Deer Isle, ME. July

It's Pouring. Dow Studio Gallery. Deer Isle, ME. June

Artist of the Month. Northern Clay Center. Minneapolis, MN. March

Fogelberg and Red Wing Artists Exhibition. Northern Clay Center. Minneapolis, MN. January

2007 *32nd Annual Holiday Exhibition and Sale.* Lillstreet Art Center. Chicago, IL. November

17th Annual Holiday Exhibition and Sale. Northern Clay Center. Minneapolis, MN. November

It's Only Clay: National Juried Ceramic Competition. Bemidji Community Art Center. Bemidji, MN. October

Artists of NCC. Northern Clay Center, Minneapolis, MN. July

Forty Years of Student Art Awards. Museum of Arts and Culture. The University of Montana, Missoula. January

2006 *B.F.A. Thesis Exhibition.* Gallery of Visual Arts, The University of Montana, Missoula. March

NCECA University of Montana Student and Faculty Exhibition. Hecklewood Gallery, Portland, OR. March

2005 *Stoke! Regional Juried Wood Fire Exhibition.* Harrett Museum of Arts and Culture, College of Southern Idaho, Twin Falls. September

3rd Annual Invitational Teapot Exhibition. Missoula Artists Shop, Montana. November

2004 *12th Annual Strictly Functional Pottery National*. Market House Craft Center. Lancaster, PA. April

The Naked Truth: 2004 International Juried Wood Fire Exhibition. Cedar Rapids Museum of Art. Cedar Rapids, IA. September

Awards:

- 2009 Haystack Summer Conference Award. NYSCC Alfred University. Alfred, NY
- 2007 The Red Wing Collectors Society Foundation Award. Red Wing Collectors Society Foundation. Red Wing, MN.
- 2006 Montana Museum of Arts and Culture Purchase Award. The University of Montana, Missoula
- 2005 Autio Award. The University of Montana, Missoula

Montana Museum of Arts and Culture Purchase Award. The University of Montana, Missoula

- 2003 Autio Award. The University of Montana, Missoula
- 2002 Lauterbach Talent Award. College of Southern Idaho, Twin Falls

Collections:

Schein-Joseph International Museum of Ceramic Art. Gloryhole Collection. NYSCC Alfred University, Alfred, NY

Red Wing Pottery Museum. Contemporary Collection. Red Wing, MN

Montana Museum of Arts and Culture. The University of Montana, Missoula

College of Southern Idaho Permanent Collection. Department of Art. Twin Falls

Bibliography:

500 Plates and Chargers. Lark Book Publications, Asheville, NC. 2008

500 Pitchers. Lark Book Publications, Asheville, NC. 2006