

MEAGHAN GATES

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EDUCATION

2013-2016 MFA, Ceramics, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, North
Dartmouth, MA.

2008-2011 BFA, Studio Arts, Minor in Art History, California State University,
Chico.

2005-2008 Diablo Valley College, Pleasant Hill, CA.

AWARDS AND GRANTS

2016 Finalist, So to Speak Visual Art Contest, So To Speak Journal, Fairfax,
VA.

2015 Recipient, Ruel J. and Patricia A. Hall Educational Fund for India
Scholarship, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, North Dartmouth,
MA.

2015 Recipient, NCECA Graduate Student Fellowship, The National
Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts, Boulder, CO.

2015 Recipient, Best in Show Maxwell Mays Award, *Earth Elements*,
Providence Art Club All Media Juried Exhibition, Providence Art Club,
Providence, RI.

2015 Recipient, Third Place, *Valdosta National 2015*, Valdosta State University
Fine Arts Gallery, Valdosta, GA. (catalog)

2013 Recipient, Distinguished Art Fellowship, University of Massachusetts
Dartmouth, North Dartmouth, MA.

2011 Recipient, Windgate Fellowship, The Center for Craft, Creativity &
Design, Hendersonville, NC.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2017 - Present Adjunct Professor and Ceramic Lab Supervisor, University of West
Florida, Pensacola, FL.

Courses: Introduction to Ceramics, Wheel Throwing, Sculptural Ceramics, Personal Direction, Special Topics in Ceramics (Bio Collaboration), 2-D Design, Drawing 1.

2019 – Present Instructor, First City Art Center, Pensacola, FL.

Courses: Adult Evening Ceramic Classes and Kids Camp

2016 - 2017 Mentor, Art All-State, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, North Dartmouth, MA.

2016 - 2017 Instructor, Art Club, Columbia Middle School, Columbia, NC.

2017 Instructor, Adult Ceramic Workshop, Pocosin Arts, Columbia, NC.

2017 Instructor, Pocosin Zoo, Art After School Program, Pocosin Arts, Columbia, NC.

2017 Instructor, The Wheel Method, One-Day Workshop, Pocosin Arts, Columbia, NC.

2016 Instructor, North Carolina Wesleyan College Group Workshop, Pocosin Arts, Columbia, NC.

2015 - 2016 Instructor, Adult Ceramic Workshop, New Bedford Art Museum/ Artworks!, New Bedford, MA.

2014 - 2015 Instructor and Curriculum Advisor, Small Scale Ceramic Initiative for the Amrita Self-Reliant Village Programme and Ammachi Labs, Kerala, India.

2015 Instructor, ATR 291-01 Ceramics I: Intro to Handbuilding, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, New Bedford Campus, MA.

2014 Instructional Assistant, ATR 123 Styling the Apocalypse, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, North Dartmouth, MA.

2014 Mentor, Teen Artist Internship Program, New Bedford Art Museum/ArtWorks!, New Bedford, MA.

2014 Instructor, Tweens on Wheels: Clay Workshop, ArtWorks!, New Bedford, MA.

2013 Instructor, Junk Bugs After School Program, Alma Del Mar, New Bedford, MA.

2012 - 2013 Instructor, Kids 'N' Clay, Berkeley, CA.

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2020 *Changing a Point of View: Sculpture & Installation Exhibition*, Online Juried Exhibition, <https://www.allshemakes.org>
- 2020 *Contemporary Clay 2020: Biennial Juried Exhibition*, The Art Center, Grand Junction, CO.
- 2020 *23rd San Angelo National Ceramic Competition*, San Angelo Museum of Fine Art, San Angelo, TX.
- 2020 *STEAM2020 Exhibition*, Pensacola Museum of Art, Pensacola, FL.
- 2019 *Clay Matters*, Epperson Gallery, Crockett, CA.
- 2019 *Off Center: Third Annual International Ceramic Art Competition*, Blue Line Arts, Roseville, CA.
- 2019 *Persistence: A National Exhibition Celebrating Women*, d'Art Center, Norfolk VA.
- 2019 *Branching Out*, Hammond Hall Gallery, Jacksonville State University, Jacksonville, AL.
- 2018 *18 Cubed*, International Ceramic Exhibition, Art Aqua Fair, Miami Beach, FL.
- 2018 *Sculpture National*, Clay Center of New Orleans, New Orleans, LA.
- 2018 *The Shoebox Show*, The Apple House, Guldagergaard International Ceramic Research Center, Skælskør, DK.
- 2018 *10x10x20, 10 Year Anniversary Show*, BSO Gallery, California State University, Chico, Chico, CA.
- 2017 *Resource*, TAG Gallery, University of West Florida, Pensacola, FL.
- 2017 *Nature and Neon: National Juried Exhibition*, Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts, Gatlinburg, TN.
- 2017 *Alma Mudder*, Recent Work By Former CSU, Chico Ceramics Students, 1078 Gallery, Chico, CA.
- 2017 *To See the Unseen*, The Art Center, Corvallis, OR.
- 2016 *UMass Dartmouth MFA Exhibition*, Bromfield Gallery, Boston, MA.
- 2016 *MFA Candidates Exhibition*, University Gallery, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, New Bedford, MA.
- 2015 *Craft Forms 2015*, Wayne Art Center, Wayne, PA.

- 2015 *Earth Elements*, Providence Art Club All Media Juried Exhibition, Providence Art Club, Providence, RI. (Best in Show Maxwell Mays Award)
- 2015 *Valdosta National 2015*, Valdosta State University Fine Arts Gallery, Valdosta, GA. (Third Place, Catalogue)
- 2015 *Icebreaker 6: National Juried Exhibition*, Ice Cube Gallery, Denver, CO.
- 2014 *City of Light*, SOFA Chicago's Connect, SOFA Chicago, Chicago, IL.
- 2014 *Summus Emerging Artist Showcase*, Minan Gallery, Los Angeles, CA.
- 2013 *Brute Force: Visionaries, Outlaws, and Iconoclasts*, Nielsen Gallery, Berkeley, CA.
- 2012 *Translations*, Sanbao Ceramic Art Institute, Jingdezhen, Jiangxi Province, China.
- 2012 *Network 2012*, Grimmerhus Ceramic Museum, Middelfart, DK. (catalog)
- 2011 *Project Network, Session 1 Exhibition*, The Apple House, Guldagergaard International Ceramic Research Center, Skælskør, DK.

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2019 *Circumstance of Adaptation*, Appalachian Center for Craft, Smithville, TN.
- 2018 *Featured Artist: Meaghan Gates*, Gallery Night, Pensacola, FL.
- 2016 *Colo Colo Gallery Presents Meaghan Gates*, Colo Colo Gallery, New Bedford, MA.
- 2012 *Shigaraki Progression*, Shigaraki Ceramic Cultural Park Gallery, Shigaraki, JP.
- 2011 *From Within*, BSO Gallery, California State University, Chico, Chico, CA.
- 2010 *Of My World*, 3rd Floor Gallery, California State University, Chico, Chico, CA.

PUBLICATIONS

- 2017 Studio Potter, *The Mananthavady Women's Kiln Project: Connecting Through Medium and Purpose*, Vol.45 No.1, Winter/Spring 2017.

- 2016 Village Soup, *UMass MFA Exhibition Wows in New Bedford*, New Bedford, MA.
- 2016 So to Speak Journal, *Art Prize Finalist*, 2015-16 Contest Issue, Fairfax, VA.
- 2015 *Valdosta National 2015*, Show Catalog, pgs. 13,17.
- 2012 *Project Network*, Catalog, pgs. 6-7.
- 2010 The Orion, *Ceramic Show Comes to Life*, Issue 14.
- 2000 *The Kids 'N' Clay Ceramics Book: Hand building and Wheel-Throwing Projects from the Kids 'N' Clay Pottery Studio*, Nierman, Kevin, Elaine Arima, and Curtis H. Arima. Berkeley, Calif: Tricycle Press, 2000.
(Reproduction of work)

COLLECTIONS

- 2012 Shigaraki Ceramic Cultural Park Gallery, Shigaraki, JP.
- 2011 Guldagergaard International Ceramic Research Center, Skælskør, DK.

RESIDENCIES

- 2020 Artist in Resident and Session Organizer, Session II: Biomorphie Idyll, Watershed Center for the Ceramic Arts, Newcastle, ME.
- 2016 - 2017 Artist in Resident, Pocosin Arts, Columbia, NC.
- 2012 Artist in Resident, Sanbao Ceramic Art Institute, Jingdezhen, Jiangxi Province, China.
- 2012 Artist in Resident, Shigaraki Ceramic Cultural Park Gallery, Shigaraki, JP
- 2011 Artist in Resident, Guldagergaard International Ceramic Research Center, Skælskør, DK.

PANELS/LECTURES/DEMONSTRATIONS

- 2020 Panel Discussant, "*Transdisciplinary Collaborations*" and "*Wonder*", STEAM2020 Colloquium, Pensacola Museum of Art, Pensacola, FL.
- 2019 Artist Demonstration, Pocosin Arts Guest Artist, Carolina Artisan Craft Market, Raleigh, NC.
- 2017 Visiting Artist, Tulane University, New Orleans, LA.
- 2015 Visiting Artist Talk, Taos Clay Studio, Taos, NM.

- 2014 Presenter, “*Of Bioluminescent Organisms and other Beautiful Natural Occurrences*” The Way Things Work: Art As Science, Science As Art, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, MA.
- 2014 Panel Discussant, “*Get Out There, Way Out There!*”, 48th Annual NCECA Conference, Milwaukee, WI.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2018 - 2019 UWF Art Department High School Outreach Supervisor, University of West Florida, Pensacola, FL.
- 2016 - 2018 Art Head, Camp Pembroke, Pembroke, MA.
- 2011 Assistant, Guldagergaard International Ceramic Research Center, Skælskør, DK.
- 2011 Assistant Facilitator for Kevin Neirman, California Conference for the Advancement of Ceramic Art, Davis, CA.
- 2010 - 2011 Work Study Intern, CSU Chico Glass Lab, Chico, CA.
- 2010 Assistant Facilitator for Kevin Neirman, Ceramics Annual of America, San Francisco, CA.
- 2010 Work Study Intern, 1078 Gallery, Chico, CA.