

SUZANNE TORRES

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EDUCATION

- 2015 MFA (candidate), University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI
(expected graduation: May 2015)
- 2014 MA, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI
- 2012 San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco, CA
Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in Sculpture
- 2008 BA in Studio Art, Monmouth University, West Long Branch, NJ
- 2006 Universidad de Granada, Granada, Spain
Certificate in Hispanic Studies (academic year)

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2015 Diane Endres Ballweg Art Gallery, Central Madison Public Library, Madison, WI (forthcoming)
Art Lofts Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI (forthcoming)
Greymatter Gallery, Milwaukee, WI (forthcoming)
- 2014 *artlab: Suzanne Torres*, Krasl Art Center, St. Joseph, MI
Wastelands, Art Lofts Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI
- 2013 *Dual Territory*, Art Lofts Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI
De-Constructed Environments, Porter Butts Gallery, Madison, WI
Changing Spaces, Ahrnsbrak Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Marathon County, Wausau, WI

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2014 *Voices X*, Voices Warehouse Gallery, Dubuque, Iowa: site-specific work
“ “, Art Lofts Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Madison Madison, WI
Ossuary Project, Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis, Indianapolis, IN:
curator, Laurie Beth Clark
Material/Clay, Commonwealth Gallery, Madison, WI
A/Systemic: Intersections, Dislocations, and Subversions, MANA Contemporary, Chicago, IL:
Organized in conjunction with 2014 CAA conference in Chicago. Curated by Leah Kolb
2nd Year Review, Art Lofts Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Madison Madison, WI
De composition: 2014 National Juried Exhibition, Allen Priebe Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh,
Oshkosh, WI
Working Draft, Pritzlaff Event Space, NCECA Annual Conference, Milwaukee, WI
Elevating Clay: From Wheel to Wall, Overture Center for the Arts, Madison, WI:
Organized in conjunction with 2014 NCECA conference
- 2013 *Ceramics Department Annual Exhibition*, Art Lofts Gallery, Madison, WI
Annual Student Art Showcase, Office of the Provost, University of Wisconsin- Madison, Madison, WI

- Ossuary Project*, University of Tennessee Downtown Gallery, Knoxville, TN: curator, Laurie Beth Clark
2013 Members Show & Tributaries, Phipps Center for the Arts, Hudson, WI
Sprung, Bright Red Studios, Madison, WI
2012 *1st Year Review*, Gallery 7, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI
Influx, Art Lofts Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI
Spring Show, Diego Rivera Gallery, San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco, CA
2010 *Ten Diez Deus*, Metáfora, Barcelona, Spain
2009 *M33&1*, Metáfora, Barcelona, Spain
Conocer Antes Juzgar (Know Before You Judge), Ambit Dona, Barcelona, Spain:
In conjunction with , Plataforma Comitè 1r Desembre, on World AIDS Day
2008 *Suzanne Torres, BA Exhibition*, Rotary Ice House Gallery, Monmouth University, West Long Branch, NJ

AWARDS, GRANTS and SCHOLARSHIPS

- 2014 **Professional Development Travel Grant**, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI
Travel grant awarded to fund travel expenses to Vermont Studio Center in Johnson, Vermont during the summer 2014.
Graduate Project Assistantship, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI
Project Assistant to Gerit Grimm during the 2014-2015 academic year.
2013 **Vermont Studio Residency Full Fellowship**, Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, Vermont
Full Fellowship award for a four-week residency at the Vermont Studio Center.
Graduate Project Assistantship, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI
Project Assistant to Paul Sacaridiz during the 2013-2014 academic year.
University of Wisconsin- Madison Departmental Scholarship to Haystack Mountain School of Crafts, University of Wisconsin-Madison, WI
To attend a two-week summer workshop instructed by Sonya Clark.
Professional Development Travel Grant, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI
Travel grant awarded to fund two trips to Haystack Mountain School of Crafts in Deer Isle, Maine during the summer 2013.
2012 **Graduate Project Assistantship**, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI
Ceramics studio manager during the 2012-2013 academic year
ISC Outstanding Student Achievement in Contemporary Sculpture Award Nominee, San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco, CA
2008 **Artist of the Year in Fine Arts**, Monmouth University, Long Branch, NJ
2002- **Monmouth Academic Award**, Monmouth University, Long Branch, NJ
2008 Award based solely on prior academic performance – cumulative high school grade point average and standardized test scores. Academic grant recipients required to maintain at least a 2.5 cumulative grade point average.

ARTIST RESIDENCIES

- 2014 Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, Vermont
Four-week residency in May/June with full fellowship

- 2013 Open Studio Residency, Haystack Mountain School of Crafts, Deer Isle, ME
 Haystack's Open Studio Residency, a 2-week residency from May 26th to June 7th, was designed to promote artistic growth and development at Haystack Mountain School of Crafts in Deer Isle, Maine. Admittance to the Open Studio Residency was competitive and awarded to 50 applicants from a pool of nearly 400. Three-quarters of the participants were selected through open competition while the other one-quarter was admitted by invitation. An anonymous foundation and the Quimby Family Foundation funded the residency.
- 2009- Metáfora International Workshop, Barcelona, Spain
 2010 Year-long resident

WORKSHOPS

- 2013 *Multiple Meanings/Meaning in Multiples*, instructor Sonya Clark, Haystack Mountain School of Crafts, Deer Isle, ME. Made possible by the University of Wisconsin- Madison Departmental Scholarship to Haystack Mountain School of Crafts
- 2008 Studio Arts Center International, Florence, Italy
 Summer term to study traditional marble carving and drawing

PUBLIC LECTURES

- 2014 Artist Talk, Krasl Art Center, St. Joseph, MI
 In conjunction with solo exhibition.
 Artist Talk, Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, VT
- 2013 Artist Lecture, Madison Museum Of Contemporary Art, Madison, WI
 Artist Lecture, Grand Valley State University, Allendale, MI
 Presenter at The 5th Annual Ceramics Forum a lecture series hosted by Grand Valley State University
 Visiting Artist Lecture, University of Wisconsin-Marathon County, Wausau, WI
 I was selected for the Marathon County 2012-13 Lecture and Fine Art Series. This included my solo exhibition, *Changing Spaces*, an artist lecture, and individual meetings with students.

PUBLICATIONS

- 2014 Rona Kopeczky, "Featured Artist, November 2014," Works.io, publication date: November 26, 2014.
<https://www.works.io/reviews/5/monthly-selection-of-emerging-artists-november-2014>
 Illumination Journal, Fall 2014 issue. <http://uwilluminationjournal.com>.
 "Suzanne Torres – Madison WI" – 365 Artists/365 Days Project, blog interview, Feb 13
 Timber Journal, May 2014. Published image and biography. Print.
- 2013 Katie Vaughn, "Creative Combinations at the Wisconsin Union Galleries," Madison Magazine, October 23
- 2012 San Francisco Art Institute 2012 Undergraduate Admissions Viewbook, (Cover image)