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EDUCATION

 1991 BFA (Drawing and Painting, Anatomy and Scientific Illustration), School of Art Institute of Chicago - Chicago, IL

GALLERY REPRESENTATION

- 2021 current Higher Art Gallery, Traverse City, MI
- 2023 current Raven Heart Gallery, Kanab, UT
- 2023 2024 Woodwalk Gallery, Egg Harbour, WI

EXHIBITIONS & SHOWS

- 2025 The Ribbon, Antler & Talon Galleries, Portland, OR *Susannah Kelly Art Award 2025 winner
- 2025 The Nature We Create Exhibition, Art Barn School of Art, Valparaiso, IN
- 2025 Animal King-dom, Quad City Arts, Rock Island, IL
- 2025 Nature, If These Walls Could Talk Gallery, Aurora, IL
- 2025 Roots, Nanny Goat Gallery, Petaluma, CA
- 2024 Little but Bold, Chicago Sculpture Society Exhibition, Chicago, IL
- 2024 Nature Artist Guild Autumn Exhibition, Lisle IL
- 2024 Solo Show, Woodwalk Gallery, Egg Harbour, WI
- 2024 10th Annual Artist Fall Show, Raven's Heart Gallery Knab, UT
- 2024 Galex 57 National Juried Exhibition, Galesburg Art Center, Galesburg, IL
- 2024 Out of the Fire Ceramic Show, Oxbow House, Douglas, MI
- 2024 Unfavorable Conditions, Chicago Sculpture Society Exhibition, Chicago, IL
- 2024 Tiny but Mighty exhibition, d'Art Center, Norfolk, VA
- 2024 58th National Drawing and Small Sculpture Show, Cain Gallery, Corpus Christi, TX
- 2024 Member Sculpture Exhibition, National Sculpture Society, NY
- 2023 Any Art, Any Time, Online Exhibition, KBM Art Gallery, Riverside, CA
- 2023 Aurora "Open Studio" Show, Aurora IL
- 2023 Nature Artist's Guild Exhibit at McCord Gallery, Palos Park, IL
- 2023 Charlie Cummings Gallery "Birds! Birds!" Exhibition, Gainesville, FL
- 2023 Higher Art Gallery Solo show, Traverse City, MI
- 2023 Las Laguna Art Gallery "2023 Women in Art" Exhibition, Laguna Beach, CA
- 2022 Buchanan Arts Center "64 Arts" Exhibition, Monmouth, IL
- 2022 Indianapolis Arts Center "Arts for the Heartland" Exhibition, Indianapolis, IN
- 2022 Fine Line Gallery "Sculpture at the Kavanagh" Exhibition Saint Charles, IL *Merit Award
- 2022 Woodwalk Gallery "Magical Mysterious Tour" Online Egg Harbor, WI
- 2022 San Angelo Musuem of Fine Arts 24th National Ceramic Competition San Angelo, TX
- 2022 The Figge Art Museum 42nd Rock Island Fine Arts Guild Exhibition, Davenport, IA

- 2022 River Arts Wings & Water 5th Anniversary Exhibition Prairie du Sac, WI
- 2021 Quad City Arts Gallery "The Nature We Create" show Rock Island, IL
- 2021 Fantasy & Fiction Exhibition, 2nd place Woodstock, IL * Second place
- 2021 Northern Illinois Pottery Tour virtual
- 2021 Dragonfly Gallery Group Exhibition Chicago, IL
- 2021 Gallery Studio Oh! "Nature Nurture Nature" Exhibition Chicago, IL
- 2021 Rosewood Gallery "The Nature We Create" solo show Dayton, OH
- 2021 Fine Line Gallery "Sculpture at the Kavanagh" Exhibition Saint Charles, IL
- 2020 River Arts Center "Wings & Water" Exhibition Prairie du Sac, WI
- 2020 Arts Illiana Gallery "The Crow Show" Exhibition Traverse City, IN
- 2020 Rosewood Gallery "The Nature We Create" Online solo show Dayton, OH
- 2019 Springer Cultural Center's Fall Solo Exhibition, 7-piece show Champaign, IL
- 2019 Site: Brooklyn Gallery "Animals" Exhibition Brooklyn, NY
- 2019 Kellogg University Art Gallery "Ink & Clay", Pomoa, CA *Judges' purchase award
- 2019 Clay National XIV "Nature Reconsidered: Reimagining the Natural World through Ceramics" -Carbondale, CO
- 2019 Crooked Tree Arts Center "Dart for Art" Donation Traverse City, MI
- 2019 Endangered Fine Art Exhibition Miami, FL *finalist
- 2019 Gallery 114 "Decadence & Desire" Exhibition, Portland, OR
- 2019 Trestle Gallery "Small Works" Online Exhibition Brooklyn, NY
- 2019 J. Mane Gallery "Fins, Feathers and Furs" Online Exhibition NJ *honorable mention
- 2019 Clay Art Center "The Emotional Animal" Exhibition Port Chester. NY
- 2019 Fine Line Gallery "Sculpture at the Kavanagh" Exhibition Saint Charles, IL
- 2018 "bird-brained" Show Lisle, IL
- 2017 Endangered Fine Art Exhibition Miami, FL
- 2016 Servants & Creatures Show Lisle, IL
- 2015 Berkley Artworks "Life in the Wild" show Martinsburg, WV
- 2015 St. Augustine 2015 Nature Exhibition St. Augustine, FL
- 2014 Birdhouse, Chicago House Art Auction Chicago, IL
- 2014 Water Street Studios 5th Anniversary Juried Gallery show Batavia, IL
- 2014 Chait Studios Small Works Show Iowa City, IA

FESTIVALS

- 2025 Art in the Barn, Barrington, IL
- 2025 Geneva Art Fair Geneva, IL
- 2024 Chicago Art Girls Holiday Market Chicago, IL
- 2024 Naperville Artisan Market Naperville, IL
- 2024 Wine and Art Walk Festival at Morton Arboretum Lisle, IL
- 2024 Northern Illinois Pottery Tour throughout Western IL
- 2023 Artists of the Corn Holiday Market Bloomington IL
- 2023 Sugar Creek Art Fair Normal, IL
- 2023 Wine and Art Walk Festival at the Morton Arboretum Lisle, IL *awarded 3rd place
- 2023 Kohler Fine Art Fair Kohler, WI *awarded Best in Show
- 2023 Northern Illinois Pottery Tour throughout Western IL
- 2023 Artists of the Corn Show Bloomington IL *awarded Artist of Show by peers
- 2023 Saint Charles Fine Art Show St Charles, IL
- 2022 December Holiday Gallery show, FineLine Studio Saint Charels, IL

- 2022 Sip & Shop at the Morton Arboretum Lisle, IL
- 2022 Festival of the Arts Glen Ellyn
- 2022 Wine and Art Walk Festival at the Morton Arboretum Lisle, IL
- 2022 Naperville Artisan Market Naperville, IL
- 2021 Wine and Art Walk Festival at the Morton Arboretum Lisle, IL

RESIDENCIES

- 2025 Lakeside Inn Artist Residency Program Lakeside, MI
- 2024 Anderson Center at Tower View Red Wing, MN

MEMBERSHIPS

- 2023 *current* Member of the Surface Design Association
- 2023 current Member of the Nature Artist's Guild, IL
- 2023 current Member of Chicago Sculpture International
- 2023 current Member of Art Propeller!
- 2021 2024 Northern Illinois Pottery Tour
- 2019 current Member of the National Sculpture Society, NYC

PUBLICATIONS

- 2024 The Musuem of Americana, Issue 32 Published
- 2021 Power of Positivity Social Media highlight
- 2021 Circle Quarterly Magazine, Issue 7 Published
- 2021 Beautifully Bizarre Magazine blog
- 2020 Artsy Shark Online Publication feature NY
- 2020 Art for a New Earth Blog
- 2019 APÉRO Catalogue Nature Published
- 2019 The Visual 2 Changing Wxman Collective Blog

EDUCATOR

- 2025 Workshop at BlackBerry Hill Art Center, Orford, NH
- 2025 Workshop at Harper College, Palatine, IL
- 2025 Inking Workshop at Fine Line Art Center, Saint Charles, IL
- 2025 Sculpture Workshop at Fine Line Art Center, Saint Charles, IL
- 2023 Instructor at Nuna Ceramics Studio, Aurora IL
- 2021 current Teaching virtual & in person Workshops in Sculpture