

Mark Arnold

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Education

- 2014 – 2017 M.F.A. in Ceramics. Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, Edwardsville, IL
- 2010 – 2013 B.F.A. With a Concentration in Ceramics. Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, Edinboro, PA
- 2008 – 2010 Transfer Program of Art. Community College of Allegheny County, Monroeville, PA

Teaching Experience

- 2020 – Presents Adjunct Professor. Elizabeth City State University
- 2017 – Present Ceramics Instructor. Pocosin Arts. Columbia, NC
- Fall 2015 Instructor of Record. 202c Beginning Ceramics Class. Southern Illinois University Edwardsville
- 2012 – 2014 Ceramics Instructor. Erie Museum Clay Space, Erie, PA

Visiting Artist/Workshops

- 2020 Appalachian Center for Craft. Smithville, TN
Reitz Ranch. Clarksdale, AZ
Companion Gallery. Humboldt, TN
John C Campbell Folk School. Brasstown, NC
Touchstone Center for Craft. Farmington, PA
Pocosin School of Fine Crafts. Columbia, NC
- 2019 Clay by the Bay. San Francisco, CA
Waubonsee Community College. Sugar Grove, IL
Pocosin School of Fine Crafts. Columbia, NC
Eye of the Dog Art Center. San Marcos, TX
Cultural Art Center. Columbus, OH
Mud Queen Pottery. Linglestown, PA
Dixie State University. St. George, UT
Triangle Potters Guild. Raleigh, NC
- 2018 MCAS. Columbia, SC
Ann Arbor Potters Guild. Ann Arbor, MI
Touchstone Center for Crafts. Farmington, PA
Clay by the Bay. San Francisco, CA

Western Carolina University. Cullowhee, NC
Companion Gallery. Humboldt, TN
Montgomery Community College. Troy, NC
Pocosin School of Fine Crafts. Columbia, NC
2017 Eastern Carolina University. Greenville, NC
Montgomery Community College. Troy, NC

Honors and Awards

2019 -NC Regional Artist Grant
2018 -Ceramics Monthly 2018 Emerging Artist
2016 -3rd Place. Small Works Show. Wood River, IL
-Best of Show. Edwardsville Art Fair. Edwardsville, IL
-Graduate Student Travel Grant. Southern Illinois University
Edwardsville
-Martha Holden Ceramics Award. Southern Illinois University
Edwardsville
2015 -Graduate Student Travel Grant. Southern Illinois University
Edwardsville
2013 -Ella Rue Merganser Award of Merit. Starbrick Gallery National
Cup Show
-Fully Funded Kiln God Scholarship. Watershed Center for the
Arts. Newcastle, ME
2012 -Best in Show. 14th Annual Clarion Cup Show. Clarion, PA
2011 -1st Place. 13th Annual Clarion Cup Show. Clarion, PA
2010 -Wooster Functional Ceramics Scholarship. Wooster, OH
-Donna Nicholas Ceramic Scholarship. Edinboro University
-2nd Place. 12th Annual Clarion Cup Show. Clarion, PA
-Honorable Mention. CCAC Student Art Show. Community
College of Allegheny College

Affiliations

2016- Present Art Axis, (Member-Juried Database) www.ArtAxis.org
2010-Present National Council on Education in the Ceramic Arts, Member

Solo Exhibitions

2018 "Featured Artist at Companion Gallery" Companion Gallery.
Humboldt, TN
2017 "Featured Artist at Charlie Cummings Gallery"
Charlie Cummings. Chapel Hill, NC
2016 "Digital Debut" Belger Crane Yard. Kansas City, MO

“Featured Artist at Companion Gallery” Companion Gallery.
Humboldt, TN

Exhibitions

- 2021 “Contemporary Pattern” Companion Gallery. Humboldt, TN
“Last Call” Companion Gallery. Humboldt, TN
“Complexities: From Surface to Form” Carbondale Clay Center.
Carbondale, CO
- 2020 “Cup: The Intimate Object XVI” Charlie Cummings Gallery.
Gainesville, FL
“Lip.Body.Foot” Blackfoot Gallery. Columbus, OH
“2020 Instructor Exhibition Touchstone Center for Craft”
Bea Campbell Gallery. Farmington, PA
“Faculty Showcase Appalachian Center for Craft”
Joe L. Evans Gallery. Smithville, TN
“Companion Gallery Booth” (NCECA) Richmond, VA
“Collaborative Companions Invitational” (NCECA)
“2020 Yunomi Invitational” ClayAkar. Iowa City, Iowa
“Last Call” Companion Gallery. Humboldt, TN
“A Taste of Touchstone” Seville Gallery. Cumberland, MD
- 2019 “Lip.Body.Foot” Blackfoot Gallery. Columbus, OH
“Gmitter Anniversary Show” Bates Gallery. Edinboro, PA
“Tampa Bay Tour de Clay” St. Petersburg, FL
“Highland Park Pottery Tour” Pittsburgh, PA
“Raise A Toast” Edwardsville Art Center. Edwardsville, IL
“Cup: The Intimate Object XV. Charlie Cummings Gallery.
Gainesville, FL
“Art of the Pots” Austin TX
“201 Main” Dare Counts Arts Council. Manteo, NC
“Earthworks” Chowan Arts Council. Edenton, NC
“2019 Yunomi Invitational” ClayAkar. Iowa City, Iowa
“The Thanksgiving Table: 2019” ClayAkar. Iowa City, Iowa
“Companion Gallery Booth” (NCECA) Minneapolis, MN
“Collaborative Companions Invitational” (NCECA)
Minneapolis, MN
- 2018 “Highland Park Pottery Tour” Pittsburgh, PA

"Americano Invitational" ClayAkar. Iowa City, Iowa
"2018 Yunomi Invitational" ClayAkar. Iowa City, Iowa
"Cup: The Intimate Object XIV" Charlie Cummings Gallery.
Gainesville, FL
"LillStreet Gallery Expo" at 52nd NCECA Conference Expo.
Pittsburgh, PA
"Collaborative Companions Invitational" Union Project.
(NCECA) Pittsburgh, PA
"Companion Gallery Booth" (NCECA) Pittsburgh, PA
"CCAC Alumni Show" Community College of Allegheny County
North Side Gallery. (NCECA) Pittsburgh, PA
"Touchstone NCECA Exhibition" Forbes Auto Body Studios.
Pittsburgh, PA
"Industry and Imagery Invitational" Ton Gallery. (NCECA)
Pittsburgh, PA
"Keystone Ceramics Invitational" Brockway Center for the Arts
(NCECA) Brockway, PA
"A Taste of Touchstone" Seville Gallery. Cumberland, MD
"Exquisite Forms Inviational" Charlie Cummings Gallery.
Gainsville, FL
2017 "Highland Park Pottery Tour" Pittsburgh, PA
"Crafted Invitational" Society for Contemporary Craft.
Pittsburgh, PA
"2017Americano Invitational" ClayAkar. Iowa City, Iowa
"Cup: The Intimate Object XIII" Charlie Cummings Gallery.
Chapel Hill, NC
"The Wichita National 2017" Ceramics Invitational Exhibition.
Reuben Saunders Gallery. Wichita, KS
"In Cahoots" Signature Gallery. Atlanta, GA
"Hometown Perspectives" MFA Thesis Exhibition. Art and
Design West Gallery, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville.
"2017 Yunomi Invitational" ClayAkar. Iowa City, Iowa
"LillStreet Gallery Expo" at 51st NCECA Conference Expo
Portland, OR
2016 "The Cup, The Mug" Juried by Peter Pincus. Main Streets Art
Gallery. Clifton Springs, NY
"Winterfest" Invitational. Baltimore Clay Works Gallery,
Baltimore, MD
"Small Works Show" Wood River Museum. Wood River, IL

- "Redefining The Vessel" Invitational. Mobilia Gallery,
 Cambridge, MA
 "Irons in The Fire" Juried by Justin Rothshank. Companion
 Gallery. Humboldt, TN
 "Cup: The Intimate Object XII" Charlie Cummings Galler.,
 Chapel Hill, NC
 "Thirst" Invitational. Capsule Gallery. Houston, TX
 "Lineage: 41 Years of SIUE MFAs" Invitational Morton Ball
 Room. Kansas City, MO
 "2016 NCECA National Student Exhibition" Leedy-Voulkos Art
 Center. Kansas City, MO
 "Graduate Student Show" Art and Design West Gallery,
 Southern Illinois University Edwardsville. Edwardsville, IL
 "Last Call" Juried by Matt Schiemann. Companion Gallery.
 Humboldt, TN
 2015 "Annual Holliday Show" Invitational. Edwardsville Art Center.
 Edwardsville, IL
 "Small Works Show" Wood River Museum. Wood River, IL
 "The 12th Annual Marge Brown Kalodner Graduate Student
 Exhibition" The Clay Studio. Philadelphia, PA
 "The Mobile Anagama Invitational" Odyssey Clay Center.
 Asheville, NC
 "Graduate Student Show" Art and Design West Gallery.
 Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, Edwardsville, IL
 "100 Top Potters" Invitational Pots on Wheels Mobile Gallery
 at NCECA. Providence, RI
- 2014 "Small Works Art Show" Wood River Museum. Wood River, IL
 "Cups of Plenty Invitational" Land of Plenty Gallery.
 Akron, OH
- 2013 "Glazed by Fire" Invitational. Taos Clay Gallery. Taos, NM
 "Starbrick Clay National Cup Show" Juried by Lorna Meaden.
 Starbrick Gallery. Nelsonville, OH
 "Drinking Vessel Invitational" Stonewall Gallery.
 Edinboro, PA
 "Sixth Annual Cup Show: Form and Function" Juried by Ben
 Carter. The Amelia Center Gallery. Panama City, FL
 "Edinboro Annual Student Show" Juried Exhibition. Bruce
 Gallery. Edinboro University
 "NCECA Energy of The Future" Juried by Kristen Kieffer and

- Bruce Cochrane. Norma R. Ory Gallery, Glassell School of Art. Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX
- "6th Annual Texas Teapot Tournament" Juried by Piero Fenci. 18 Hands Gallery. Houston, TX
- "Gmitter Scholarship Show" Juried by Edinboro Faculty. Bruce Gallery. Edinboro University
- 2012 "14th Annual Clarion Cup Show" Juried Exhibition. Michelle's Gallery. Clarion, PA
- "Drink This! The Workhouse International Cup Show" Juried by Linda Arbuckle. Workhouse Art Center. Lorton, VA
- "Chimera 10" Juried Exhibition. Erie Art Museum. Erie, PA
- "Fifth Annual Cup Show: Form and Function" Juried by Tammy Marinuzzi. The Amelia Center Gallery. Panama City, FL
- "38th Annual October Evenings" Juried Exhibition. Meadville Council of the Arts. Meadville, PA
- "Edinboro Annual Student Show" Juried Exhibition. Bruce Gallery. Edinboro University
- "Ceramic Exhibition" Bates Gallery, Edinboro University
- "6-10-Soda" Bates Gallery. Edinboro University
- 2011 "13th Annual Clarion Cup Show" Juried Exhibition. Michelle's Gallery. Clarion, PA
- "37th Annual October Evenings" Juried Exhibition. Meadville Council of the Arts. Meadville, PA
- "Clay Club Exhibition" Bates Gallery. Edinboro University
- 2010 "Ceramic Exhibition" Bates Gallery. Edinboro University
- "Functional Pottery for Functional Alcoholics" A Show of Whiskey Cups and Bottles. Bates Gallery. Edinboro University
- "12th Annual Clarion Cup Show" Juried Exhibition. Michelle's Gallery. Clarion, PA
- "Clay Club Exhibition" Bates Gallery. Edinboro University
- "CCAC Juried Art Show" Student Gallery. Monroeville, PA

Gallery Representation

Companion Gallery, Humboldt, TN
 In Tandem Gallery, Bakersville, NC
 James May Gallery, Algoma, WI
 Belger Crane Yard, Kansas City, MO
 LillStreet Gallery, Chicago, IL
 The Clay Studio, Philadelphia, PA
 Plough Gallery, Atlanta, GA

Plinth Gallery, Denver, CO
Charlie Cummings Gallery, Gainesville, FL

Publications

2020 Low-Fire Soda. By Justin Rothshank
Creative Pottery: Innovative Techniques and Experimental
Design in Thrown and Handbuilt Ceramics.
By Deb Schwartzkopf
Intention in Design. By Ryan Coppinge

2019 Terra Sigillata: Contemporary Techniques. By Rhonda Willers.
Ceramics Monthly, Collaborative Companions. March 2019
Ceramics Monthly, From the Editor. March 2019

2018 Ceramics Monthly, Emerging Artist. May 2018

2017 Ceramics Monthly, Exposure. November 2017

2013 Chimera 10, Journal of Art and Literature. Erie, PA

Residencies

2017 – 2018 Pocosin Arts School of Fine Crafts. Columbia, NC

2017 “Pentaculum” Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts.
Gatlinburg, TN

Related Experiences

2020 – Present Pocosin Arts Zoom Workshop Coordinator.

2019 Juror. Ware/Wear Exhibition, Pocosin Arts Gallery.
Juror. Raise a Toast Exhibition, Edwardsville Art Center.

2017 – 2018 Ware/Wear exhibition Co-Coordinator. Pocosin Arts Gallery.

2014 - 2017 Research Assistant. Ceramic Studio Technician.
Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

2014 – 2016 Research Assistant. Wood Shop Technician.
Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

Summer 2015 Summer Assistant. Paul Dresang- Primitive Firing Techniques.
Joe Page- 3d Printing and Mold Making
Southern Illinois University Edwardsville.

2013 - 2014 Ceramic Studio Technician.
Edinboro University of Pennsylvania

2013 Assistant Curator. “Ceramic Invitational” Bruce Gallery,
Edinboro University
Raku Workshop. Edinboro University

2011 – 2013 Clay Mixer and Ceramic Tutor. Edinboro University

2010 -2013 Semester Long Topic Classes. Glaze Calculation, Kiln Building
and Mold Making/Slip Casting. Edinboro University

2010 Study Abroad. 4 -Week Art History Course in Barcelona, Paris and Rome

Leadership Positions

2015 - 2016 Treasurer, Wagner Potter Association. Southern Illinois University Edwardsville
2012 - 2013 President, Clay Club. Edinboro University
2011 - 2012 Treasurer, Clay Club. Edinboro University
2009 - 2010 Vice-President, International Club. Community College of Allegheny County.
President, Art Club. Community College of Allegheny County

Permanent Collections

Society of Contemporary Arts, Houston TX