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**Education:** Louisiana State University, MFA 1992  
Awards: Graduate Assistantship 1988-92  
Cardiff Institute of Higher Education (U.K.) 1990-91  
Post Graduate Diploma  
The Cleveland Institute of Art, BFA 1986  
Major: Ceramics  
Minor: Sculpture  
Awards: Ranney Scholarship 1984-85, 1985-86  
Mosgow Award for Excellence in Ceramics 1985  
Women's Committee Traveling Scholarship 1986  
Penland School of Crafts  
Core Student 1986-88  
Scholarship Student 1985  
John Carroll University, Educational Psychology Summer, 1984

**College Teaching Experience:**

Adjunct Ceramics & 3D Design Instructor, Tyler School of Art  
August, 1992-Present  
Ceramics, 3D Design & 2D Design Instructor, Cabrini College  
January, 1993-May, 1999  
Adjunct Ceramics Instructor, Community College of Philadelphia  
January, 1996-Present  
Adjunct Ceramics, 3D Instructor, Montgomery County Community College  
May, 1997-May, 1999  
Ceramics Instructor, LSU  
January-May, 1989, January-May, 1992  
Visiting Lecturer, Polytechnic of London, Harrow  
April, 1991  
Design Instructor, LSU  
August, 1989-May, 1990

**Additional Teaching Experience:**

Half-time Art Faculty, The Agnes Irwin School  
September, 1999-June, 2006  
Outreach Ceramics Instructor, Project Home  
March, 1993-May, 2002  
Tile Workshop Instructor, Fleisher Art Memorial  
September, 1993-May, 2002  
Summer Session Ceramics & Sculpture Instructor, Agnes Irwin School  
June-August, 1993-1999  
Throwing Concentration Instructor, The Clay Studio  
September, 1992-March, 1999  
Ceramics Instructor, University City Arts League  
September, 1992-March, 1996

Ceramics Instructor, Main Line Center for the Arts  
September, 1993-December, 1995  
Ceramics Instructor, Abington Art Center  
September, 1992-May, 1994  
Senior Adult Ceramics Instructor, Cleveland Jewish Community Center  
October, 1985-May, 1986

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**Selected Workshops Presented:**

Pocosin Arts "Cabin Fever Reliever"  
Four day workshop, February, 2005  
Arrowmont School of Art and Crafts  
One week workshop, June, 2004  
Manassas Clay Connection  
Weekend Workshops, May, 1997; August, 1998; October, 2004  
The Westchester Art Workshop  
Weekend workshop, April, 2002  
Greenwich House Pottery, New York  
Week long workshop, July, 2001  
Westchester Community College  
One day workshop, May, 2001  
Penland School of Crafts  
Spring Concentration (four weeks), 2000  
Anderson Ranch Arts Center  
Two week workshop, August, 1999  
Miami University Craft Summer, Oxford Ohio  
One week workshop, June, 1999  
The Craft Student League at the YWCA  
Weekend Workshop, August, 1998  
Peters Valley Craft Center  
Ten day Workshop, August, 1997  
Long Beach Island Foundation for the Arts  
One week Workshop, August, 1996  
Touchstone Center for Crafts  
One week Workshop, August, 1996  
Wallingford Art Center  
Weekend Workshop, February, 1996  
Wayne Art Center  
Weekend Workshop - September, 1993; February, 1994  
Idyllwild School Of Music And The Arts  
Weekend Workshop - March 1993  
Nichols State University, Workshop Visiting Artist  
November, 1988

**Related Experience:**

Featured Presenter, Functional Ceramics Conference, Wooster Ohio  
April, 2005  
Invited Participant, Instructors Retreat. Penland School of Crafts  
February, 2004  
Featured Presenter, The Alabama Clay Conference  
March, 2001

Member, Board of Directors, The Clay Studio  
September, 1995-September, 1997  
Artist in Residence, The Clay Studio  
September, 1992-September, 1997  
Design and Construction of a 60 Cubic Foot Wood Kiln  
Tyler School of Art, Fall, 1996

**Selected Exhibitions:**

Potters of the Mid-Atlantic, Whitehall Gallery, Annapolis MD  
March, 2005  
Dynamic Duos, Vessell Gallery, Huntingdon Valley PA  
February, 2005  
Working Potters, Birke Art Gallery, Marshal University  
October, 2004

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**Selected Exhibitions (cont'd)**

Penland Table Top Show, Hodges Taylor Gallery, Charlotte NC  
September-October, 2004  
30 x 5, Akar Gallery, Iowa City IA  
December, 2003  
The Philadelphia Museum of Art Craft Show  
November, 1994, 1996, 2003  
Fleisher "Challenge" Solo show, Philadelphia PA  
February-March 2003  
Pots Presented, Baltimore Clayworks  
January-February 2002  
Beautiful Use, Montgomery College, Rockville MD  
February-March, 2000  
The Washington Craft Show  
November, 1999  
Chester Springs Studio, Yellow Springs PA  
Focus On Pots, Sept. 1997; Functional Pottery, Sept. 1998  
Cedar Valley Ceramics Gallery, Dallas TX  
Two Person Show, April, 1998  
Crafts National, Zoller Gallery, Penn. State University  
June-July, 1995, 1996  
Strictly Functional Pottery National, Market House Craft Center, Lancaster, PA  
May, 1996, 1997  
Solo Shows, The Clay Studio, Philadelphia, PA  
November, 1993; May, 1996  
Solo Exhibition, Cardiff Institute of Higher Education, Cardiff, Wales  
July, 1991  
"East," Norfolk Gallery, Norwich, England  
May-June, 1991  
Monarch Tile National Ceramic Competition, San Angelo, TX  
April, May, 1988; April-May, 1989; April-May, 1990; April-May, 1996  
"May Show," Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, OH  
May-June, 1988

**Collections:** The Cleveland Museum of Art, Permanent Collection  
The Cleveland Museum of Art, Extensions Collection  
Jacksonville State University (AL), Permanent Collection

**Awards:** The Dene M. Louchheim Faculty Fellowship  
The Samuel S Fleisher Art Memorial  
May, 1998  
Best of Show  
The Fifth Annual Strictly Functional Pottery National  
May, 1997  
The Franklin and Shirley Poul Award for Art Pottery  
The Main Line Art Center 1995 Fine Line of Craft Exhibition  
January, 1995  
Fully Funded Residency  
Watershed Center for the Ceramic Arts  
August, 1994  
Honorable Mention  
Lanexa National Ceramics Competition  
June, 1989  
The Robert Mann Award for Excellence in Ceramics  
The Cleveland Museum of Art  
May, 1988