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#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2006- **San Diego State University**, Professor of Art, Head, Jewelry/Metalwork, San Diego, CA
- 2000-06 **Rhode Island College**, Associate Professor, Dept. Art –Metals and Jewelry, Foundations
- 1999-00 **State University of New York at New Paltz**, Assistant Professor, Dept. Art - Metals
- 1997-99 **Savannah College of Art and Design**, Faculty, Foundations, Metals and Jewelry, GA
- 1995-97 **Rhode Island School of Design**, Adjunct Faculty, Light Metals Department, Providence, RI

#### EDUCATION

- 1990 **Munich Academy of Fine Arts**, Munich, GERMANY, Diplom Degree  
(Masters of Fine Arts Equivalent)
- 1980 **Tyler School of Art**, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA  
B.F.A. Degree - Jewelry and Painting Concentrations

#### SELECTED AWARDS

- 2022 **Outstanding Scholar Award**, SDSU Division of Research and Innovation
- 2020 **Distinguished Craft Educators Award**, James Renwick Alliance, Washington, DC
- 2019 **Te Auaha Institute of Creativity Jewelry Artist Residency**, Wellington, New Zealand  
**Jakob Bengel Stiftung**, Artist Residency, Idar-Oberstein, Germany
- 2018 **IASPIS Artist Residency**, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2016 **Upside Down in Paradise**, Faculty Research Grant, San Diego State University

#### SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY (work appears in/cited)

- 2021 **Jewelry Stories**, Barbara Paris Gifford, Arnoldsche, Museum of Arts and Design, NY
- 2019 **Rings of the 20th and 21st Centuries**, Beatriz Chadour-Sampson,  
Arnoldsche, GERMANY
- 2018 **21 Grams - Jewelry and the Soul**, China Academy of Art, CHINA  
**New Brooches**, Nicholas Estrada Editor, Promopress, Barcelona, SPAIN
- 2017 **Narrative Jewelry: Tales from the Toolbox**, Mark Fenn, Schiffer Publishing, PA
- 2016 **Beyond Bling: Jewelry from the Lois Boardman Collection**, Los Angeles County Museum of Art, CA
- 2014 **Unique by Design: Contemporary Jewelry in the Donna Schneur Collection**, Metropolitan Museum  
NY

#### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 **The Gemstone Apothecary**, Villa Bengel, Idar-Oberstein, GERMANY
- 2022 **Fragments: Place to Place**, Galerie Marzee, Nijmegen, NETHERLANDS
- 2019 **Lost and Found in the Land of the Long White Cloud**, Te Auaha Institute, NEW ZEALAND
- 2018 **Upside Down in Paradise**, Collective Art Fair, NYC, Sienna Gallery
- 2017 **Sondra Sherman, Biba Schutz, Maria Phillips'** Galerie Noel Guyomarch', CANADA
- 2016 **Found Subjects IV**, Houston Center for Contemporary Craft, TX  
**Parallels** (two-person show with Jonathan Wahl), Lamar Dodd Gallery, University of Georgia, GA
- 2014 **Found Subjects III**, Hunterdon Museum of Art, Clinton, NJ

#### SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 **La Frontera**, Mingei International Museum, San Diego, CA, and CECUT  
Tijuana, MEXICO
- 2023 **Hangzhou International Contemporary Jewelry Triennial**, Shanghai CHINA  
**Creative Alloys**, Fuller Craft Museum, MA
- 2022 **International Contemporary Jewelry NYCJW 22**, Galerie Noel Guyomarch', NY
- 2021 **Declaration of Sentiments**, Gallery Art Han, Istanbul, TURKEY (traveling)
- 2020 **45 Stories**, Museum of Arts and Design, NY
- 2018 **21 Grams**, China Academy of Art Crafts Museum, Hangzhou, CHINA (catalog) (traveling)

- 2016 **Beyond Bling**, Los Angeles County Museum of Art, CA  
**Off the Page**, Mesa Museum of Contemporary Art, Mesa, AZ  
**Lacquer: The Art of Surface**, Bavarian Crafts Council Gallery, Munich, GERMANY
- 2015 **Black on Black**, Manchester Art Gallery, curated by Jo Bloxham, Manchester, UK  
**From Here and There**, Burg Gebichstein, curator Daniel Kruger, Halle, GERMANY  
**California Handmade: State of the Arts**, The Maloof Foundation and Craft in America, CA
- 2014 **Objects and Words**, Bavarian Crafts Council Gallery, Munich, GERMANY

## PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

International Design Museum, Germany  
Metropolitan Museum of Art, NY  
Smithsonian American Art Museum, DC  
Museum of Art and Design, NY  
Dallas Museum of Art, TX  
RISD Museum, Providence, RI  
City Museum, Turnov, Czech Republic

Los Angeles County Museum of Art (LACMA)  
Philadelphia Museum of Art  
Museum of Fine Arts, Boston  
Swiss National Museum, Switzerland  
Racine Museum of Art, WI  
Myers School of Art, Akron, OH