

# Eric Carlson

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## Education:

- 2004-2007      **Master of Fine Arts**, Ceramics University of Missouri-Columbia  
Thesis: *"A Man Ain't Nothen But A Man"*  
Exhibition:
- 2000-2002      **Bachelor of Fine Arts**, Ceramics, Metal & Jewelry Illinois State  
University  
Exhibition: *Recoil*  
Portfolio

## Academic Experience:

- 2017 – 2019      **Program Director of Studio Art**  
School of the Creative Arts  
University of St.Francis- Fort Wayne, IN
- 2014 – Present      **Assistant Professor of Studio Art, Ceramics**  
School of the Creative Arts  
University of St.Francis- Fort Wayne, IN
- Spring 2014      **Senior Lecturer Art**  
Department of Art  
University of Wisconsin- Marinette, WI
- 2008 – 2013      **Instructor of Art**  
Department of Art and Design,  
University of Central Missouri- Warrensburg, MO
- 2008 – 2012      **Art Department Studio Technician**  
Department of Art and Design,  
University of Central Missouri Warrensburg, MO
- 2007 – 2008      **Adjunct Professor**  
Department of Art and Design,  
University of Central Missouri-Warrensburg, MO

2004 – 2007

**Graduate Instructor of Record**  
Department of Art,  
University of Missouri-Columbia, MO

**SCHOLARSHIP OF TEACHING:**

**Courses:**

**Assistant Professor of Studio Art, Ceramics  
University of Saint Francis:  
2014- Present**

Art 102	2- D Composition
Art 108	3- D Composition
Art 330	Internship
Art 351	Sculpture
Art 362	Introduction to Ceramics
Art 363	Adv. Ceramics
Art 364	Adv. Ceramics
Art 365	Adv. Ceramics
Art 366	Adv. Ceramics
Art 370	Metalcraft
Art 371	Adv. Metalcraft
Art 521	Adv. Printmaking
Art 540	Graduate Ceramics
Art 701	Graduate Studio Intensive I
Art 710	Studio I
IDS 495	Honer Ind Study

**Senior Lecturer Art, University of Wisconsin (Marinette, Wi):  
Spring 2014**

Art 111	2-Dimensional Design
Art 112	3-Dimensional Design
Art 121	Intro to Painting
Art 131	Intro to Sculpture

Gallery Director

**Instructor of Record, University of Central Missouri:  
2008- 2013**

Art 1315	2- D Design
Art 1325	Color and Design
Art 2335	3-D Design
Art 4010	Special Projects in Art

**Adjunct Professor, University of Central Missouri:  
2007- 2008**

Art 1315      2- D Design  
Art 1325      Color and Design  
Art 2335      3-D Design

**Graduate Instructor of Record, University of Missouri (Columbia, MO):  
2004- 2007**

Art\_Cerm 2100      Beginning Ceramics  
Art\_Gnrl 1040      Basic 3-D Design

**University Technican Duties**

**Studio Technician, University of Central Missouri Warrensburg, MO**

**Ceramics Tech Duties-**

- Maintain purchase ceramics studio and equipment. i.e.. Gas and electric kilns, extruders, clay mixers and so on
- Firing kilns
- Mixing and testing glazes
- Mixing and testing clay bodies
- Helping maintain a healthy and safe studio

**Sculpture Tech Duties-**

- Maintain and purchase sculpture studio and equipment. i.e.. table saw, band saws, sanders, power tools and hand tools.
- Running lab hrs so student can have safe and supervised access to sculpture studio and equipment.
- Helping maintain a healthy and safe studio.

**Department Tech Duties-**

- Maintain and purchase art department studio classrooms and equipment. i.e.. skeletons, exhaust hoods, mat cutters, furniture, easels, power tools, tools, and lighting.
- Helping maintain a healthy and safe department.

**Workshops and Presentations:**

2018      **Workshop:** Kiln Maintance AEAI Conference,  
University of St.Francis, Fort Wayne, IN

**Workshop:** Ceramics Wheel Throwing AEAI Conference,  
University of St.Francis, Fort Wayne, IN



## Community Service Application

- 2014 – Present      **Helping Local Teachers with ceramics questions IE: Kiln Maintenance and firing, Glazes, Clays, ETC....**, Fort Wayne and Surrounding area schools
- 2014 – Present      **Just Neighbors Interfaith Homeless Network**, Empty Bowls , Fort Wayne, IN
- 2018                    **Fort Wayne Downtown YMCA after school care**, University of St.Francis, Fort Wayne, IN
- 2015                    **VA Hospital**, Hand glazed and fired chess set, Fort Wayne, IN
- 2014                    **Christ Child Festival**, Made water Jar for reenactment, Christmas in the Park, Fort Wayne, IN

## SCHOLARSHIP OF DISCOVERY & INTERGRATION

### Exhibition Record:

#### Solo Exhibitions:

- 2007                    **“ A Man Ain’t Nothin But A Man”** George Caleb Bingham Gallery, Columbia, MO, US, MFA Thesis Exhibition
- To many choices/ Plush toys**, Ragtag Cinema, Columbia, MO, US, Solo show
- 2002                    **Recoil**, ISU University Galleries, Normal, IL, BFA Thesis Exhibition

#### Group Exhibitions:

- 2018                    **Faculty and Alumni Exhibition**, Weatherhead Gallery, USF, Fort Wayne, IN
- Eulogies of Unrest: Works by Eric Carlson and Justin Johnson**, Gallery G, Jo Young Switzer Center, Manchester University, North Manchester, IN, Curator: Ejenobo Oke
- 2017                    **Faculty and Alumni Exhibition**, Weatherhead Gallery, USF, Fort Wayne, IN
- Group Show**, Boyle Family Gallery, Lindenwood University, St.Charles, MO, Curator: Nicole Ottwell

- 2016 **Faculty and Alumni Exhibition**, Weatherhead Gallery, USF, Fort Wayne, IN
- Austin Cartwright & Eric Carlson**, Crestwoods Gallery, Roanoke, IN
- The Art of Crafting Objects: Ceramics and the Artistic Process**, Garfield Park Art Center, Indianapolis, IN  
Curator: Noelle Hoover
- Around the Corner**, Beggars Table Gallery, Kansas City, MO
- Conflict**, Lupke Gallery USF, Fort Wayne, IN
- 2015 **Faculty and Alumni Exhibition**, Weatherhead Gallery, USF, Fort Wayne, IN
- SOCA Faculty Exhibition**, Crestwoods Gallery, Roanoke, IN
- 2014 **“2014 Midwesterner”** Rockford Art Museum, Rockford, IL, US,  
Juror: William Lieberman
- “1000 Threads”** Edwardsville Art Center, Edwardsville, IL, US,  
Curator: Nicole Ottwell
- “The Residents”** Hastings College Art Gallery, Hastings, NE, US,  
Curator: Elizabeth Stehling
- “SOCA Alumni Faculty Exhibition”** John P. Weatherhead Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN, US
- 2013 **“Its All Relative”** Pelrlow-Stevens Gallery, Columbia, MO, US,  
Juried
- “28<sup>th</sup> Tallahassee International”** Florida State University Museum of Fine Arts, Tallahassee, FL, US, Jurors: Allys Palladino-Craig and Carolyn Henne
- UCM Faculty Show 2013**, Art Center Gallery, Warrensburg, MO, US
- “Centering Clay Missouri Regional Ceramics”** Moberly Area Community College Gallery, Moberly, MO, US, Juror: Felicia Leach

- “2013 Irene Rosenzweig Biennial Exhibition”** The Arts and Science Center for Southeast Arkansas, Pine Bluff, AR, US, Juror: Matthew Lopas
- 2012 **“The Third Dimension”** Foundry Art Center, St. Charles, MO, US, Juror: Laura Floyd
- UCM Faculty Show 2012**, Art Center Gallery, Warrensburg, MO, US
- 2011 **UCM Faculty Show 2011**, Art Center Gallery, Warrensburg, MO, US,
- 2010 **“Beyond the Resume”**, Foundry Art Center, St. Charles, MO, US, Invitational, Melissa Trask
- Rendezvous, National Clay Invitational**, Art Association of Jackson Hole, Jackson Hole, WY, US, Sam Dowd
- UCM Faculty Show 2010**, Art Center Gallery, Warrensburg, MO, US
- 2009 **UCM Faculty Show 2009**, Art Center Gallery, Warrensburg, MO, US
- Seven**, Columbia Art League, Columbia, MO, US, Invitational, Diana Moxon
- 2008 **UCM Faculty Show 2008**, Art Center Gallery, Warrensburg, MO, US
- Missouri Art Professors’ Show**, Columbia Art League, Columbia, MO, US, Invitational, Diana Moxon
- 2007 **International Sculpture Center 2007 Outstanding Student Achievement in Contemporary Sculpture Awards**, International Sculpture Center, Trenton, NJ, US, Student Awards Show
- UCM Faculty Show 2007**, Art Center Gallery, Warrensburg, MO, US
- 2006 **MFA CANDIDATES SHOWCASE**, George Caleb Bingham Gallery, Columbia, MO, US, Graduate Show
- Plurality**, George Caleb Bingham Gallery, Columbia, MO, US, Graduate Show

**Transient Forms**, Moberly Area Community College Gallery,  
Moberly, MO, US

2005 **University of Missouri MFA-Ceramics**, The Flag house & Star  
Spangle Banner Museum, Baltimore, MD, US

**In Transit**, George Caleb Bingham Gallery, Columbia, MO, US,  
Graduate Show,

**24/7**, George Caleb Bingham Gallery, Columbia, MO, US, Group  
Show

2004 **University Of Missouri Graduate Show**, Moberly Area  
Community College Gallery, Moberly, MO, US,

2002 **Metalwork from Around the Midwest**, WIU Art Gallery,  
Macomb, IL, US, Invitational, Kat Winters

#### **Exhibition Juror:**

2018- Present **Summer Art Exhibit: An Eccentric Picnic**, Auburn, IN, US

2016 **2016 Scholastics Art Judging**, Fort Wayne Museum of Art,  
Fort Wayne, IN

2013 **Warrensburg High School Art Show**, Warrensburg, MO, US

2007 **5th Annual Juried Art Exhibition for Area High Schools**,  
Moberly Area Community College Gallery, Moberly, MO, US

#### **Artist in Residence**

2013 **“Kimmel Harding Nelson Center for the Arts”**, Nebraska City,  
NE, US

#### **Permanent Collections**

**Kimmel Harding Nelson Center for the Art**, Nebraska City, NE

#### **Publications:**

2018 **PBS 39 Art In Focus season 6**, May 24<sup>th</sup>, Fort Wayne, IN

- 2013 **The 28<sup>th</sup> Tallahassee International Cataloge**, August, 28<sup>th</sup> Issue, pg 4
- 2011 **Hi+Res Magazine, “UCM Faculty: Words with Eric Carlson”**, April 6, Issue 3
- 2009 **Lynn Israel, “Fate art tour folds creativity into every shape and form”**, **Columbia Dailey Tribune**, May 24
- Bharat Choudhary, “Preparing for the show”**, **Columbia Missourian**, May 14
- 2008 **Sara Agnew, “Ovation”, A faculty for creation, Eric Carlson, Columbia Daily Tribune**, January 13, Section C
- 2007 **Nancy Moen, “Student Close-Up”, Sculpting Success, Mizzou**, September 1
- Sculpture Magazine, “International Sculpture Center 2007 Outstanding Student Achievement in Contemporary Sculpture Awards**, October, Vol.26 No. 8, pg 56
- Mary T. Ngyen, “NICHE”, Eric Carlson, Columbia Daily Tribune**, April 1
- 2006 **G.J. McCarthy, “OUR TOWN”, Eric Carlson, Columbia Daily Tribune**, September 3
- Kimmel Harding Nelson Center for the Art**, Nebraska City, NE

### **Commissions**

- 2012 **“Wedding Band Set”**, Josh Martin, Warrensburg, MO
- 2011 **“Wedding Band Set”**, Jeannie Devin, Rockford, IL
- “Wedding Band Set”**, Amanda Salov, Fayetteville, AR
- 2010 **“Necklace”**, David Deets, Columbia, MO, US
- 2009 **“Wedding Band Set”**, Shannon Hibedon, Warrensburg, MO, US
- 2008 **“Wedding Band Set”**, Patrica, Warrensburg, MO, US

2007

**“ROSIE & Blue Boy”**, Kristen Schwaine, Columbia, MO, US

2006

**“ Original Seal for the USS Missouri” copy and remake,**  
University of Missouri- Columbia Navy ROTC, Columbia, MO,  
US