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**Education:**

- 2020 MA Fine Art/Painting, Bradley University, Peoria, IL  
1995 MS Art Ed/Art Tx Illinois State University, Normal, IL  
1988 BFA The School of the Art Institute, Chicago, IL

**Solo Exhibitions:**

- 2020 May STILL POINT, Peoria Art Guild, Peoria, IL  
2019 Sept CUT, SEWN, FOLDED, STAPLED, Orland Park Public Library, IL  
2017 Aug INNER MAPPING, Madden Art Center, Decatur, IL  
2014 Sept ARTIST BOOKS. Peoria Public Library, Peoria, IL  
2011 Oct LOTUS SUTRA Prairie Center of the Arts, Peoria, IL  
2004 Sept DAR CHO & QIBLEH CLOTHS Contemporary Art Center, Peoria, IL  
2000 Sept PERSONAL GROTTOS Hartmann Gallery, Bradley University, Peoria, IL  
Jan FEATURED ARTIST Illinois Artisan's Shop, Chicago, IL  
1999 March INNER WORK Illinois Center College, East Peoria, IL  
1998 March TEXTILE ART Quincy University, Quincy, IL  
1997 April FEATURED ARTIST Peoria Art Guild, Peoria, IL  
1985 Oct MUSE GALLERY, San Antonio, TX

**Two Person Exhibitions:**

- 2011 Sept TWISTED TIED & KNOTTED Contemporary Art Center, Peoria, IL  
2005 March SPIRITS Verde Gallery, Champaign, IL

**Group Juried and Invitational Exhibitions:**

- 2020 Feb CARRY WEIGHT HOLD LIGHT, Collaborative Installation, CAC Peoria, IL  
2019 Aug 42nd NATIONAL ART EXHIBITION, Harper College, Palatine, IL  
Aug ALUMNI INVITATIONAL EXHIBITION, Prairie Center of the Arts, Peoria, IL  
May QUAD STATE BIENNIAL, Quincy Art Center, Quincy, IL  
April EMERGING ILLINOIS ARTISTS, McLean County Art Center, Normal, IL  
April RIVER MEETS THE RAILS: CIAO, Galesburg Civic Art Center, Galesburg, IL  
July CONNECTION AND COLLABORATION, Foster Art Center, Peoria, IL

2018 Aug REGIONAL ALUMNI INVITATIONAL, Prairie Center of the Arts, Peoria, IL  
 July VISUAL VOICES, Peoria Public Library, Peoria, IL  
 March HOT CIAO, Contemporary Art Center, Peoria, IL

2017 July ALUMNI EXHIBITION Prairie Center of the Arts, Peoria, IL  
 June THROUGH THE NEEDLE'S EYE 3 year traveling, Embroidery Guild of America

2016 Jan CONTEXT, Foundry Art Centre, St. Charles, MO  
 Oct LA CONNER QUILT & FIBER, LaConner Quilt Museum, WA

2015 Oct IN GOOD COMPANY, Peoria Art Guild, Peoria, IL  
 Oct PORTALS OF SHADOW & LIGHT, Speakeasy Art Center, Pekin, IL  
 Aug FIBER FOCUS 2015 Art St. Louis, MO  
 June ALUMNI EXHIBITION Prairie Center of the Arts, Peoria, IL

2014 July METROPOLIS FAMILIARIS BackSpace Gallery, Peoria, IL  
 June ALUMNI EXHIBITION Prairie Center of the Arts, Peoria, IL

2013 Dec 43RD MID-STATES CRAFT Evansville, Museum, Evansville, IN  
 Oct THREADS Tubac Center, Tubac, AZ  
 Sept BENEATH THE COVERS, Foundry Art Centre, St. Charles, MO

2012 March CIAO Riverfront Museum, Peoria, IL

2011 Feb GALEX 45 Galesburg, IL

2009 Aug SOUTHERN IL ARTISTS OPEN COMPETITION Cedarhurst, Mt Vernon, IL

2008 April ART OF SURVIVAL Peoria Art Guild, Peoria, IL  
 May AWARD 4 FIBER FEVER 2006 Foundry Art Centre, St Charles, IL

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2006 June FIBER FEVER Foundry Art Centre, St Charles, IL  
 Jan PERSONAL ARTIFACTS Verde Gallery Champaign, IL

2004 May A PATCHWORK PRESENCE Peoria Art Guild, Peoria, IL

2003 Feb ART THERAPIST'S ART College of St Catherine, St. Paul, MN  
 June SOUTH IL ARTISTS OPEN COMPETITION, Mitchell Museum, Mt Vernon, IL

2002 March BOOKS: BEYOND THE BINDING Bradley University, Peoria, IL  
 May DECONSTRUCTION / RECONSTRUCTION, ARC, Chicago, IL

2001 April FACULTY EXHIBIT Illinois Central College, East Peoria, IL

2000 Jan PEORIA WOMEN'S ARTIST COMPETITION Lakeview Museum, Peoria, IL

1999 Sept THE ART OF HEALING, ARC Gallery, Chicago, IL

- 1998 Oct COVER TO COVER Quad City Arts, Rock Island, IL  
 April 10th NATIONAL ART COMPETITION Truman State University, Kirksville, MO  
 Jan BOOK: STORY & STRUCTURE, Peoria Art Guild, Peoria, IL
- 1997 Sept STATEMENTS: THERAPEUTIC VALUE OF ART Eureka College, Eureka, IL  
 Sept FIBER FOCUS '97 Art St Louis, St Louis, MO
- 1996 July 12" X 12" Circa Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1994 Nov THE ART OF ART THERAPISTS Harold Washington Library, Chicago, IL
- 1993 April BEYOND FABRICATION Elgin Community College, Elgin IL
- 1992 Sept POLYCHROME Adler Cultural Center, Libertyville, IL  
 March NUMEROUS ALTERNATIVES Textile Arts Center, Chicago, IL
- 1991 Dec AMALGAMATIONS Gallery 2, School of the Art Institute, Chicago, IL
- 1990 Oct NORWAY/LATVIA TEXTILE EXHIBIT, Jurmala, Latvia  
 Sept NEW ART FORMS Lakeside Group at Navy Pier, Chicago, IL
- 1988 Jan TEXTURES '88 (&'86) INVITATIONAL Norris Gallery, St Charles, IL  
 March GALLERY WEAVERS Ruth Volid Gallery, Chicago, IL

#### **Award and Residencies:**

- 2020 Stein Academy of American Poets Prize Winner
- 2019 Honorable Mention, Quad State Biennial, Quincy, IL  
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- 2011 4 month Artist Residency, Prairie Center of the Arts, Peoria, IL
- 2009 2nd place award at Small Expressions -- Handweaver's Guild of America.
- 2006 Fiber Fever Award 4, Foundry Art Center, St. Charles, MO
- 1995 Elizabeth Stein Art Scholarship Award, Illinois State University
- 1995 Karen Deske Memorial Art Therapy Scholarship Award, Illinois State University
- 1994 Mary Packwood Art Scholarship, Illinois State University
- 1990 Summer Artist Residency Lakeside Group, Lakeside Indiana
- 1990 Latvian Cultural Exchange/USSR Sculpture Symposium 6 week residency
- 1985 Art work featured in Design Section Comptons Encyclopedia
- 1975 1st Place Award - Handwoven Textile - Philadelphia School of Textiles Student Show

#### **Representation:**

1983-2016 Illinois Artisan's Shop, Chicago, IL

1983-1990 Ruth Volid Gallery, Chicago, IL