

## Rachel Castle Herzer

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### Education

- 2010 BFA with an emphasis in Painting  
Frostic School of Art, Western Michigan University  
*magna cum laude*
- 2010 BA in Music  
The School of Music, Western Michigan University

### Selected Honors and Grants

- 2017 Forum Speaker, International Women's Arts Forum, George Town Festival, George Town, Malaysia
- 2012 Artist in Residence, Gold Museum, Jinguashi, New Taipei City, Taiwan  
Artist in Residence and Grant, Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, VT  
Artist in Residence, The Living Gallery, Annmariie Sculpture Garden & Arts Center, Solomons, MD
- 2011 Arts Fund Award (Grant), Arts Council of Greater Kalamazoo, MI
- 2010 Painting Area Art Star Award, Frostic School of Art, Western Michigan University  
Kalamazoo Artist Development Initiative Grant, Arts Council of Greater Kalamazoo, MI  
Best of Show, Art(Raw)09 International Juried Competition  
Tackett Family Young Artist Award, Box Factory for the Arts, St. Joseph, MI  
Tuition Scholarship, Anderson Ranch, Aspen, CO  
Hallock Educational Enhancement Award for Painting and Photography, Frostic School of Art
- 2009 Frostic School of Art Enrichment Grant, Materials, Western Michigan University  
First Place Scholarship, Arts in Science Competition, Arts and Industry Council of Battle Creek, MI
- 2008 Angie Gayman Carmer Art Scholarship, Frostic School of Art, Western Michigan University

### Selected Exhibitions (\* solo shows marked by asterisk)

- 2017 *Space of Time*, International Women's Arts Exchange Program, Georgetown Festival, Malaysia  
*6 x 6*, Running With Scissors, Portland, ME  
*Spring for Women*, Running with Scissors, Portland, ME
- 2016: *International Women's Exhibit*, Gwang-Ju, South Korea
- 2012: Gold Museum, Jinguashi, New Taipei City, Taiwan  
*Free For All*, Space Gallery, Portland, ME

- The Living Gallery Exhibition*, Annmarie Sculpture Garden & Arts Center, Solomons, MD  
*UMVA Group Show*, Aucosisco Gallery, Portland, ME
- 2011: \* *SYMBOL*, Epic Center, Kalamazoo, MI  
*New Work from Maine*, Isaac Dyer Gallery, Gorham, ME  
\* *New Work by Rachel Castle Herzer*, Midtown Gallery, Kalamazoo, MI  
*West Michigan Area Show*, Juror: John Glick, Kalamazoo Institute of Arts, Kalamazoo, MI  
\* *Emergence: An Exploration of Disease*, CHHS Gallery, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI  
\* *Paintings by Rachel Castle*, Box Factory for the Arts, St. Joseph, MI
- 2011 *Regional Juried Arts Competition*, Carnegie Center for the Arts, Three Rivers, MI
- 2010: \* *Emergence: An Exploration of Disease*, DeVries Student Gallery, Frostic School of Art, Kalamazoo, MI  
*ArtPrize*, West Michigan Center for Arts and Technology, Grand Rapids, MI  
*Art(Raw)09 International Juried Competition*, Best of Show, Juror: Rod Bouc, Columbus Museum of Art  
*Michiana Area Arts Competition*, Young Artist Award, Box Factory for the Arts, St. Joseph, MI  
*WMU Annual Student Exhibition*, Juror: Kate Teale, Albertine Monroe-Brown Gallery, Frostic School of Art, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI  
*West Michigan Area Show*, Juror: Gladys Nilsson, Kalamazoo Institute of Arts, Kalamazoo, MI  
*Parallel Perspectives*, Juror: Sarah Nott, Lee Honors College, Kalamazoo, MI  
*WMU BFA and MFA Painting Show*, Saniwax Gallery, Park Trades Center, Kalamazoo, MI
- 2009: \* *Watercolors*, College of Engineering and Applied Sciences, WMU, Kalamazoo, MI  
*Opening Night Group Exhibition*, Starry Night Gallery, Allegan, MI  
*Regional Women in the Arts Juried Exhibition*, Kellogg Community College, Battle Creek, MI  
*Arts in Science Competition*, First Place, Arts and Industry Council of Battle Creek, MI  
*Crit-o-rama*, Urban Institute for Contemporary Art, Grand Rapids, MI
- 2008: *Time and Space*, Kohrman Galleries, Frostic School of Art, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI  
*WMU Annual Foundations Show*, DeVries Gallery, Frostic School of Art, WMU, Kalamazoo, MI

### **Public Collections**

College of Health and Human Services, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI