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EDUCATION

2002 M.F.A. SUNY Purchase, *Sculpture*, Purchase NY
1998 B.A. *Studio Art*, St. Olaf College, Northfield MN

AWARDS/GRANTS

2015 *EAF#15: Emerging Artist Fellowship*, Socrates Sculpture Park, LIC NY
2010 *LMCC Swing Space Grant*, Governors Island, NY
2007 *Projects '07*, Carriage House, Islip Museum, East Islip, NY
2006 *LMCC Swing Space Grant*, October 06 – February 07, NY
2005 *Marie Walsh Sharp Studio Program Grant* NY
2004 *Henry Street Settlement*, Artist-In-Residence Workspace Program, NY
2003 *Artist in the Market Place (AIM)*, The Bronx Museum of the Arts, Bronx NY
2000 *Open Book/Jerome Foundation Emerging Artist Commission*, Minneapolis MN
1999-1998 *Apprenticeship* in Studio Art (Internship), St. Olaf College, Northfield MN
Departmental Distinction for Studio Art, St. Olaf College, Northfield MN

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2010 *assembly required*. Frederieke Taylor Gallery, NY
2006 *Sculpture*. Frederieke Taylor Gallery, NY

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2015 *PULSE*, Miami 2015. Frederieke Taylor Gallery, NY.
EAF #15: Emerging Artist Fellowship Exhibition, 2015. Socrates Sculpture Park, LIC NY
Spatial Planes & Timeless Dimensions, Falcon Power Chelsea, NY.
Behind Doors and Through Windows: Reflections on Contemporary Domestic Life.
Curated by Shari Fischberg and Sally Spivack. Edward Hopper House Art Center,
Nyack NY.
2013 *Untitled Art Fair*, Miami. Frederieke Taylor Gallery, NY
2012 *Art Context*, Miami. Frederieke Taylor Gallery, NY
2011 *Broken Homes*. Curated by Eric Heist. Momenta Art, Brooklyn NY
2010 *AbstrACTION*. Curated by Dara Meyers-Kingsley. Arts Westchester, White Plains NY
10th Anniversary Invitational (Part II). Frederieke Taylor Gallery, NY
2009 *Almost Home*. curated by An Hoang, Frederieke Taylor Gallery, NY
2008 *Mapping Correspondence*. The Center for Book Arts, NY
Site 92: Phase II. Smack Mellon, Brooklyn, NY
2007 *Matriculations*. Bendheim Gallery, Greenwich Arts Council, CT
Projects 07. Islip Museum Carriage House, New York
Re-Structured. Andre Zarre Gallery, NY
2006 *Open Studio: Site Specific Project*. LMCC 32 Ave. of Americas, NY
Memory, Mapping, Meaning. Creative Arts Workshop, New Haven CT
2005 *Art of the Northeast 2005*. Silvermine Gallery, New Canaan CT
2004 *Open Studios*. Henry Street Settlement. Abrons Art Center, NY
Wood 04. The Richard & Dolly Maass Gallery, Purchase College, SUNY

- 2003 *foreign/domestic*. curated by Christine Darnell, Artspace, New Haven CT
AIM 23. The Bronx Museum of the Arts, Bronx NY
- 2002 *Once Over*. 323 West, NY
- 2000 *Harvest Place*. Kirsten Nelson and Brook Currier. Northfield Arts Guild Gallery, Northfield MN
A Tradition of Sculpture at St.Olaf. Steensland Gallery, St. Olaf College, Northfield MN
Minnesota Bleak. Nature or Nurture – Life in True North. CoVA, St. Paul MN
Consider the Twig. CoVA, St. Paul MN
- 1999 WARM 20th Annual Juried Exhibition for Women Artists. Intermedia Arts, Mpls MN

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- 2013 Joanne Mattera Art Blog. *Fair Well: Miami 101 (part 2) Untitled and Miami Project*.
www.joannemattera.blogspot.com. December 12, 2013
- 2010 Hodara, Susan. *Celebrating Artists Who Keep the Action in Abstraction*. The New York Times; Arts Westchester. May 7, 2010
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Green, Tyler. *Art in Miami: None of the above*, ArtsJournal.com. January 10.
- 2006 Adams, Shane. *Talking Shop with Frederieke Taylor Gallery; Chelsea Now*, Vol.One,
issue 14, December 29, 2006 – January 4
- 2003 Birke, Judy. *'Foreign/Domestic' presents the artist at home, where the familiar feels alien*.
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of the Arts, NY
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Nov./Dec. 2003, p.43
Brian Boucher. Review: *AIM 23 The Bronx Museum of the Arts*. Flash Art, Oct. 2003, p.57
Johnson, Ken. "From Small Sculptures to Glimpses of Signs, a Mix of Work in the Bronx."
The New York Times, August 15, 2003; Section E p.30
- 2000 Watts, Joan. " 'Harvest Place' arrives in plenty of time for fall." Northfield News. August 26,
2000
LeFevre, Camille. "Literary Art." Architecture Minnesota, Sept./Oct. 2000, pp.26-31
Tillotson, Kristin. "The Book Binders," Minneapolis Star Tribune. May 21, 2000.
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Catalogue, 2000, Steensland Art Museum Northfield MN

ARTIST TALKS

- 2016 Artist Lecture, St. Olaf College, January Interim in NYC, talk at Socrates Sculpture Park
- 2014 Brooklyn Arts Council, Artist Talk with Adam Brent, Kirsten Nelson and Traci Talasco.
In conjunction with *Rub Me the Wrong Way*, November 6, 2014.
- 2012 Artist Lecture, St. Olaf College, January Interim in NYC; Studio talk
- 2010 Artist Lecture, Purchase College Studio Visit, Governors Island, NY

- Artist Lecture, Westchester Community College, NY
- Artist Lecture, St. Olaf College, January Interim in NYC; Gallery talk
- 2007 Artist Lecture at LMCC Swing Space, NY
- 2006 Artist Lecture, St. Olaf College, January Interim in NYC; Studio talk
- 2005 Artist Lecture, St. Olaf College, January Interim in NYC; Studio talk
- 2004 Artist Lecture, St. Olaf College, January Interim in NYC; Studio talk
- 2003 Careers in the Arts, panel discussion, St. Olaf College, Northfield MN

CURATED PROJECTS

- 2015 *Interwoven: Prints and Process.* Richard & Dolly Maass Gallery, School of Art+Design, Purchase NY
- 2014 *Antonio Frasconi: Stand Up and Be Counted.* Richard & Dolly Maass Gallery, School of Art+Design, Purchase NY
- 2013 *Jan Groover, Formalism is Everything.* Co-curated by John Lehr and Kirsten Nelson. Richard & Dolly Maass Gallery, School of Art+Design, Purchase College, SUNY.
- 2011 *Nancy Bowen, Recent Sculptures and Drawings.* Richard & Dolly Maass Gallery, School of Art+Design, Purchase College, SUNY
- 2010 *David Schwarz Project 12: Danielle Tegeder.* Richard & Dolly Maass Gallery, School of Art+Design, Purchase College SUNY
- 2009 *Faculty Group Exhibition.* Richard & Dolly Maass Gallery, School of Art+Design, Purchase College SUNY
- David Schwarz Project 11: Clay Ketter.* Richard & Dolly Maass Gallery, School of Art+Design Purchase College, SUNY
- 2009 *Display/displace.* Brian Lund, Karl Nelson, Jennifer Perry, and Edwardo Santiere. The Flat Files, Frederieke Taylor Gallery NY
- David Schwarz Project 10: environment_manipulated.* Co-curated with Denise Mullen, Richard & Dolly Maass Gallery, School of Art+Design, Purchase College SUNY