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## **EDUCATION**

(College) Center for Creative Studies, Detroit MI, BFA Photo (High Honors), 1995

## **EXPERIENCE**

**1999-Present** Adjunct instructor, College for Creative Studies, Detroit MI  
**2010-Present** Freelance Fine Art Photographer  
**2016-2018** Photo Instructor Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center, Bloomfield MI  
**2013-2016** Lead Mentor Focus:HOPE Excel Photography Program, Detroit MI

## **AWARDS**

**2025** Finalist, Top 200 Photolucida Critical Mass  
**2024** Finalist, Top 200 Photolucida Critical Mass  
**2023** Finalist, Top 200 Photolucida Critical Mass  
**2023** Honorable Mention, 20th Julia Margaret Cameron Award  
(Category-Digital Manipulation)  
**2020** Honorable Mention, Scarab Club Annual Exhibition of Contemporary Photography,  
Detroit MI, Juried by Tom Stoye  
**2019** Honorable Mention, 14th Julia Margaret Cameron Award  
(Category-Digital Manipulation)  
**2019** 2nd Place, Scarab Club Annual Exhibition of Contemporary Photography, Detroit MI,  
Juried by Amy Sacka  
**2016** Honorable Mention, International Photography Awards - Family of Man Show  
New York, NY  
**2015** Finalist, 7th Annual Julia Margaret Cameron Award (Category-Children)  
**2014** Gold Medal, San Francisco International, Juried by Paula Tognarelli  
**2013** Finalist, Top 200 Photolucida Critical Mass  
**2013** Invited Participant, Review Santa Fe  
**2012** Juror's Finalist, Grand Prix De Decouverte, Paris France  
**2012** Honorable Mention, International Photography Awards - New York NY  
**2012** Grand Prize and Juror's Selection recognition by American Photographer,  
Mary Ellen Mark, who served as juror in the Professional Women Photographers International  
Juried Exhibition, New York NY

## **SHOWS**

**2026** Hatchback, Hatch Gallery, Hamtramck MI, Juried by Scott Northrup

**2025** Composing Detroit, Playground Detroit, Juried by Brian Day  
**2023** Poetic Storytelling, Praxis Gallery, Minneapolis MN  
**2022** The Power of Color, Within Sight Gallery, Chicago IL, Juried by Jane Fulton Alt  
**2019** Immigrantopolis, Krakow Poland, Curator, Łukasz Trzciński  
**2018** Scarab Club Exhibition "Under" Detroit MI, Juried by Jeanne Bieri  
**2017** F-Stop online exhibition "Color"  
**2016** 4th Biennial of Fine Art and Documentary Photography, Berlin Germany  
**2016** Detroit Biennial with Jerry Saltz MONA, North Armada MI  
**2015** Secrets and Stories, PhotoPlace Gallery , Middlebury VT, Juried by Kirsten Hoving and Emma Powell  
**2015** 313: 7 by Seven, Boll YMCA, Detroit MI  
**2013** Time, DCCP, Detroit MI, Juried by Bill Schwab  
**2013** The Family Show, DCCP, Detroit MI, Juried by Aline Smithsonian  
**2012** PWP International Women's Juried Exhibition, .NO Gallery, Manhattan NY Juried by Mary Ellen Mark

### **SOLO/GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

**2024** Group Exhibition "The Art of Healing" dk Gallery, Marietta GA Owner/Curator Donna Krueger / Georgia Hospice and Palliative Care Organization  
**2024** Group Exhibition "Photo Fusion" dk Gallery, Marietta GA Owner/Curator Donna Krueger  
**2024** Solo Exhibition "Reclaiming Your Outside Voice" University of Cincinnati, Clermont/ Foto Focus Biennial  
**2023** Group Exhibition "The Singular Image" Hatch, Hamtramck MI Owner/Curator Chris Schneider  
**2023** Group Exhibition "Yes, But is it Art?" Studio Kroner, Cincinnati OH Owner/Curator Paul Kroner  
**2019** Group Exhibition "Here Today" Center for Photography at Woodstock NY Director/ Curator Hannah Frieser  
**2017** Group Exhibition "Nature/Nurture" Salisbury University Art Galleries, MD Director/ Curator Elizabeth Kauffman  
**2014** Solo Exhibition "The SPACE Between the Cracks" Museum of Photography and New Media, Troy MI Director Jef Bourgeau Curator Jessica Hopkins

### **PUBLICATIONS/SPEAKING**

**2025** Bold Journey Magazine - Meet Judi Bommarito  
**2024** Embracing Renewal & Release - Healing Cards from Maiden to Crone - Flower of Life Press  
**2024** Detroit Public Radio "The Metro"  
**2023** NPR Cincinnati June Edition  
**2022** Common Ground Issue 1 - Borderline Press  
**2021** Investigating in Infrastructure - Subjectively Objective Press  
**2020** Manifest International Photography Annual 7 (INPHA)

**2019** Immigrantopolis - Editor and Curator Anna Firn - Department of Sociology of Culture  
Pedagogical University of Krakow, Poland

**2018** Obscura Land - Volume 1: Detroit - Subjectively Objective Press

**2015** Stories and Secrets PhotoPlace Gallery, Middlebury VT

**2012** 30 by 30 Blog series by 30 Women Contemporary Photographers

**2012** Featured Article in Imprints magazine for professional women photographers

**2002** Polaroid Manipulations by Kathleen Thormod Carr

### **ONLINE FEATURES**

**2021** Lens Culture - Editor's Choice

**2021** Harvard Graduate School of Design - Future of the American City

**2018** Underexposed Magazine - Online magazine dedicated to female photographers

**2018** Ain't Bad - Independent publisher of new photographic art

### **LECTURES**

**2024** The Art of Healing - dk Gallery, Marietta GA

**2024** Reclaiming Your Outside Voice - University of Cincinnati, Clermont OH

**2023** Reclaiming Your Outside Voice - Brooke Shaden's Promoting Passion Conference,  
Atlanta GA

### **CURATOR/PARTICIPANT**

**2024** AI and the Creator - Is it Art? Hatch Art, Hamtramck MI