

CV

Hannah Kathleen McMaster

Lives and works in Chicago, Illinois

EDUCATION

BFA, Print Media and Photography, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, 2016

RECENT EXHIBITIONS

27th Evanston + Vicinity Biennial

Evanston Art Center, Evanston, IL

August 23, 2025 – September 21, 2025

33rd Annual International Small Print Show

Chicago Printmakers Collaborative, Chicago, IL

December 3, 2022 – February 11, 2023

Plate, Pulp, Pressure

Gallery 2052, Chicago IL

January 30 – March 7, 2020

Knot Sum

The Martin, Chicago, IL

June 12 – June 20, 2019

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Lillstreet Art Center, Chicago, IL

2018 – Present

- *Introduction to Relief Printmaking*
5 week classes for adults covering the fundamentals of relief printmaking, from materials and tools to techniques like hand printing and reduction carving. Demonstrations include chine-collé and color theory.
- *Advanced Beginning Relief Printmaking*
10 week classes for adults that expand upon basic relief printmaking skills. Demonstrations include multi-layer registration, jigsaw cuts, collagraph, and reduction carving.
- *Printing with the Sun: Cyanotypes*
3 hour cyanotype workshops for adults exploring the history and process of alternative photography. Demonstrations include digital negatives, exposure step tests, and toning baths.

SkyArt, Chicago, IL

June 2017

- *Cyanotype Workshop*
3 hour workshops for elementary and middle school students with presensitized paper, emphasizing creative composition with found objects and the science of photographic chemistry.

Have Company, Grand Rapids, MI

July 2014

- *Cyanotype Workshop*

3 hour cyanotype workshop for adults exploring the history and process of alternative photography. Demonstrations include chemistry application, exposure step tests, and toning baths.

AAUW Creative Arts Workshop, Camarillo, CA

July 2010 – 2012

- *Fun With Clay*

Daily ceramics summer camp for a period of three consecutive weeks for elementary school students. Weeks 1 and 2 covered handbuilding and wheel throwing, respectively, reserving the final week for glaze treatments. Demonstrations and projects included pinch pots, coil pots, rattles, score and slip attachments, textured slabs, wheel-thrown cups and bowls, and masks.

ARTS ADMINISTRATION

Galleries

Catherine Edelman Gallery, Chicago, IL

March 2017 – January 2019

Gallery Assistant

- Improved accuracy of database and website inventory of over 50 artists
- Developed public programming relevant to exhibition schedule as part of overall marketing strategy, resulting in over 100 new prospective collectors
- Discrete customer service assisting clients, artists, estates, and consultant relationships
- First point of contact for all visitors, deliveries, and phone calls

Lillstreet Art Center, Chicago, IL

December 2015 – February 2017

Class Advisor and Gallery Assistant

- Reconciled inventory of over 40 ceramic and print artists, streamlining consignments for sale on new gallery website
- Regular packing, shipping, receiving, install, and turnover of 6+ exhibitions each year, in addition to managing baseline shop inventory
- Amplified social media strategy including redesigned email newsletter for a subscriber base of 20,000+

Art Fairs

Art Miami 2018, Miami, FL. December 4–9, 2018. Edelman Gallery

EXPO Chicago 2018, Chicago, IL. September 27–30, 2018. Edelman Gallery

EXPO Chicago 2017, Chicago, IL. September 14–17, 2017. Edelman Gallery

NCECA Expo, Kansas City, MO. March 16–19, 2016. Lillstreet Gallery

ALUMNI / EXTRA CURRICULAR

EcoShip, Associate Board Member, Present

Chicago Printers Guild Member, Present

Chroma Printmaking Residency, Albuquerque, NM 2025

Lynchpin Press, Santa Fe, NM 2024

Spudnik Press Member, Chicago, IL 2018

Have Company Residency, Grand Rapids, MI 2016

Buenaventura Art Association, Ventura CA 2012

Ryman Arts Education, Los Angeles, CA 2010

EXAMPLE STUDENT WORK
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FUN WITH CLAY CERAMICS CAMP
AGES 8 - 12 / 2010 - 2012
AAUW Creative Arts Workshop
Camarillo, CA



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RELIEF PRINTMAKING / 2018 - 2026

Lillstreet Art Center
Chicago, IL



EXAMPLE PARTICIPANT WORK

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CYANOTYPE WORKSHOPS / 2017 - 2026

Usal, Lillstreet Art Center, SkyArt,
Avondale Gardening Alliance
Chicago, IL