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**Solo Exhibitions**

- 2020 *'Artist in Residence'*, Oxford Hotel, Denver, Colorado, Curator: Gertie Harris
- 2019 *'In Process'*, Azusa Pacific University, Azusa, California  
Bavarian Motors, Englewood, Colorado
- 2016 Aurora Cultural Arts District Studios and Galleries (ACAD), Aurora, Colorado  
*'The Adam Series'*, Grace College, Winona Lake, Indiana, Curator: Kim Reiff
- 2015 Royal Contemporary Gallery, Florence, Colorado, Curator: Lisa Steele, Royal Contemporary  
Gallery
- 2014 Fox Theatre, Aurora, Colorado
- 2013 Aurora Cultural Arts District Studios and Galleries (ACAD) Gallery, Aurora, Colorado
- 2012 1400 Dallas Gallery, Aurora, Colorado
- 2009 *'Transformations'*, MFA Exhibit, Azusa Pacific University, Azusa, California
- 2000 Northwest Nazarene University, Christians in the Visual Arts, Regional Conference, Juror: Titus  
Cutter,, Department Chair, Northwest Nazarene University, Nampa, Idaho
- 1998 *'Stations of the Cross'*, Colorado Christian University, Lakewood, Colorado, Curator: Roger  
Chandler, Department Chair, Colorado Christian University
- 1996 Dominion Plaza, Denver, Colorado, Juror: Andra Archer

**Selected Exhibitions**

- 2020 *'Pressing Matter'*, Payge Gallery, Denver, Colorado, Curator: Jenn Malkasian and Kat Payge  
*'Many Voices, One Message: Art'*, D'art Gallery, Denver, Colorado, Curator: Tara Kelley-Cruz
- 2019 *'Simply Small'*, D'art Gallery, Denver, Colorado, Curator: Lori Dresner  
*'Members' Show'*, D'art Gallery, Denver, Colorado, Curator: Kim Roberts  
Peak to Peak Brewery, Aurora, Colorado
- 2018-2019 Campbell Litigation, Denver, Colorado, Curator: International Art Movement, Los Angeles,  
California  
*Contemporary Encaustic Works*, Art Students League of Denver, Denver, Colorado, Curator:  
Victoria Eubanks  
*Blurring the Boundaries: Abstraction*, Longmont, Colorado, Juror: Collin Parsons
- 2017-2018 *Through the Iris*, Traveling Exhibit, USA: Grace College, Winona Lake, Indiana, Indiana  
Wesleyan, Marion, Indiana, Mary-Hardin Baylor, Benton, Texas, George Fox University,  
Newberg, Oregon, Azusa Pacific University, Azusa, California, Curators: Sandra Bowen, Past  
President of Christians in the Visual Arts, William Catling, Azusa Pacific University MFA  
Program Designer

- 2017 A-Town Arts, Stanley Marketplace, Aurora, Colorado, Curator: Tracy Weil, Director Aurora Cultural Arts District
- 2015 *Wax Stories*, Niza Knoll Gallery, Denver, Colorado, Juror: Collin Parsons, Curators: Patricia Aaron and Victoria Eubanks  
*Members' Show*, Aurora Cultural Arts District (ACAD) Gallery and Studios, Aurora, Colorado  
*Push*, POINT Gallery, Denver, Colorado, Curators: Michael W. Vacchiano and Frank V. Martinez
- 2014 *Encaustic Show*, The Donna Moravec Gallery, Denver, Colorado, Curator: Shanda Plock  
*The Cloud Show*, Aurora Cultural Arts District (ACAD) Gallery, Aurora, CO  
*Surface*, Space Gallery, Denver, Colorado, Curator: Jo Marks Aardsma  
*Fusion V*, Space Gallery, Denver, Colorado, Curator: Carlene Frances
- 2013 *Fusion*, Encausticon Conference, Eggman and Walrus Gallery, Santa Fe, New Mexico, Juror: Bonny Leibowitz  
*Spring Members' Show*, 1400 Dallas, Aurora, CO  
*Faculty Exhibit*, Community College of Denver, Emanuel Gallery, Denver, Colorado
- 2012 *'Paperworks'*, Space Gallery, Denver, Colorado, Curator: Michael Burnett  
The Collection Gallery, Aurora, CO, Curator: Satya Wimbish, Gallery Director  
*'Retrospective Group Exhibition'*, Space Gallery, Denver, Colorado, Curator: Michael Burnett, owner, Space Gallery  
*'Community College of Aurora Faculty Exhibit'*, The Donna Moravec Gallery, Denver, Colorado
- 2011 *'Poetic Synthesis'*, The Lowry Gallery, Community College of Aurora, Denver, Colorado  
*'The Resident Artist's Show'*, The Other Side Arts, Aurora, Colorado  
*'The Women's Show'*, The Other Side Arts, Denver, Colorado  
*'Community College of Aurora Faculty Exhibit'*, The Lowry Gallery, Denver, Colorado  
*'The Other Side Arts Members' Show'*, The Other Side Arts, Aurora, Colorado  
*'Fusion IV'*, Space Gallery, Denver, Colorado, Curator: Carlene Frances  
*'Fluxface in Space'*, Flux Museum, Ft. Worth, Texas
- 2010 *'Community College of Aurora Faculty Exhibit'*, The Other Side Arts, Aurora, Colorado  
*'Fluxface in Space'*, Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, Illinois  
*'A Book About Death'*, MUBE, San Paulo, Brazil
- 2009 *'The Other Side Arts, Members Show'*, Denver, Colorado  
*'Transformations'*, Azusa Pacific University, Azusa, California  
*'Community College of Aurora Faculty Exhibit'*, The Other Side Arts, Aurora, Colorado
- 2008 *'Community College of Aurora Faculty Exhibit'*, The Other Side Arts, Aurora, Colorado  
*'One, Two, Three'*, Azusa Pacific University, Azusa, California
- 2007 *'Community College of Aurora Faculty Exhibit'*, The Other Side Arts, Aurora, Colorado  
*'Bountiful Harvest'*, Azusa Pacific University, Azusa, California
- 2006 *'First Fruits'*, Azusa Pacific University, Azusa, California  
*'Megmaphonics: Stones, Feathers, and Bones'*, The Other Side Arts, Aurora, Colorado
- 2003 *'Parable'*, Christian Fine Arts Association, Littleton, Colorado
- 2002 *'It Is Finished... Hallelujah!'*, Christian Fine Arts Association, Littleton, Colorado
- 2000 *'Stations of the Cross'*, Doan College, Lincoln, Nebraska  
*'20/20 Intaglio Portfolio'*, Christians in the Visual Arts, Wenham, Massachusetts  
*'Exploring the Icon'*, Christian Fine Arts Association, Littleton, Colorado

- 1999 *'Koinonia'*, Northwest Nazarene University, Nampa, Idaho  
*'Passion and Suffering'*, Christian Fine Arts Association, Littleton, Colorado  
*'Contemporary Works of Faith, '99'*, Columbus, Ohio
- 1998 *'A Show of Our Own'*, Women's Art Center and Gallery, Denver, Colorado
- 1997 *'And The Word Became Flesh'*, Christian Fine Art Association, Littleton, Colorado  
*'Found Objects'*, Women's Art Center and Gallery, Denver, Colorado
- 1996 *'Art Happenings '96'*, Littleton, Colorado  
*'Containers, Reliquaries, and Altars'*, Core Gallery, Denver, Colorado
- 1995 *'Light Out of Darkness'*, Boulder Library, Boulder, Colorado  
*'Sacred Arts'*, Wheaton College, Wheaton, Illinois

## **Galleries**

- 2014-2016 Royal Contemporary, Florence, Colorado  
 POINT Gallery, Denver, Colorado
- 2010-2011 Enso Gallery, Denver, Colorado
- 1999-2001 Canaan Gallery, Littleton, Colorado

## **Bibliography**

- 2010 Fusion IV, A Collection of Art and Poetry
- 2004 First Fruits – A Compilation of Art, AdLib Christian Arts
- 1999 The Columbus Dispatch
- 1995 Christianity and the Arts Magazine
- 1994 Mars Hill Review

## **Collections**

- Biblical Art Center Museum – 20/20 Portfolio, Dallas, Texas  
 Billy Graham Center Museum – 20/20 Portfolio, Wheaton, Illinois

## **Lectures**

- 2000 Christians in the Visual Arts, Regional Conference, Keynote Speaker and Juror, Northwest Nazarene University, Nampa, ID

## **Teaching**

- 2015 Beginning and Intermediate Encaustic Workshop, Florence, Colorado  
 Community College of Denver: Substitute Instructor: Drawing I, Figure Drawing  
 Various acrylic, drawing, encaustic workshops and classes
- 2010, 2013 Community College of Denver: Adjunct Instructor: Classes Taught: Drawing I
- 2001-2012 Community College of Aurora: Adjunct Instructor

Classes Taught: Drawing I-IV, Painting I-IV, Visual Concepts 2-D Design, Advanced 2-D Design, Figure Drawing I, Advanced Figure Drawing, Art Appreciation, Art History I, II, Art Since 1900, Survey of Humanities I, II, Gallery Management

## **Related Experience**

2016-Present The Art Shoppe, Manager, Aurora, Colorado  
2015 Royal Contemporary Gallery, Florence, Colorado, Contemporary Encaustic, 2015, co-juror  
2013-2015 The Art Shoppe, Manager, Aurora, Colorado  
2010 City of Aurora, Aurora, Colorado, Employee and Family Art Show, Juror  
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2011-2012 Donna Moravec Gallery (The Lowry Gallery), Community College of Aurora, Denver, Colorado, Gallery, Manager/Installation Coordinator/Faculty Exhibit Coordinator  
2008-2012 Community College of Aurora, Aurora, Colorado, Exhibition Coordinator  
2007 Community College of Aurora, Aurora, Colorado, Art Club Sponsor  
2006-2007 Community College of Aurora, Aurora, Colorado, Arts Camp, Hinkley High School  
2003 Community College of Aurora, Aurora, Colorado, 'How I Learned to Drive', Props Mistress  
2003-2004 Community College of Aurora, Aurora, Colorado, Faculty of the Year Committee  
2002 Community College of Aurora, Aurora, Colorado, 'Cabaret' Props Mistress, Costuming  
1999-2001 Canon Gallery, Gallery Assistant, Littleton, Colorado  
1998 Christian Home Educators of Colorado Student Art Competition, Denver, Colorado, Gr. 3-12, Juror  
1998 Metro League Student Art Show, High School Art Competition, Denver, Colorado, Juror  
1996 Art Happenings '96, Littleton, Colorado, Planning Committee, Juror  
1995, 1999 ASCI Student Art Competition, Denver, Colorado, Juror  
1995-1996 Solid Rock Enrichment Programs, Aurora, Colorado, K-12 Art Instructor  
1993-2004 Christian Fine Arts Association, Aurora, Colorado, Founder, Director, Board Member  
1992 Colorado Free University, Denver, Colorado, Art Instructor  
1989-1993 Heritage Christian Center, Denver, Colorado, Muralist, Art Director, Costumer, Choreographer (various plays)

## **Education**

2009 Azusa Pacific University, Azusa, CA: Master of Fine Arts  
1982 Colorado State University, Ft. Collins, CO: Bachelor of Fine Arts: Printmaking, Lithography  
1980 Arapahoe Community College, Littleton, CO: Associate of Arts

## **Continuing Education Workshops**

2003 The Glen Workshop/Image Journal: Makoto Fujimura, St. John's College, Santa Fe, NM  
2002 The Glen Workshop/Image Journal: Erica Grimm-Vance, St. John's College, Santa Fe, NM  
1999 The Glen Workshop/Image Journal: Mary McCleary, St. John's College, Santa Fe, NM

Artist Residencies

2019 Azusa Pacific University: Alumni Artist in Residence, Azusa, California