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Education

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

2003 - 2005

Master of Fine Arts, Fibers

EARLHAM COLLEGE

1995 - 1999

Bachelor of Arts, Studio Art

Exhibitions

- Between: Layering Context & Perception in Patchwork Jelinek, Savannah, GA 2016
VOLUME Quirk Gallery, Richmond, VA
Impact Foundry Art Centre, Saint Charles, MO
Contemporary Southern Fiber Blue Spiral 1, Asheville, NC
Fiberart International 2016 Pittsburgh Center for the Arts, Pittsburgh, PA
Maximum Craft Signature Contemporary Craft, Atlanta, GA
The Scent of Rain on Dry Earth Detroit Artists Market, Detroit, MI
The Penland School of Craft Series Central Piedmont Community College - Levine, Charlotte, NC
- Threads Merzbau Gallery, Miami, FL 2015
G|R|A|Y|S|C|A|L|E 5 & J Gallery, Lubbock, TX
I Come to You in Pieces The Alice Gallery, Seattle, WA
Summer Show Light, Art + Design, Chapel Hill, NC
PanXiu Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA
2015 Instructor Exhibition Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts, Gatlinburg, TN
Structure Blue Spiral 1, Asheville, NC
Rachel Meginnes/Susan Harbage Page: Recent Work Light, Art + Design, Chapel Hill, NC
Intertwined: Contemporary Southeastern Fiber Art Fiber Arts Alliance, Atlanta, GA
- Calibrate Campfire Gallery, San Francisco, CA 2014
Penland Resident Artist Exhibition S. Tucker Cooke Gallery, UNC, Asheville, NC
Fail-Safe: Discomforts at Home Hap Gallery, Portland, OR
Re-Imagining Paper and Fiber - International Invitational Wailoa Arts & Cultural Center, Hilo, HI
Grow Light, Art + Design, Chapel Hill, NC
Mnēmonikos: Art of Memory in Contemporary Textiles Fashion Gallery, Hong Kong, China
Legacy, Tradition, Reinvention: Penland Resident Artists Turchin Center for the Arts, Boone, NC
Fail-Safe: Discomforts at Home Craft Alliance, St. Louis, MO
New X3 Blue Spiral 1, Asheville, NC
Heuristic The Brink Gallery, Missoula, MT
- The Barns Studios: 2013 Asheville Area Arts Council, Asheville, NC 2013
Stitch Light, Art + Design, Chapel Hill, NC
Mnēmonikos: Art of Memory in Contemporary Textiles Jim Thompson Art Center, Bangkok, Thailand
Penland Artists II Light, Art + Design, Chapel Hill, NC

Exhibitions (Continued)

Flour & Feed The Mill, San Francisco, CA	2013
In the Mind's Eye The Marietta/Cobb Museum of Art, Marietta, GA	
Fiberart International 2013 Fiberarts Guild, Pittsburgh, PA	
Breaking Ground: Innovative Craft Handmade in America, Asheville, NC	
Pulled Thread Leeds Gallery, Richmond, IN	
BAM Biennial 2012: High Fiber Diet Bellevue Arts Museum, Bellevue, WA	2012
Seeing Stars Campfire Gallery, San Francisco, CA	
The Art of Fiber Exhibition Workhouse Arts Center, Lorton Arts Foundation, Lorton, VA	2011
The Art of Saeggan Swanson, Anne Scallon & Rachel Meginnes Flipp Interiors, San Francisco, CA	

Curated Exhibitions

At Work: Penland School of Crafts Leeds Gallery, Earlham College, IN	2016
Excite - An Exhibit of Contemporary Textile Art Mary Cornwall Gallery, HCC, Clyde, NC	2014

Collections

Joseph L. Brady Collection Denver, NC
Fidelity Bank Raleigh, NC
Cameron Art Museum Wilmington, NC
Capitol Broadcasting Company Durham, NC

Artist Lectures

Artistic Pursuit Haywood Community College, Clyde, NC	2016
Artistic Process Earlham College, Richmond, IN	2015
Excite Haywood Community College, Clyde, NC	2014
Evolution of Process The Textile Society, Asheville, NC	
Penland Visiting Artist Kenan Institute for the Arts, UNCSCA, Winston - Salem, NC	
The Plainweave Thread Maiwa, Vancouver, BC Canada	2013
Pulled Thread Earlham College, Richmond, IN	
Excite, Haywood Community College, Clyde, NC	

Residencies

Penland Winter Writing Residency 1 - Week, Penland School of Crafts, Penland, NC	2017
Penland Resident Artist Three years, Penland School of Crafts, Penland, NC	2012 - 2015
Pentaculum Residency 1 - Week, Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts, Gatlinburg, TN	2015
Artist Residency 2 - Weeks, Glen Arbor Art Association, Glen Arbor, MI	2011
Artist Residency 1 - Month, Jentel Foundation, Banner, WY	

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Teaching Experience

Workshop Instructor Penland School of Crafts, Penland, NC	2016
• The Thread Between 8 - Week Fiber and Drawing Workshop	
Workshop Instructor Haywood Community College, Clyde, NC	
• Studio Practice Weekend Workshop	
Workshop Instructor Penland School of Crafts, Penland, NC	
• Core Fellow Seminar 1 - Week Interdisciplinary Workshop	
Visiting Assistant Professor Department of Art, Earlham College, Richmond, IN	2015 - 2016
• Weaving I, Art Cloth I, Drawing I Fall Semester Courses	
• History of Craft, Art & Entrepreneurship Spring Semester Courses	
Workshop Instructor Haystack Mountain School of Crafts, Deer Isle, ME	2015
• Triple Knot 2 - Week Embroidery Workshop	
Workshop Instructor Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts, Gatlinburg, TN	
• Artistic Practice 1 - Week Interdisciplinary Workshop	
Workshop Instructor Heart of Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA	2014
• Art After School 1 - Week Fibers, Drawing, and Design Workshop	
Workshop Instructor Kenan Institute for the Arts, Winston - Salem, NC	
• High School Arts Two 3 - Hour Fibers and Drawing Workshops	
Workshop Instructor Penland School of Crafts, Penland, NC	2013
• Core Fellow Seminar 8 - Week Professional Practices Class	
Workshop Instructor Maiwa, Vancouver, BC Canada	
• Creative Fabrication 4 - Day Fibers and Drawing Workshop	
Workshop Instructor Penland School of Crafts, Penland, NC	
• Altered Structures 1 - Week Fibers Workshop	

Articles

A Tradition of Innovation WNC Magazine, Brian Barth	2015
• http://www.wncmagazine.com/feature/a_tradition_of_innovation	
Evolving the Cloth Surface Design Journal, Kathryn Gremley	2014
• www.plainweavestudios.com/about/	
Rachel Meginnes' Captivating, Transformed Textiles American Craft Council, Daniele Maestretti	2013
• http://craftcouncil.org/post/rachel-meginnes-captivating-transformed-textiles	

Awards

JRA Chrysalis Award in Fiber- Honorable Mention	2015
James Renwick Alliance	

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