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Selected Exhibition Record

*denotes solo exhibition

2020 FW Gallery, Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Art in the Library. Plano Public Library. Plano, Texas.

Now | Contemporary 2020. The Art Room. Fort Worth, Texas.

**Organic Geometry.* Lakeview Gallery. Tarrant County College, Northwest. Fort Worth, Texas.

2019 *TAC Impromptu Invitational.* Fall Gallery Night 2019, Fort Worth Community Arts Center, Fort Worth, Texas.

Conduit (ENVISION Art Show). Frisco Art Gallery.

2015 *Materialities: Contemporary Textile Arts.* Surface Design Association. Members Juried Exhibition.

2014-5 *Sculptural Felt International.* A curated traveling exhibit of artists from around the globe who work with felt. <http://www.alligt.nl/sculptural-felt-international.html>

2013 *Warming Huts.* An Art and Architecture Competition on Ice. Selected artist with aamodt/plumb architects for a collaborative winning proposal to build a warming hut. Assiniboine Credit Union River Trail (ACURT), on the Assiniboine River, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada. <http://www.warminghuts.com>.

2012 *Faculty Show.* ARTS Gallery; Collin College; Plano, TX.

Selected artist for the Parade of Giants; Margaret Hunt Hill Bridge; Dallas, Texas

2011 *Faculty Show.* UNT Art Gallery; University of North Texas; Denton, TX

Derivatives – Origins of Geometry. Museum of Geometric and MAD! Art; Dallas, TX
Curator: Vincent Falsetta

**Connections and Bridges.* West Gallery, Jaycee Park Center for the Arts; Irving, TX

**Vertebrael Dance.* UNT Union Gallery; University of North Texas; Denton, TX

2010 *Faculty Show.* UNT Art Gallery; University of North Texas; Denton, TX

**Spring Open Studio;* Art Hotel Gallery; Dallas, TX

- Water Art; Selected Faculty Works.* UNT on the Square; Denton TX
Curator: Annette Lawrence
- 2009 *Natural Lines.* Fiber Art Alliance; Omaha, NE
Curator: Karen Steihl Osborn
- Faculty Show.* UNT Art Gallery; University of North Texas; Denton, TX
- 2008 *Faculty Show.* UNT Art Gallery; University of North Texas; Denton, TX
- *Standing Reserve.* Cora Stafford Gallery; University of North Texas; Denton, TX
M.F.A. thesis solo exhibition
- H2omg! Professional Practices exhibit.* Ft. Worth Community Art Center; Ft. Worth, TX
Curator: Don Schol
- Annual Voertman's Student Art Competition.* UNT Art Gallery; University of North Texas; Denton, TX
Juror: Charles Wylie, The Lupe Murchison Curator of Contemporary Art; Dallas Museum of Art; Dallas, TX
- 6+1: Women of Distinction.* Union Gallery; University of North Texas; Denton, TX
Curator: Rene Muhl
- 32nd Annual Student Art Competition.* Union Gallery; University of North Texas; Denton, TX
Juror: Thomas Feulmer, Director of Educational Programming; The Rachofsky House; Dallas, TX
- 2007 *Fiber Exhibition.* Lightwell Gallery; University of North Texas; Denton, TX.
Jurors: Amie Adelman and Lesli Robertson
- Member Show.* Dallas Contemporary; Dallas, TX
- 2006 *Small Works II.* The Ayers Loft Gallery; Lowell, MA
Juror: Maxine Farkas
- Scratching the Surface.* Texas Federation of Fiber Artists, Bi-Annual Exhibition; San Antonio, TX. Juror: Jane Sauer
- Miniature Art Textiles.* Third International Exhibition; Toms River, NJ and Dallas, TX
Curator: Joanie San Chirico
- 2005 *Member Show.* McKinney Avenue Contemporary; Dallas, TX
- Common Thread.* Phoenix Gallery; New York, NY
Jurors: Jason Pollen, Jan Myers-Newbury
- Miniature Art Textiles.* Second International Exhibition; Toms River, NJ
Curator: Joanie San Chirico

Fiber Art of Central New York. Exhibit and Artist's Talk; Avenue Art Gallery; Endicott, NY
Curator: James M. Kinne

Fiber Revolution. Crafts for Living Gallery; Philadelphia, PA
Juror: Kevan Lunney

Fiber Revolution: Fiber as Art. Belskie Museum of Art & Science; Closter, NJ
Curator: Martha Sielman

Fiber Revolution. CHIP Center, University of Connecticut; Hartford, CT
Curator: Martha Sielman

2004 *Quilts=Art=Quilts.* Schweinfurth Memorial Art Center; Auburn, NY
Juror: Robert Shaw

Artists Invitational. Zimmerli Art Museum; Rutgers University; New Brunswick, NJ
Curator: Kevan Lunney

Spencertown Academy Arts Center Invitational Exhibit. Spencertown, NY
Curator: Mary Anne Lee

Fiber Art on Cape Cod. Blue Heron Gallery; Wellfleet, MA
Juror: Roy Thurston

Small Fiber Work., Main Street Gallery; Groton, NY
Juror: Adrienne Bea Smith

Tribute to Fiber Art. Apex Gallery; Washington, DC
Jurors: Gallery Director, Jodi Walsh

Fine Focus '04. Traveling exhibit of 50 fiber artworks.
Juror: Kim Ritter

Fiber Revolution. Slater Memorial Museum; Norwich, CT
Curator: Kevan Lunney

Fiber Art of Central New York. Avenue Art Gallery; Binghamton, NY
Curator: James M. Kinne

Local Artists Juried Show. Exhibit and Artist's Talk; State of the Art Gallery; Ithaca, NY
Juror: Elisabeth Gross-Marks

Fiber Revolution: Expressions in Textiles. Gateway Community College; New Haven, CT
Curator: Elizabeth Poole

Fiber Revolution. Brookdale Gallery, Center for Visual Arts; Summit, NJ
Curator: Judy Cuddihee

Fiber Revolution Exhibit. CHIP Center; University of Connecticut; Hartford, CT
Curator: Martha Sielman

Education

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| M.S.L.S. | School of Library and Information Service University of North Texas; Denton, TX |
| M.F.A – Studio Art | College of Visual Arts and Design University of North Texas; Denton, TX |
| B.S. – Art Education | University of Oklahoma; Norman, OK |

Grants and Fellowships

2008 Surface Design Association; Personal Development Grant

2006 Scholarship for Graduate Study; HMS Art Supply, Denton, TX

2003 Artist Residency, Constance Saltonstall Foundation for the Arts; Ithaca, NY

Bibliography

Donofrio, Amber. "Celebrating 15 Years of the Quilt Divas". *Ithaca Times*. July 8, 2016.
http://www.ithaca.com/entertainment/art/celebrating-yrs-of-the-quilt-divas/article_03410e12-43b6-11e6-81c4-6b9b6582f72f.html

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Sculptural Felt International, a Catalog. An International Traveling Felt Exhibition. 2014.

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<http://camplinart.blogspot.com/2011/07/rebecca-howdeshell.html>

"SDA Matters – Rebecca Howdeshell is Grant Winner." *SDA Newsletter*. Winter 2008.

Stabb, Jo Ann C. "Breaking New Ground" *Surface Design Journal*. September 2006: 59.

Professional & Community Service

2012 Selected artist for the Parade of Giants
(http://blogs.dallasobserver.com/unfairpark/2012/03/massive_puppets_of_west_dallas.php)
March 3, 2012

2010 – 2011- Juror for the Texas Education Association State-wide Art Exhibition (VASE);
Dallas, TX

2009 Juror and judge for Lewisville City-wide High School Art Exhibition; Lewisville, TX

2005 Instructor and developer of classes for yearly retreat; Arts Magnet High School;
Dallas, TX

Exhibitions Curated

2010 *Design Core: Study in 2D*; Lightwell Gallery; College of Visual Art and Design;
University of North Texas; Denton, TX

2009 *Exhibition of student work by Rebecca Howdeshell, Mary Becker, Trish Igo*; North
Gallery; College of Visual Art and Design; University of North Texas; Denton, TX

2008 *Exhibition of 2D Design Core Student Work*; Lightwell Gallery; College of Visual Art and
Design; University of North Texas; Denton, TX.