

RESUME

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EDUCATION

M.F.A. - School for American Craftsmen, Rochester Institute
of Technology
B.A. - California State University, Long Beach
Other - Cleveland Art Institute
Pond Farm Pottery
Haystack Mountain School

TEACHING APPOINTMENTS

1988-91 Westlake School, Los Angeles, CA
✓ 1983-91 Glendale College, Glendale, CA
✓ 1988 California State University, Fullerton, CA
✓ 1987-88 Pasadena Senior Citizens Center, CA
✓ 1982-86 El Camino College, Torrance, CA
✓ 1987&5&3 Mendocino Art Center, Summer Workshop, CA
✓ 1985&2 California State University, Long Beach
✓ 1983-85 Rio Hondo College, Whittier, CA
✓ 1981 Scripps College, Claremont, CA
✓ 1979&69 California State University, Los Angeles, CA
✓ 1978-82 Sierra Madre Creative Arts, Sierra Madre, CA
✓ 1975-80 Pasadena City College, Pasadena, CA
✓ 1969-70 Otis Art Institute, Los Angeles, CA
✓ 1967-68 Colby Junior College, New London, NH
✓ 1966-67 Manchester Institute of Arts and Sciences, NH

EXHIBITIONS

1991 - Minor Works/Major Artists, N.C.E.C.A. Exhibition, Phoenix, AZ
1991 - Group Exhibition, Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts, Gatlinburg, TN
1990 - In the Spirit of Yixing: Seven Contemporary Ceramic Artists, The Hand and Spirit, Scottsdale, AZ
1990 - A Spot of Tea, Swidler Gallery, Royal Oaks, MI
1990 - West of the West, Freehand Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
1990 - A Woman's Point of View, Glendale College, Glendale, CA
1990 - L.A. County Fair, Fine Arts Building, Pomona, CA
1990 - Annual Holiday Exhibition, Pewabic Pottery, Detroit, MI
1989 - Ohio University Ceramic Invitational, Seigfred Gallery, Athens, OH
1989 - Mirror Images: Vessels in the Contemporary and Traditional Styles, Craft Alliance Gallery, St. Louis, MO
1989 - Crossroads, Central Park Gallery, curated by Media Gallery, Kansas City, MO
1989 - Baker University Ceramic Exhibition, Baldwin City, KS
1989 - Ceramics Now, Invited Artist, Downey Museum of Art, Downey, CA
1989 - Vessels, Contemporary Images, Sherman Oaks, CA

- 1989 - Tea and Ceremony, Faity Nightingale Gallery, San Diego, CA
- 1988 - A Holiday Tea Party, Woman's Building, Los Angeles, CA
- 1988 - Teapot Invitational, Gallery 5, Pomona, CA
- 1988 - Professor's Choice III Invitational Exhibitions at Lang Gallery Scripps College and Montgomery Gallery, Pomona, CA
- 1988 - Summer Collections '88 Ceramics, M.O.A. Foundation, West Hollywood, CA
- 1988 - Functional Ceramics Invitational, '88, The College of Wooster, Wooster, OH
- 1988 - Three person Ceramic Exhibition, Pewabic Pottery, Detroit, MI
- 1988 - L.A. Ceramic Artists, MOA Foundation, West Hollywood, CA
- 1988 - Teapot-Cup Show, Gallery 5, Pomona, CA
- 1987 - Color & Clay, National Juried Exhibition, touring the U.S. until January, 1989, The Hand Workshop, Richmond, VA
- 1987 - All Fired Up, Palos Verdes Art Center, CA
- 1987 - Another State of Mind, California Craft Museum, San Francisco, CA
- 1987 - Teapots, Elizabeth Fortner Gallery, Santa Barbara, CA
- 1987 - Glendale Community College Art Faculty Show, Glendale, CA
- 1987 - Cups: Theme & Variations, Invitational Show, Downey Art Museum and Claudia Chapline Gallery, Stinson Beach, CA
- 1987 - Porcelain Today, Wita Gardner Gallery, San Diego, CA.
- 1986 - Nora Eccles Harrison Museum of Art, Utah State University, Logan, UT
- 1986 - A Tea Party, Pinch Pottery, North Hampton, MA
- 1986 - Ceramics East/West, Doizaki Gallery, Japanese American Cultural Center, Los Angeles, CA
- 1986 - Group Exhibition, Little Tokyo Clayworks, Los Angeles, CA
- 1986 - Glendale Community College Art Faculty Exhibition, Brand Library Art Gallery, Glendale, CA
- 1986 - Faculty Exhibition, Long Beach State University Art Gallery, CA
- 1986 - Teapots, ceramic invitational, Detroit Gallery of Contemporary Crafts, Detroit, MI
- 1986 - The Bowl, Elizabeth Fortner Gallery, Santa Barbara, CA
- 1986 - Teapot Pitcher Invitational, Pewabic Pottery, Detroit, MI
- 1986 - The Flower Show, Theater Gallery, Design Center of Los Angeles, CA
- 1986 - The Color: Clay, The Clayhouse, Santa Monica, CA
- 1986 - The A.R.T. National Claybox Show, Elk Grove, IL
- 1985 - Documentary Photography and Clay, invitational exhibition, Golden West College, CA
- 1985 - Selection '85, Sponsored by Associates, American Craft Museum, New York, NY
- 1985 - Sanford Besser Collection of Contemporary Ceramic Teapots, Arkansas Art Center, Little Rock, AR
- 1985 - Art Quest '85, National Competition, 2nd Place Award, Long Beach, CA
- 1985 - "Our Cup of Tea", Smithsonian Institute Museum Shop, Washington, D.C.
- 1985 - "A Spot O' Tea", The Clayhouse, Santa Monica, CA
- 1985 - Cameo Exhibition, Volcano Art Center, Volcano, HI
- 1985 - Four Person Exhibition, Rio Hondo College, Whittier, CA
- 1985 - Group Exhibition, Pinch Pottery, North Hampton, MA
- 1985 - Group Exhibition, Convergence Gallery, New York, NY
- 1985 - February Clay Feature, The Hand and the Spirit Crafts Gallery, Scottsdale, AZ
- 1985 - L.A. in Seattle Ceramics Show, Fireworks Gallery, Seattle, WA
- 1985 - The Platter Form, Hibberd McGrath Gallery, Keystone, CO
- 1985 - Clay Treasures '85, Pinch Pottery, Northampton, MA
- 1985 - Teapots:Form, Function, & Fantasy, Hibberd McGrath Gallery, Keystone, CO
- 1984 - Higher Functions, Elements Gallery, New York, NY
- 1984 - Extensions: Students of Frans Wildenhain, Memorial Art Gallery, Rochester, NY
- 1984 - Clay Spectrum 2, The Craftsman Gallery, Scarsdale, NY
- 1984 - Group Exhibition, The Hand and the Spirit Crafts Gallery, Scottsdale, AZ
- 1984 - Ceramics, four person exhibition, Pasadena City College Art Gallery, Pasadena, CA

- 1984 - New Vessels, Glendale Community College Gallery, Glendale, CA
- 1984 - California Clay, Santa Ana College, Santa Ana, CA
- 1984 - Artists' Cups, East End Gallery, Provincetown, MA
- 1984 - Scripps Clay Connection, Lang Art Gallery, Pomona, CA
- 1984 - Gourmet Art, Contemporary Images, Sherman Oaks, CA
- 1984 - Contemporary Ceramic Vessels-Two Los Angeles Collections, Baxter Art Gallery, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA
- 1984 - Functional Ceramics 1984, College of Wooster, OH
- 1984 - Teapots: Form, Function, Fantasy, Hibberd McGrath Gallery, Keystone, CO
- 1983 - Group Ceramic Exhibition, Pasadena City College, Pasadena, CA
- 1983 - Rio Hondo Faculty Exhibition, Whittier, CA
- 1983 - Glendale College Faculty Exhibition, Brand Library, Glendale, CA
- 1983 - Exhibition and Slide Presentation, Mendocino Art Center, Mendocino, CA
- 1983 - Teapot Exhibition, White Bird Gallery, Cannon Beach, OR
- 1983 - Two Person Exhibition, Marcia Rodell Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 1983 - "Vessels in Clay", Meyer, Breier, Weiss Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- 1983 - Fourth Annual Contemporary Craft Auction, Craft and Folk Art Museum, Los Angeles, CA
- ✓ 1983 - "Selections: Professional Craftsmen", Cal. Poly State University, San Luis Obispo, CA
- 1983 - "Art for the Tabletop", Carol Hooberman Gallery, Birmingham, MI
- 1983 - "More Than One", Freehand Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
- 1983 - "Invitational Teapot Exhibition", Fireworks Gallery, Seattle, WA
- 1982 - Art and/or Craft; USA and Japan, Kanazawa, Japan
- 1982 - Convergence, three person show, New York City
- 1982 - Third Annual Contemporary Craft Auction, Craft and Folk Art Museum, Los Angeles, CA
- 1982 - Old Town Gallery, two person show, Park City, UT
- 1982 - "The Great American Bowl Show", Rhode Island
- 1982 - "Dinner at Eight", Gallery Eight, La Jolla, CA
- 1982 - Marcia Rodell Gallery, "Teapot Show", Los Angeles, CA
- 1981 - Second Annual Contemporary Craft Auction, The Clayhouse, Santa Monica, CA
- 1981 - Vessels Aesthetic National Exhibition, Taft and Downey, CA
- 1981 - Mandell Gallery, group show, Los Angeles, CA
- 1981 - Marcia Rodell Gallery, Contemporary Porcelain, Los Angeles, CA
- ✓ 1980 - "American Porcelain: New Expressions in an Ancient Art", The Smithsonian Institute, Washington, D.C., piece accepted for the permanent collection
- ✓ 1980 - 37th Annual Ceramic Exhibition at Scripps College, Claremont, CA
- 1980 - One-person show, Coast Federal Savings and Loan, Pasadena, CA
- 1979 - Two-person show, Four Oaks Gallery, San Marino, CA
- 1979 - Two-person show, Hoffman Gallery, Oregon School of Arts and Crafts, Portland, OR
- 1978 - "Works in Clay", Horizons Gallery, Mill Valley, CA
- 1978 - One-person show, Aarnun Gallery, Pasadena, CA
- 1978 - "Covered Jars", National Competition, Westwood Ceramic Supply Co., City of Industry, CA
- 1971 - Cerritos Annual Ceramic Exhibition, Purchase Award Cerritos, CA
- 1969 - Ceramic Invitational, Santa Ana Junior College, Santa Ana, CA
- ✓ 1967 - Syracuse 24th Biennial National Ceramic Exhibition, Syracuse, NY
- 1966 - "Craftsmen U.S.A.", National Merit Award, New York City
- ✓ 1965 - Syracuse 23rd Biennial National Ceramic Exhibition, Syracuse, NY
- 1965 - Fingerlake Regional Show, Honorable Mention, Rochester, NY
- ✓ 1965 - Seventh Miami National Ceramic Exhibition, Honorable Mention, Miami, FL
- 1965 - "Fiber, Clay and Metal", Seventh Biennial National Show, work accepted for travelling exhibition, Saint Paul, MN
- 1964 - "Southern California College Ceramics", two merit awards, Rio Hondo College, Whittier, CA

EDUCATIONAL TRAVEL

February, 1968 to July, 1969 were spent traveling in Japan and Korea. Mr. Hamada and several other National Living Treasures were visited. Invited to give lecture demonstrations and work in the studios of Kyoto Fine Arts University.

Additional travel in France, England, Italy, Germany, Scandanavia and Mexico.

PUBLICATIONS

Ceramics: Mastering the Craft, Richard Zakin, Chilton, 1990

Introduction to Ceramics, Graham Flight, Prentice-Hall, 1989

The New Ceramics, Peter Dorman, Shamer and Hudson Co., 1986

Ceramics Monthly, Teapots, October, 1986

Ceramics Monthly, Art Quest, February, 1986

Ceramic Form, Peter Lane, Rizzoli, 1988

Hsiung Shih Art Monthly, portfolio article, December, 1985

American Craft, Portfolio, April/May, 1984

Slide Portfolio, *American Craft Magazine*, 1984

Studio Ceramics, Peter Lane, Chilton Book Company, Radnor, Pennsylvania, 1983

Ceramics Monthly, January, 1983

PROFESSIONAL HONORS AND AWARDS

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| 1990 | Invited Juror, Ceramics Now - 1990, Downey Art Museum, Downey, CA |
| 1987 | Invited Juror, The Topeka Competition 11 Ceramic Exhibition, KS |
| 1985 | Art Quest, National Competition, Second Place award in Ceramics. |
| 1981 | Porcelain covered jar included in the permanent collection of the Smithsonian Institute for its National Museum of American Art. |
| 1976 | Selected for the Association of American Women's Artists' Studio Tour. |
| 1966-7 | Awarded Federal Title III grant to give lecture demonstrations. |
| 1966 | Awarded full tuition fellowship to Haystack Mountain School, lab assistant for Warren McKenzie and Robert Arneson. |
| 1966 | Master of Fine Arts Degree awarded with Special Commendation. |
| 1964-6 | Awarded full tuition scholarship and annual stipend, lab assistant for Frans Wildenhain. |

COLLECTIONS

Arizona State University Mathew Center of Art Collection

Los Angeles County Museum of Art, Collection of Howard and Gwen Laurie Smits, Los Angeles, CA.

Nora Eccles Harrison Museum of Art, Logan Utah.

National Museum of American Art, Smithsonian Institute, Washington, D.C.

Sanford Besser Collection, Little Rock, AR.

Robin Hopper Collection, Victoria, British Columbia, Canada.

Drs. Diane and Igal Silbers Collection, Laguna Beach, CA.

Gwen Laurie Smits Collection, Pasadena, CA.

CREDENTIAL

1976 California Community College Instructor Credential, (life-time).

INVITED CERAMIC WORKSHOPS

1991 Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts, Gatlinburg, TN
1991 Ocmulger Pottery, Ipswich, MA
1991 The Red Cliff Pottery, Allston, MA
1991 Lexington Arts and Crafts, Lexington, MA
1991 ISOMATA Summer Workshop, Idyllwild, CA
1991 Ventura Potter's Guild, Ventura, CA
1990 Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts, Gatlinburg, TN
1988 Riverside City College, Riverside, CA
1988 Functional Ceramic Workshop, The Wayne Center for the Arts, Wooster, OH.
1988 Pewabic Pottery, Detroit, MI.
1987 Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS
1986 Linn-Benton Community College, Corvallis, OR.
1986 Utah State University, Logan UT.
1986 Santa Barbara Adult Education Center, CA.
1985 Ceramic Artists of San Diego, Mesa College, CA.
1985 Volcano Art Center, Volcano, HI
1985 Southern California Ceramic Society, Glendale, CA
1985 Potters and Sculptors Association, Laguna Hills, CA
1984 Slide Presentation, Potters' Group, Kona, HI
1984 Slide Presentation, Visiting Artist Series, Santa Ana College, Santa Ana, CA
1984 Ventura Ceramic Society, Ventura, CA
1983 Creative Arts Center, Sunnyvale, CA
1983 Southern California Ceramics Society, Westminster
1983 Santa Ana College, Santa Ana, CA
1983 College of Marin, Mill Valley, CA
1983 La Canada Art Center, La Canada, CA
1983 California State University, Northridge
1982 The Clayhouse, Santa Monica, CA
1982 Orange Coast College, Costa Mesa, CA
1982 Rio Hondo College, Whittier, CA
1982 Ventura Ceramic Society, Ventura, CA
1982 California State University, Long Beach, CA
1982 El Camino College, Torrance, CA
1982 Glendale College, Glendale, CA
1981 Scripps College, Claremont, CA
1981 Whittier College, Whittier, CA
1981 Palos Verdes Art Association, P.V., CA
1980 Sierra Madre Creative Arts Group, S.M., CA

1979 University of Southern California, L.A., CA
1978 California State University, Los Angeles, CA
1978 Pasadena City College, Pasadena, CA
1977 University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH
1976 Pasadena City College, Pasadena, CA

GALLERIES

Pewabic Pottery, Detroit, MI
White Pine Gallery, Chicago, IL
Asher/Faure Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
Carol Hooberman Gallery, Birmingham, MI
Contempo Gallery, Tucson, AZ
Contemporary Crafts Gallery, Portland, OR.
Convergence, New York City
Craft and Folk Art Museum, Los Angeles, CA
Del Mano Gallery, Pasadena, CA
Dorothy Weiss Gallery, San Francisco, CA
Elizabeth Fortner Gallery, Santa Barbara, CA
Fireworks Gallery, Seattle, WA
Freehand Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
Frontroom Gallery, Dallas, TX
Gallery Eight, La Jolla, CA
Gallery Fair, Mendocino, CA
Garth Clark Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
Hibberd McGrath Gallery, Keystone, CO
Holstein Galleries, Palm Beach, FL
Horizons Gallery, Mill Valley, CA
Maple Hill Pottery, Auburn, ME
Memorial Art Gallery, Rochester, NY
Mendocino Art Gallery, Mendocino, CA
Nikko Gallery, Kamuela, HI
Old Town Gallery, Park City, UT
Pinch Pottery, Northampton, MA
The Craftsman's Gallery, Scarsdale, NY
The Hand and the Spirit, Tucson, AZ