

ESTHER SHIMAZU

Born and raised in Honolulu, Hawaii

Galleries: John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA; Ann Nathan Gallery, Chicago; NaPua Gallery, Wailea, Maui; Kunstforum Solothurn, Solothurn, Switzerland; Robyn Buntin Gallery, Honolulu, HI

Education:

- 1977 -1982 University of Massachusetts/Amherst; BFA, MFA Ceramics
- 1975-1977 University of Hawaii/Manoa; fine arts, ceramics

Publications:

- 2001, 2008 *Esther Shimazu*, John Natsoulas Press
- 1997 October American Craft magazine
- 1997 Fall Ceramic Art and Perception Magazine, Australia
- 1996 *Artists/Hawaii*, University of Hawaii Press
- 1993 *Biennial*, The Contemporary Museum of Honolulu

Workshops:

Selected Workshops: Santa Fe Clay, Santa Fe, NM; Anderson Ranch, Snowmass, CO; Idyllwild, CA; Penland, NC; Hawaii Potters' Guild, Honolulu; Donkey Mill Art Center, Holoaloa, Hawaii; Hui No'eau, Makawao, Maui; San Francisco State University; Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL; Emily Carr Institute, Vancouver, BC

Upcoming Workshops:

13th Parcours Ceramique Carougeois (Carouge Ceramics Itinerary), Carouge/ Geneva, Switzerland

Demonstrating artist October 1, 2, 3, 2013; 5:30 - 7:30pm.

www.parcoursceramiquecarougeois.ch

Recent Exhibitions:

- 2013 Robyn Buntin Gallery, Honolulu, HI
- 2011 *Hiroki Morinoue, Wayne Morioka, Esther Shimazu*; Bethel Street Gallery, Honolulu, HI
- 2010 *Portraiture Beyond Likeness*, Wayne Art Center Philadelphia PA
- 2009 *10th Annual Shoebox Sculpture Exhibition*, University of Hawaii/Manoa, Honolulu ; invited artist
- 2008 *Menschenbild*, Kunstforum Solothurn, Solothurn Switzerland
- Broadsides*, Honolulu Academy of Arts Linekona Art Center, Honolulu HI

- 2007 *Esther Shimazu*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA
- 2006 *Doug Young and Esther Shimazu*; The Gallery at Ward Center; Honolulu, HI
- 2005 *NCECA Diverse Domain: North American Contemporary Ceramics*, Taipei County Yingge Ceramics Museum, Taipei, Taiwan
- 2004 *8th International Shoebox Exhibition*, University of Hawaii/Manoa, Honolulu, invited artist
Three Hawaii Sculptors, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA
- 2003 *Contemporary Ceramic Sculpture*, San Diego City College
International Asia-Pacific Contemporary Ceramics Invitational Exhibition, Taipei County Yingge Ceramics Museum, Taipei, Taiwan
- 1999 *Esther Shimazu*, Tulsa Artists' Coalition, Tulsa, OK
- 1998 *Re: FORM*, The Fuller Art Museum, Brockton, MA
The Nude in Clay II, Perimeter Gallery, Chicago, IL