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**• Awards / Honors**

2019 Featured Artist, MN State Fair Studio: HERE

2018 Lake Region Arts Council McKnight Fellowship

2016 Merit Award in 3-D, Members Juried Exhibition, Artistry, Bloomington, MN

2014 Jerome Fiber Artist Project Grant, Textile Center of MN

2013 2nd place, Fiber/textiles, juried fine art show, MN State Fair

2007 4th place, Fiber/textiles, juried fine art show, MN State Fair

**• Grants / Commissions**

2019 MN State Arts Board Artist Initiative Grant

2018 Lake Region Arts Council McKnight Fellowship

2017 MN State Arts Board Artist Initiative Grant

2017 Polarnatt Installation, NordHaus, Mpls, MN

2016 Homecoming Installation, Sanford Hospital, Fargo, ND

2016 Legacy Arts & Culture Heritage Grant

2016 Womens Art Institute Merit Scholarship

2015 Surface Design Association Personal Development Grant

2014 Jerome Fiber Artist Project Grant

2013 Passage, Commission, Urban Ventures, Minneapoliss, MN

2011 Liturgical Banners, Faith-Lilac Way Lutheran Church, Robbinsdale, MN

**• Selected Exhibitions - juried**

2021 *Momento | Living in Abstraction,* Redepenning Gallery, Hopkins Art Center, Hopkins, MN

 *63rd Arrowhead Regional Biennial,* Duluth Art Institute, Duluth, MN

 *Minnesota State Fair Fine Arts Exhibition,* St. Paul, MN; Susan Hensel, Juror

 *The 62nd Midwestern,* The Rourke Gallery + Museum, Moorhead, MN

2020 *Where We Are From*, Phipps Center for the Arts, Hudson, WI

 *Mythos,* Target Gallery, Torpedo Factory, Alexandria, VA, Dr. Michele Greet, juror

 *Ambiguous Nature,* LRAC Gallery, Fergus Falls, MN

2019 *There But Not There*, (solo), Phipps Center for the Arts, Hudson, WI

 *Artistry Members Exhibition*, Inez Greenberg Gallery, Artistry at the Bloomington Center for the Arts,
 Bloomington, MN; Andrea Specht, juror

 *Soft Borders: International Exhibition in Print*, Surface Design Journal; Monika Auch & Elizabeth Kozlowski, jurors

 *WAI 25th Exhibition, What Is Forbidden,* Katherine G. Murphy Gallery, St. Catherine University, St Paul, MN

 *Fiber Without Borders,* Glen Arbor Arts Center, Glen Arbor, MI

 *Art as Advocacy: Promoting Equity and Social Justice for Women*, Springfield Art Association, Springfield, IL;

 Jan Brandt, Beate Minkovski and Patricia Olson, jurors

 *Artists Across Minnesota*, Lake Region Arts Council Main Gallery, Fergus Falls, MN

2018 *Down to the Wire*, (solo), Kaddatz Art Gallery, Fergus Falls, MN

 *Solo Exhibition*, Hudson Hospital Main Gallery, Hudson, WI

 *50th Clay, Fiber, Paper, Glass, Metal, Wood National All-Media Exhibit*, Octagon Center for the Arts, Ames, IA;

 Peter Pinnell, juror

2017 *Insula*, (solo), Studio Gallery, Textile Center of Minnesota, Mpls, MN

 *unravel | unearth*, Exhibition w/ James Scherbarth, Inez Greenberg Gallery, Artistry, Bloomington, MN

 *Materials Hard + Soft*, Patterson/Appleton Arts Center, Greater Denton Arts Council, Denton, TX; Joann Edwards, juror

2016 *Artistry Members Exhibition*, Inez Greenberg Gallery, Artistry at the Bloomington Center for the Arts,
 Bloomington, MN; Teresa Engeltjes, juror

 *Jehra Patrick Exhibit*, Main Gallery, Lake Region Arts Council, Fergus Falls, MN; Jehra Patrick, juror

 *North of the 45th Exhibition*, DeVos Art Museum, Northern Michigan U., Marquette, MI; Michele Bosak, juror

 *Art on the Plains XII*, Donath / Schlossman Galleries, Plains Art Museum, Fargo, ND; Aaron Spangler, juror

2015 *Sylvia White National Juried Exhibition*, Flow Art Space, St Paul, MN; Sylvia White, juror

2014 *Truth Telling*, Jerome Fiber Artist Recipients' Exhibition, Concordia University Gallery, St Paul, MN

 *Bloomington Art Center Member Exhibition*, Bloomington Theater Art Center, Bloomington, MN

2013 *Celebrating Women Exhibition*, Gorecki Gallery, St. Benedicts, St Joseph, MN

 *The Space Between* (two person exhibition), Northfield Arts Guild Main Gallery, Northfield, MN

 *MN State Fair Fine Art Exhibition*, St Paul, MN

2012 *Screenplay*, Mendenhall Student Center Art Gallery, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC

 *Small Works*, Main Gallery, Northfield Arts Guild, Northfield, MN

2011 *Watershed*, Textile Center & SDA member exhibition, Textile Center, Mpls, MN

2010 *Hands of Korea*, Heyri Artist Village, Seoul, Korea

**• Selected Exhibitions - Invitation/Open**

2021 *The 62nd Midwestern Invitational,* The Rourke Art Gallery + Museum, Moorhead, MN

 Collars for RBG, Kaddatz Galleries, Fergus Falls, MN

2019 McKnight Fellowship recipients Exhibition, LRAC Main Gallery, Fergus Falls, MN

2018 *Regional Artist Invitational,* Charles Beck Gallery, Minnesota State Community College, Fergus Falls, MN

2017 *Unraveling the Thread*, Cultural Center Main Gallery, New York Mills, MN

2016 *WAI Exhibition*, Quarter Gallery, Regis Center for Art, University of MN, Mpls, MN

 *Natural Dye Invitational*, Community Gallery, Textile Center of MN, Mpls, MN

 *Recollection: Shadow to Matter*, White Bear Center for the Arts, Ford Family Gallery, White Bear, MN

2015 *The Listening Heaven*, (solo) Main Gallery, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Mpls, MN

 *Delight*, Conn Fine Arts Gallery, Plymouth Congregational Church, Mpls, MN

 *Recollection: Shadow to Matter*, 215 Gallery, Minneapolis College of Art & Design, Mpls, MN

2013 *A Common Thread*, Textile Center Member Exhibition, Joan Mondale Gallery, Mpls, MN

2012 *Healing Arts Fall Exhibit* (invitation - group), Allina Gallery, Owatonna Hospital, Owatonna, MN

2011 *Merge and Flow*, SDA Member Exhibition, Katherine Nash Gallery, Mpls, MN

 *The Art of Healing,* Exhibition w/ Kimber Olson, Institute for Health and Healing, Mpls, MN

**• Education / Training**

2019 Master class in Paperclay, Susan O'Byrne - Artistry, Bloomington, MN

2016 Women's Art Institute, Saint Catherine University, Saint Paul, MN

2015 Master Class in 3D, Janet Echelman - Truro Center for the Arts at Castle Hill, Truro, MA

1987-2006 Splitrock Arts Program, University of MN
1975 BS Art Education, Minnesota State University - Moorhead, MN

**• Publications**

*A Philosophy of Textile: between practice and theory*, Catherine Dormor, Bloomsbury Publishing Plc, 2020, 85-97.

Surface Design Journal*, Fall 2020. Devotion: Sewing the Sacred*; Jovencio de la Paz, juror

Surface Design Journal*, Fall 2019. Soft Borders: International Exhibition in Print*; Monika Auch & Elizabeth Kozlowski, jurors

Southwest Journal, June 2017. *High Wire Act: The Unbearable Lightness of Wire Mesh* by Susan Schaefer

*Materials Hard + Soft Exhibition Catalogue*, 2017. JoAnn Edwards, juror

*Joomchi & Beyond,* 2011; by Jiyoung Chung

**• Professional Affiliations**

 - Textile Center of Minnesota

 - Surface Design Association

 - Art of the Lakes - a visual artist cooperative

 - Minnesota Sculptors Association