

CLARA HOAG

EDUCATION

- 2013 **Masters of Fine Arts, Ceramics**, University of Georgia at Athens
2009 **Bachelor of Fine Arts, Ceramics**, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
2009 **Bachelor of Fine Arts, Art History**, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

TEACHING EXPERIENCE: CLASSES

- 2016 **University of Houston**, Houston, TX: Adjunct Professor (Affiliate Artist)
Fundamentals of Ceramics, Intermediate Ceramics, Head of Department
- 2015 – Present **University of Saint Thomas**, Houston, TX: Adjunct Professor (see MFAH below)
- 2015 – Present **The Museum of Fine Art Houston**, Houston, TX: Adjunct Instructor
Beginning Ceramics, Advanced Ceramics, Figure Sculpture, Sculptural
Drawing, and Alternative Materials
- 2014 – 2016 **Houston Community College**, Houston, TX: Adjunct Instructor
Ceramics I & II, Digital Art I & II, and Art Appreciation
- 2014 **Galveston College**, Galveston, Texas: Adjunct Faculty
Ceramics I & II
- 2011 – 2013 **The University of Georgia**, Athens, GA: Graduate Instructor
Beginning Ceramics

TEACHING EXPERIENCE: WORKSHOPS

- 2016 **The Museum of Fine Art**, Houston, TX. "Sculpting the Nude Figure." (4 weeks)
- 2015 **Clear Lake School System**, Houston TX. "Teaching Figure Sculpture" (1 day)
- The Museum of Fine Art**, Houston, TX. "Putting the Pieces Together." (3 weeks)
- The Museum of Fine Art**, Houston, TX. "Drawing for Sculpture." (2 weeks)
- 2014 **The Museum of Fine Art**, Houston, TX. "Putting the Pieces Together." (2 days)
- 2013 **The Archie Bray Foundation**, Helena, MT. "Sculpting the Figure from Life" (6 weeks)
- The Archie Bray Foundation**, Helena, MT. Workshop Assistant (3 days)
"Sculpting the Figure" with Wanxin Zhang.
- 2012 **Penland School of Crafts**, Penland, NC. Workshop Assistant (2 weeks each)
"Figure Narrative: Clay as Process" with Kyle and Kelly Phelps
"Objects and Images" with Israel Davis

TEACHING EXPERIENCE: SERVICE

- 2017 **Scientific Clay**, University of Houston, Houston, TX (Upcoming Spring 2017)
(A Lecture Series Exploring Science and its Applications in Ceramics)
- 2014 - 2016 **HCC Central Student Show Setup**, Houston Community College, Houston, TX

- 2015 **Juror, GCIC Art Jam**, Houston Community College Southwest, Houston, TX
- 2012 **Member, Student Advisory Council**, Lamar Dodd School of Art, UGA, Athens, GA
President, Ceramics Student Organization, Lamar Dodd School of Art, UGA, Athens, GA
- 2009 **Founder and President, Kilnfolk Art Collective**, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, IL

RESIDENCIES

- 2014 **The Houston Center for Contemporary Craft**, Houston, TX
- 2013 **The Archie Bray Foundation**, Helena, MT

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2017 **University of Houston**, Clear Lake, TX. Artist Talk (Upcoming)
- 2016 **Houston Center for Contemporary Craft**, Houston, TX. Artist Talk
- 2015 **Mary Matteson-Parrish Art Gallery**, Houston, TX. Artist Talk
- 2014 **Clayhouston**, Houston, TX. Artist Talk
NCECA, Milwaukee, WI. Panelist, "Material Girls in a Transitional World"
- 2013 **Studio Assistant** for Beth Cavener, Helena, MT
UGA GSA Interdisciplinary Research Conference, Athens, GA.
Panelist, "Interdisciplinary Art and Grants"
- 2011 **The University of Georgia**, Athens, GA. Studio Technician
- 2010 **FilterPure**, Moca, Dominican Republic. Intern, Writer, Illustrator
- 2007 – 2009 **The University of Illinois**, Urbana-Champaign, IL. Studio Technician

AWARDS

- 2016 **Bedicheck-Orman Grant**, Houston Community College, Houston, TX
- 2015 **Elizabeth Greenshields Foundation Grant**, Montreal, Quebec, Canada
Puffin Foundation Grant, Teaneck, NJ
- 2013 **Rudy Autio Endowed Fund for Creative Initiatives**, The Archie Bray Foundation, Helena, MT
Eric Myhre Summer Scholarship, The Archie Bray Foundation, Helena, MT
Best in Show UGA GSA Interdisciplinary Research Conference, Athens, GA
- 2011 – 2013 **Graduate Teaching Assistantship**, The University of Georgia, Athens, GA
- 2012 **Assistant Scholarship**, Penland School of Crafts, Penland, NC
- 2011 – 2012 **Ideas for Creative Exploration Project Seed Grant**, University of Georgia, Athens, GA
- 2011 **Dorothy McRae Ceramics Scholarship**, The University of Georgia, Athens, GA
Half Tuition Scholarship, Odyssey Center for Ceramics Arts, Asheville, NC
Work Study Scholarship, Penland School of Crafts, Penland, NC
Higher Education Partnership Program Scholarship, Penland School of Crafts, NC
- 2010 **Graduate Laboratory-Technician Assistantship**, University of Georgia, Athens, GA
- 2009 **Outstanding Achievement Award in Ceramics**, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, IL
- 2007, 2008 **Tuition Support Award**, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, IL
- 2005, 2007 **Dean's List**, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, IL

SOLO SHOWS

- 2015 **Mary Matteson-Parrish Art Gallery**, Conroe, TX. "Icon/o/clast"
- 2012 **Cinema Gallery**, Urbana, IL. "Built to Last"
- 2009 **Cinema Gallery**, Urbana, IL. "Fetish"

GROUP SHOWS

- 2017 **University of Houston**, Clear Lake, TX. "Faculty at Glassell School of Art" (Upcoming)
- 2016 **Kinder Morgan Pavillion**, Houston, TX. "Figurative Faculty at Glassell School of Art"
Houston Center for Contemporary Craft, Houston, TX. "CraftTexas 2016"
Elephant Room Gallery, Chicago, IL. "Back To Our Foundations"
[Tea+Art], Houston, TX. "Cameo Emerging Artists"
Houston Center for Contemporary Craft, Houston, TX. "In Residence"
Museum of Fine Art, Houston, TX. "Benefit Auction"
- 2015 **Cinema Gallery**, Urbana, IL. "Small Ones" (Invitational)
Museum of Fine Art, Houston, TX. "Benefit Auction"
Winter Street Studios, Houston, TX. "Artopia"
- 2014 **Houston Community College**, Houston, TX. "HCC Faculty Show"
Workhouse Art Center, Lorton, VA. "Workhouse Clay National" (Juror: Richard Notkin)
Wisconsin Center, Milwaukee, WI. "Archie Bray Resident and Visiting Artists"
Edgewood College Gallery, Madison, WI. "Bindley Ceramics Collection"
- 2013 **Free Ceramics**, Helena MT. "This is Helena"
Kolva-Sullivan Gallery, Spokane, WA. "Kolva-Sullivan Show"
Warehouse Gallery, The Archie Bray Foundation, Helena, MT. "Resident Show"
The Oconee Cultural Arts Foundation, Watkinsville, GA. "Southworks"
The Georgia Museum of Art, Athens, GA. "MFA Candidate Thesis Show"
Oconee Cultural Arts Foundation, Watkinsville, GA. "Material Matters"
- 2012 **Cinema Gallery**, Urbana, IL. "Fins, Furs, and Feathers II" (Invitational)
Las Manos Gallery, Chicago, IL. "Emerging Artists"
Perkinson Gallery, Kirkland Fine Arts Center, Millikin University, Decatur, IL. "All Steamed Up" (Invitational)
- 2011 **Cinema Gallery**, Urbana-Champaign, IL. "All Steamed Up," (Invitational)
Focus Gallery, Gainesville, FL. "Currents 2011: Influenced By Place" (Juror: Jennifer Allen)
The Suite Gallery, Athens, GA. "Graduate Ceramics Show"
Lamar Dodd School of Art, Athens, GA. "Third Annual Juried Student Exhibition"
Madison Museum of Art, Madison, GA. "Making Masters:" (Juried)
Lamar Dodd School of Art, Athens, GA. "Sinners Crossroads"
Athens Academy, Athens, GA. "Graduate Student Show"
Lamar Dodd School of Art, Athens, GA. "Cups: G, PG-13, R, X"
- 2010 **Lamar Dodd School of Art**, Athens, GA. "Second Annual Juried Student Exhibition"
An Empty Storefront, Evanston, IL. "Art Under Glass," 3rd installment
- 2009 **The Urbana Independent Media Center**, Urbana, IL. "Thesis Show"
The Krannert Art Museum, Champaign, IL. "BFA Exhibition"
The Link Gallery, Champaign, IL. "Heavy Handed"
- 2008 **The Link Gallery**, Champaign, IL. "Ceramics Exhibition"

BIBLIOGRAPHY

- August 2015 **The Courier of Montgomery County**, "Hoag Explores "Iconic" Human Form in LSC-Montgomery Art Show," Author: Stephen Green
- March 2014 **NCECA Journal**, "Material Girls in a Transitional World"
- February 2011 **Ceramics Monthly**, "MFA Factor: UGA"
- March 2010 **Evanston Roundtable**, "Young Evanston artists join veterans in newest exhibit of 'Art Under Glass'"
- March 2010 **The New York Times**, "What to Do with an Empty Storefront? A Makeshift Art Gallery," Author: Kelly Kleiman
- March 2010 **Evanston Review**, "'Glass' Roots Movement," Author: Bob Seidenberg
- August 2009 **Buzz Magazine**, "Created Beings," Author: Daryl McCurdy

GALLERY REPRESENTATION

Cinema Gallery, Urbana, IL
Crimson Laurel Gallery, Bakersville, NC

COLLECTIONS

The Glassell School of Art
The Archie Bray Foundation
Various Private Collections