

# Alicia Jane Boswell

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## Education

- 2005    **M.F.A**    Artisanry, Jewelry/Metals Concentration  
University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, MA
- 2000    **B.F.A**    Functional Design/Woodworking-Emphasis in Metals  
Murray State University Murray, KY

## Exhibitions/Shows

- 2017    ***WEAR/Where: A Contemporary Jewelry Exhibit***  
Meg C Gallery  
Lexington KY
- Plate/Glass Exhibition Enamelist Society Conference Invitational Exhibition/  
Forthcoming***  
Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts  
Gatlingburg TN
- Earrings Galore 2017 Society of North American Goldsmiths Conference  
Pop-up Exhibition***  
New Orleans
- Resident Artist Annual Exhibition***  
Armory Art Center  
West Palm Beach FL
- 2016    ***Resident Artist/Faculty New & Now Exhibition***  
Armory Art Center  
West Palm Beach FL
- Light & Movement Group Exhibition Lake Worth Art Lofts (Resident Artists)***  
Armory Art Center Annex  
Lake Worth FL
- Recent Transitions: New Resident Artist & Faculty teaching at the Armory  
Art Center***  
Warren Library Palm Beach Atlantic University
- 2015    ***A-Brooch-Able***  
An exhibition on contemporary art jewelry brooches  
Lil' Street Gallery Chicago IL
- Open Studio Weekend (OSW) Exhibition***  
Cressman Center Gallery  
Louisville KY
- The Contemporary Jewelry Exchange 2015***  
Juried online/book/traveling exhibition
- Creative Voice –A Study of Contemporary Jewelry***  
Book/Exhibition to be announced
- 2014    ***Émaux at This Moment (International exhibition of contemporary jewelry & objects)***  
Galerie Noel Guyomarc'h  
Montreal, Canada
- Invitational Exhibition/Ethical Metalsmiths/RJM and Dartmouth College***  
Hopkins Center for the Arts Hanover, NH
- 50/50 (Equal Part)***  
ECU Metals Symposium  
Greenville, NC
- 2013    ***SIERAAD Art Fair***  
Nov 7<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> at the Westergasfabriek in Amsterdam
- Earring Galore Pop-Up Gallery SNAG Conference/Toronto***  
Heidi Lowe Gallery  
Rehoboth, Delaware

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- Doily Free Zone**  
1<sup>st</sup> International Symposium of Young Lace Makers  
Palazzo Del Broletto  
Pavia, Italy
- American Craft Council Wholesale & Retail Show**  
Invitational from Society of North American Goldsmiths  
Baltimore, Maryland
- Metropolitan Museum of Fine Art: Ratti Textile Center**  
Personal invitation to assist and exhibit work for the lecture and workshop by  
Lauran Sundin on contemporary bobbin-lace coinciding with the exhibition Gems  
Of European Lace, ca 1600-1920 in the Ratti Textile Center
- 2012 **Multiples Exhibition**  
Heidi Lowe Gallery, Rehoboth Beach, DE
- Beyond Borders: Experimentation and Innovation in Enameling the 11<sup>th</sup>  
International Juried Enamel Exhibition**  
Sponsored by the Northern California Enamel Guild  
The Richmond Art Center
- Leap Award & Exhibition**  
Society for Contemporary Crafts Pittsburgh, PA
- Perlow Stevens Gallery Spring 2012 Exhibit (3 person exhibit)**  
Columbia MO
- Charmed III: Third Time's a Charm an Invitational Exhibition**  
Society of Contemporary Crafts Pittsburgh, PA
- Arrowmont Artists-in-Residence 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Exhibition**  
Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts Gatlinburg, TN
- 2011 **Alchemy**  
13<sup>th</sup> Juried International Enameling Exhibition  
Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts Gatlinburg, TN
- Displacement (solo exhibition)**  
Student Union Gallery Boise State University Boise, ID
- 2010 **Metal Inclinations 2**  
International Online Exhibition/The Society of Midwest Metalsmiths
- Hard Brilliance: Diverse Approaches in Contemporary Enameling**  
Invitational Exhibition  
Pratt Fine Art Center  
Seattle, WA
- Invitational (faculty/two-person) Exhibition PrattMWP**  
Student Gallery  
Utica, NY
- 2009 **Summer Faculty Exhibition PrattMWP**  
Student Gallery  
Utica, NY
- Surfacing**  
Juried Enameling Society Exhibition  
Oakland Art Gallery Oakland, CA
- Decorative Resurgence Juried Exhibition Coinciding with SNAG conference**  
Rowan University Art Gallery, Glassboro, NJ
- Newforms Invitational Exhibition**  
SUNY Genesee Lockhart Gallery Genesee, NY
- 2008 **PrattMWP Faculty Exhibition**  
Utica, NY
- Arrowmont Annual Artist-In- Resident Show**  
Arrowmont Main Gallery Gatlinburg, TN
- Alumni Exhibition**  
Clara Eagle Gallery Murry, KY
- Arrowmont Residents Group Show**  
Finer Things Gallery, Nashville, TN
- 2007 **40<sup>th</sup> Mid-States Craft Exhibition**  
Evansville Museum, Evansville, IN
- Arrowmont Resident Revolving Group Exhibition**  
Loggia Gallery, Gatlinburg TN
- Appalachian Center for Craft Resident Artist Show**  
Gallery One, Smithville, TN

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## 2006 *Craftforms 2006*

Wayne Art Gallery, Wayne, PA

### **Faculty Exhibition** Derryberry Gallery

Tennessee Tech University, Cookeville, TN

### **Reinterpreting the Vessel**

Perimeter Gallery, Chicago, IL

### **Appalachian Center for Craft Faculty Exhibition**

Renaissance Center Visual Art Gallery, Dickson, TN

### **Southern Highland Craft Guild Exhibition**, Gatlinburg, TN

Folk Art Center Main Gallery, Asheville, NC

### **Appalachian Center for Craft Resident Artist Show**

Gallery One, Smithville, TN

## 2005 *Crafts USA '05*

Silvermine Arts Guild, New Canaan, CT

### **MFA Thesis Exhibition**

University Art Gallery, New Bedford, MA

## Professional Experience

- Present**      **Armory Art Center & Boca Museum of Art**  
Workshop Instructor  
**Working Studio Artist Armory Art Center**  
West Palm Beach, FL  
**Artist-in-Residence at Armory Art Center**  
West Palm Beach FL
- 2015/16**      **Sabbatical Replacement/ Assistant Professor Sculpture**  
**Hite Arts Institute at the University of Louisville**  
Professional Practice Sculpture 1, 2 & 3  
Directed Study Sculpture  
Louisville, KY  
**Speed Art Museum Gift Store sales (Jewelry Purchasing)**  
Louisville, KY  
**Shane & Company**  
Bench Jeweler/stone setter working in gold and platinum  
Louisville, KY  
**Art Sanctuary -A community oriented arts collective supporting visual, literary and performing artist through events and education**  
Alicia Jane Boswell Studio/ Workshop Instructor  
Louisville, KY  
**Metro Arts Community Center**  
Arts Workshop Instructor  
Louisville, KY
- 2014**      **Headley-Whitney Decorative Arts (Jewelry) Museum**  
Lexington, KY  
Guest Service Manager/instructor, grant research, gallery installation
- 2013/12**      **Doily Free Zone**  
1<sup>st</sup> International Symposium of Young Lace Makers  
Invitation to teach & lecture using metal & fiber for contemporary Bobbin Lace  
Palazzo Del Briolette  
Pavia, Italy  
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- Artist-Resident /Workshop Instructor & Technician**  
Hopkins Center for the Arts  
Dartmouth College, Hanover New Hampshire
- 2011/09** **Dartmouth/Hopkins Center for Performing Arts Guest Resident Artist Lecturer**  
**Educators Dialogue Board Member & Volunteer for the Society of North American Goldsmiths Conference**  
Phoenix, AZ
- Boise Art Metals Visiting Artist Series Workshop & Lecturer**  
Boise, ID
- Artist-In-Residence Boise City Department of Arts & History**  
Boise, ID
- Idaho Metals Art Guild**  
Stand in Vice-President
- 2009** **Sabbatical Replacement Boise State University**  
Jewelry & Metalsmithing (Beginning, Intermediate to advanced level casting/enameling studio courses)  
**Introduction to Art I & II (Foundation/Lecture class)**  
Boise, ID
- IMAG Boise Metals Guild Annual Exhibition–Guest Speaker/Juror**  
Boise, ID
- Boise Art Metals Visiting Artist Series Workshop & Lecturer**  
Boise, ID
- Idaho School of Arts and Crafts**  
Workshop instruction/assistance, studio maintenance, grant writing  
Boise, ID
- 2009/08** **Visiting Associate Professor /Sabbatical Replacement PrattMWP**  
Small Metal/3-D design  
Utica NY
- 2008** **Artist-In-Residence in Metals Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts**  
Gatlinburg, TN
- Gallery Assistant/Exhibitions -Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts**  
Gatlinburg, TN
- 2007** **Artist-In-Residence in Metals/Studio Technician & Adjunct Faculty**  
Appalachian Center for Craft, Tennessee Tech. University, Smithville, TN
- Introduction to Jewelry/Metals I**  
Appalachian Center for Craft, TTU, Smithville, TN
- Studio Assistant for Barbara Minor Two Week Workshop/Tech-Enamelling**  
Appalachian Centers for Craft, TTU, Smithville, TN
- Studio Tech-Damascene Inlay with Thomas Madden**  
Appalachian Center for Craft, TTU, Smithville, TN
- Craft Center Outreach Program K-12**  
**Intermediate Metals II /Alternative Techniques/Materials (Textile based sculpture and adornment)**  
Appalachian Center for Craft, TTU, Smithville, TN
- 2005** **Introduction to Jewelry /Metals I**  
Appalachian Center for Craft, TTU, Smithville, TN
- Craft Center Outreach Program**  
High School & Elementary  
Smithville, TN
- Summer Assistant and Studio Monitor MetalWerx**  
Waltham, MA
- Summer Tech Position**  
University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, New Bedford, M
- 2004** **Foundation (Instructor of record) 3-D Design/ Workshop**  
University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, New Bedford, MA
- Metals I (Instructor of record)**  
University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, New Bedford, MA
- Continuing Education Metals Workshop**  
University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, New Bedford, MA
- Teaching assistant Metals I**  
University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, New Bedford, MA

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## Activities- Memberships and Workshops/Classes Attended

3-D Digital Modeling/Rendering/Scanning/small-scale sculpture class  
Boise State University  
crafthaus.ning.com  
Society of North American Goldsmiths  
Enamelist Society (Nominated for upcoming 2018 Board Member position)  
Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts (Annual Donor & lifetime resident)

## Publications/Awards

- 2013 ***Raising the Profile of Lace pg 14-16***  
Angarad Rixon
- 2011/12 ***Metalsmith Magazine Current Issue "A Touch of Alchemy Contemporary Enamel"***  
Marianne Hunter  
Vol. 32 No.3 pg 22
- New Emerging Professionals Work Exchange/Grant***  
Society of North American Goldsmiths Conference Arizona May23-26<sup>th</sup>
- Professional Development Grant (for solo exhibition Boise State University)***  
Idaho Commission of the Arts/National Endowment for the Arts
- 2013 ***Professional Development Travel Grant***  
Idaho Commission of the Arts/National Endowment for the Arts
- Enamelist Society International Exhibition Alchemy Honorable Mention Award***  
Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts Gatlinburg, TN  
[www.wearableblogspot.com](http://www.wearableblogspot.com)  
"Enamel Jewelry by Alicia Boswell"  
Interview on personal work Sept. 8<sup>th</sup> 2011
- 2010 ***LEAP Award Finalist***  
Society of Contemporary Craft Pittsburgh, PA
- 2009 ***Metalsmith Magazine***  
"Saturated - Color and Metal" Annual Exhibition in Print 2009 Vol.29  
No 4 pg 48
- 500 Enameled Objects***  
Marthe Le Van & Jule Hale, Lark Books pg 409
- 2007 ***Metalsmith Magazine***  
Review "Reinterpreting the Vessel" vol 27 no.1 pg 48
- 2002 ***1000 Rings***  
Marthe Le Van and Robert Ebendorf, Lark Books