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Education

M.F.A. in Art/Ceramics, University of Wisconsin; Madison, Wisconsin (1998-2001)

B.F.A. in Ceramics, Kent State University; Kent, Ohio (1994-1997)

Attended Edinboro University, Edinboro, Pennsylvania (1989-1991)

Ceramic and wood-fire research, School of Samunori, Buyeo, Korea (2007)

Teaching Experience

Adjunct Faculty, Winona State University; Winona, MN (2004-present)

• Ceramics, 3-D Design, Drawing, Experiencing Art studio/lecture, Intro to Art

Adjunct Faculty, Viterbo University; La Crosse, WI (2001-2002) • Ceramics, Sculpture, Intro to Art, Art History I-II

Ceramic Instructor, University of Wisconsin, La Crosse, Art Department; La Crosse, WI (2001)

Ceramic Instructor, La Crescent Community Education, La Crescent, MN (2007)

Teaching Assistantship, University of Wisconsin Art Department; Madison, WI (1999-2001)

Professional Experience

Full-Time Studio Artist, owner/operator (2000-Present)

One Week, Wood-fire Kiln Building Workshop with Korean Cultural Advisor Lim Seung Duck, Knox Studios-2, Strawberry Point, IA (2009)

Guest Artist, Walbash College, Crawfordsville, IN (2008)

Professional Experience Continued

Guest Artist, University of Wisconsin, Platteville, Platteville WI (2008) *Artist in Residence*, Starmont High School; Arlington, IA (2007)

Guest Speaker, University of Wisconsin, La Crosse, WI (2007)

One Week, Wood-fire Workshop with guest artist Kay Nugyen, CR Studio, La Crescent, MN (2007)

Artists-Educators Raku Workshop, CR Studio, La Crescent, MN (2006)

One Week, Wood-fire Workshop with guest artist Harry Izenour, CR Studio, La Crescent, MN (2006)

One Week, Wood-fire Workshop with guest artist Bruce Howdle, CR Studio, La Crescent, MN (2005)

One Week, Wood-fire Workshop with guest artist Chuck Aydlett, CR Studio, La Crescent, MN (2004)

Guest Artist/Speaker, Winona University, Winona, MN (March 2004)

One Week, Wood-fire Workshop with guest artists Nate and Hallie Evans, CR Studio, La Crescent, MN (2003)

One Week, Wood-fire Workshop with guest artist Joe Pirog, CR Studio, La Crescent, MN (2002)

Related Experience

Kiln Repair Services, Knox Studios-2 (2001-2012)

Installation Assistant, Howdle Studio Inc; Mineral Point, Wisconsin (1997-2009)

Assistant to Sculptor Patrick Dougherty, University of Wisconsin Art Department; Madison, Wisconsin (2001)

Publications

2009 *The Social, the Surreal, and the Environment*: Article by Mike Knox on Chuck Aydlett in <u>Ceramics Art and Perception</u>, No. 76; Sydney, Australia

2005 *Small Monuments to Time: Mike Knox describes the work of David J.P. Hooker,* article in <u>Ceramics Technical</u>, No. 20; Sydney, Australia.

2001 *Vintage Toys,* Sculpture image, in Acero, R., <u>Making Ceramic Sculpture</u>, Asheville, NC: Lark Books.

1998 *Untitled*, Sculpture image, in Davis, D., <u>Wheel Thrown Ceramics</u>, Asheville, NC: Lark Books.

Selected Grants and Awards

- 2009 \$10,000 Individual Major Grant, Iowa Arts Council and the NEA
- 2006 Excellence, cash award, Ohio Designer Craftsmen show; Indianapolis, IN
- 2005 Best of Show, cash award, Ohio Designer Craftsmen show; Indianapolis, IN
- 2004 Invitational Award, Art on the Square; Madison, WI
- 2003 First place, cash award, Art Fair on the Green; La Crosse, WI
- 2003 Purchase award, Century Tel, La Crosse, WI
- 2001 \$10,000 MFA, *The Joan Mitchell Foundation, Inc.*
- 2001 Travel Grant, University of Wisconsin; Madison, WI
- 1999 Cash merit award, Feats of Clay, Lincoln Arts; Lincoln, CA
- 1998 Best of Show, cash award, Art Fair on the Green; La Crosse, WI
- 1998 Purchase award, Art Fair on the Green; La Crosse, WI

Selected Exhibitions

- 2014 Solo Exhibition, Bing Davis Gallery, Upper Iowa University, IA
- 2013 Mark My Words, Juried Exhibition, Pump House Gallery, La Crosse, WI
- 2013 Winona State Faculty Show, Watkins Art Gallery, Winona State University, MN
- 2012 Solo Exhibition, McGregor Marquette Center for the Arts, McGregor, IA
- 2012 Winona State Faculty Show, Watkins Art Gallery, Winona State University, MN
- 2011 Winona State Faculty Show, Watkins Art Gallery, Winona State University, MN
- 2011 National 11th Annual juried cup show, School of Art's Gallery, Kent, OH
- 2010 Winona State Faculty Show, Watkins Art Gallery, Winona State University, MN
- 2010 *Southeast Minnesota Regional Juried Exhibition*, Lillian Davis Hogan Galleries/St. Mary's University of Minnesota, Winona, MN
- 2009 *Three in Clay*, Raymond Street Gallery, St. Paul, MN (Invitational)
- 2009 National Juried Competition, Phoenix Gallery, New York, NY
- 2007 Winona State Faculty Show, Watkins Art Gallery, Winona State University, MN
- 2006 By Hand: Out of the Fire, Peninsula Fine Arts Center, VA (Invitational)
- 2006 Kissed by Ash, Watkins Art Gallery, Winona State University, MN (Invitational)
- 2004 Forms of Repetition, Pump House Arts Center, La Crosse, WI (Invitational)
- 2004 National Juried Exhibition, Marin Society of Artists, Ross, CA
- 2003 Cue Art Foundation Exhibit, Cue Art Foundation, New York, NY
- 2003 National Ceramic Invitational, Odin Gallery; La Crosse, WI
- 2003 Ashes to Art, Fort Mason Center; San Francisco, CA
- 2001 *Industrial Evolution*, Carillon Gallery; Charlotte, NC (Invitational)
- 2001 *The NCECA 2001 Clay National Exhibition*, Ceramic Exhibition, Winthrop University; Rock Hill, SC
- 2000 27th Annual, Arkansas Arts Center's Decorative Arts Museum; Little Rock, AR
- 2000 43rd Annual, Wright Museum of Art, Beloit College; Beloit, WI
- 1999 Feats of Clay, Lincoln Arts; Lincoln, CA

Reference List:

Chuck Adylett

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Bruce Howdle Professor of Art, University of Platteville, Platteville, Wisconsin 53818 608.987.3590 <u>bruce@brucehowdle.com</u>

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