

Jonathan Pacheco

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Education

2009 BFA, Ceramics and Metals/Jewelry, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Professional Experience

2017-Present Ceramic Lab Technician, Waubonsee Community College, Sugar Grove, IL
(operational and safety knowledge of diverse ceramics equipment including: gas, electric, and woodfired kilns, clay mixer, chainsaw and woodsplitter, hammermill, glaze mixing, ball mill, etc.)

2017-Present Ceramic Sculpture and Wheel Throwing Instructor, Lillstreet Art Center, Chicago, IL

2013-Present Ceramic Sculpture Instructor, Clayspace, Lisle, IL

2013-2017 Ceramic Lab Assistant, Waubonsee Community College, Sugar Grove, IL

2012-2013 Resident Artist and Instructor, Clayspace, Lisle, IL

2010-2012 Jeweler, Casting House, Chicago, IL

2009-2010 Clay Manufacturer, Alligator Clay, Baton Rouge, LA

2005-2007 Woodshop Technician, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
(operational and safety knowledge of diverse woodworking power tools.)

Exhibitions

2017 -*Fine Arts for Finer Lives*, The Oremus Fine Arts Center at Lewis University, Romeoville, IL
-*SODA2*, Mantle Gallery, Louisville, KY

2016 -*Wood Fired Exhibition*, Waubonsee Aurora Campus Library, Aurora, IL
-*Waubonsee Invitational*, Emergent Gallery, Aurora, IL
-*Train Kiln Invitational*, Aurora Public Art Commission, Aurora, IL
-*Back to Our Foundations*, C.C.'s Art Garage/Elephant Room, Chicago, IL
-*Last Call*, Companion Gallery, Humboldt, TN

2015 -*Hand and Form II*, Clayspace Gallery, Clayspace, Lisle, IL

2014 -*Hand and Form*, Clayspace Gallery, Clayspace, Lisle, IL

2013 -*Clay Cubed*, Clayspace Gallery, Clayspace, Lisle, IL
-*Four Blind Mice*, Gallery 107, Clayspace, Warrenville, IL
-*Continue: Solo Exhibition*, Gallery 107, Clayspace, Warrenville, IL

2010 -*Connected*, Rumble Arts Center, Chicago, IL
-*Ceramic Sculpture: On the Brighter Side of Things*, Online Exhibit by Lisa M. Johnson

2009 -*Ephemeral Pleasures*, Online Exhibit by Chelsey Radabaugh
-*BFA Exhibition*, Krannert Art Museum, Champaign, IL
-*It Starts With A Line*, Link Gallery, Champaign, IL
-*Heavy Handed*, Link Gallery, Champaign, IL

2008 -*14 Brushes Juried Show*, 14 Brushes Gallery, Urbana, IL
-*Precious Compulsion*, Link Gallery, Champaign, IL
-*Illini Union Juried Show*, Illini Union Art Gallery, Urbana, IL

2007 -*2007 Ceramic Exhibition*, Link Gallery, Champaign, IL
-*Extinction*, Link Gallery, Champaign, IL

2006 -*On A Stick, Art*, Casa Juan Diego, Chicago, IL

Professional Development

- 2018 -Bryan Hopkins -- Handbuild and texture on Porcelain Workshop, Waubonsee Community College
- 2017 -Kevin Snipes -- Handbuild and drawing on Porcelain Workshop, Waubonsee Community College, Sugar Grove, IL
-Matthew Schiemann -- Firing the Anagama One Week Workshop, Peters Valley School of Craft, Layton, NJ
-Matthew Schiemann -- Making Work for the Anagama One Week Workshop, Peters Valley School of Craft, Layton, NJ
- 2016 -Jessica Brandl – Thrown and Image Transfer Workshop, Waubonsee Community College, Sugar Grove, IL
- 2015 -Sunshine Cobb – Thrown, Hand built and Stamp Workshop, Waubonsee Community College, Sugar Grove, IL
-Teaching Assistant for Perry Haas and David Peters Two Week Woodfire Workshop, Ox-Bow School of Art, Saugatuck, MI
-Teaching Assistant for Doug Jeppesen Two Week Woodfire Workshop, Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts, Gatlinburg, TN
-Troy Bungart – Brush Making Workshop, Lill Street, Chicago, IL
-Paul Eshelman – Slip Casting Workshop, Waubonsee Community College, Sugar Grove, IL
- 2014 -Chris Gustin – Thrown and Hand Built Workshop, Waubonsee Community College, Sugar Grove, IL
-Trevor Dunn and Stephen Heywood - Thrown and Hand built Workshop, Waubonsee Community College, Sugar Grove, IL
-Coll Minouge and Robert Sanderson – Mini Train Kiln Building Workshop, Waubonsee Community College, Sugar Grove, IL

Scholarships & Awards

- 2017 -CraftSchool Experience Scholarship, attend two week workshop at Peters Valley School of Craft
- 2008 -Best Sculpture/3D piece in show award from *Illini Union Juried Show*

Community Development

- 2016 -*International Wood Fire Conference: Moving Forward and Pre-conference*, Facilitated and Assisted, Waubonsee Community College, Sugar Grove, IL
-*Naperville Art Show*, Judge, Naperville Settlement, IL