

## Brief Résumé

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#### **Education**

2008 M.F.A. Ceramics, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA  
2003-2005 Graduate student at large, Bradley University, Peoria, IL  
2003 B.S. Art, Bradley University, Peoria, IL

#### **Positions**

2009 Ceramics Instructor, Pennsylvania State University  
2008-current Studio artist, central Pennsylvania, USA

#### **Invitational Exhibitions**

2011 *Yunomi Invitational*  
AKAR; Iowa City, IA

2010 *Setting the Table, Contemporary Ceramics Dines In*  
Saxonburg Area Artists Co-operative Gallery; Saxonburg, PA

2007 *Friends of Friends*  
Sul Ross State University; Alpine, TX (Invited by Jack Troy)

#### **Solo Exhibitions**

2009 *Recent Work by Jake Johnson*  
Picture This Gallery; Peoria Heights, IL

2008 *Pieces*, M.F.A. thesis exhibition  
Zoller Gallery at Penn State; University Park, PA

#### **Juried and Group Exhibitions**

2011 *19<sup>th</sup> Annual Strictly Functional Pottery National*  
Kevin Lehman's Pottery; Lancaster, PA (juror: Mary Barringer)

2011 *Art of the State: Pennsylvania*  
The State Museum of Pennsylvania; Harrisburg, PA

2011 *Vasefinder Nationals*  
www.vasefinder.com

2010 *18<sup>th</sup> Annual Strictly Functional Pottery National*  
Kevin Lehman's Pottery; Lancaster, PA (juror: William VanGilder)

- 2010 *18<sup>th</sup> San Angelo National Ceramics Competition*  
San Angelo Museum of Fine Arts; San Angelo, TX (juror: Sherman Hall)
- 2010 *Feats of Clay XXIII*  
Gladding McBean Terra Cotta Factory; Lincoln, CA  
Presented by the Lincoln Arts and Culture Foundation (juror: William VanGilder)  
(Purchase Award)
- 2010 *FILL-Adelphia*  
A Show of Hands Gallery; Philadelphia, PA  
Presented by the Potters' Council (Juror: Sherman Hall)
- 2010 *Beyond the Brickyard: 2nd Annual Juried Exhibition*  
Archie Bray Foundation; Helena, MT (Juror: Wayne Higby)
- 2010 *3<sup>rd</sup> Biennial Concordia Continental Ceramics Competition*  
Concordia University; St. Paul, MN (Juror: Wil Shynkaruk)
- 2010 *Vasefinder Nationals*  
[www.vasefinder.com](http://www.vasefinder.com)
- 2009 *Muddy's Wood Fire Classic*  
The Myers Gallery at Muddy's Studio; Santa Ana, CA  
(Jurors: T Robert and Jon Pacini),
- 2009 *17<sup>th</sup> Annual Strictly Functional Pottery National*  
Kevin Lehman's Pottery; Lancaster, PA (Juror: Pete Pinnell)
- 2009 *Feats of Clay XXII*  
Gladding McBean Terra Cotta Factory; Lincoln, CA  
Presented by the Lincoln Arts and Culture Foundation (Juror: Tony Marsh)
- 2009 *Starbrick Clay National Cup Show*  
Starbrick Gallery; Nelsonville, OH (Juror: Matt Long)
- 2009 *1+1, juried exhibition*  
Terra Incognito; Oak Park, IL
- 2008 *Soda/Salt National IV*  
The Clay Studio of Missoula; Missoula, MT (Juror: Jim Koudelka)
- 2008 *Ceramics Biennial 2008, juried exhibition*  
New Hampshire Institute of Art, Manchester, NH

## **Awards**

- 2011 Purchase Award (for *Condiment Service*), 19th Annual Strictly Functional Pottery National (for the collection of *Clay Times* magazine)
- 2011 Potter's Group Award (for *Condiment Service*), 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Strictly Functional Pottery National (awarded by the members of the Central Pennsylvania Potter's Group)
- 2010 Award for Innovation (for *Footed Bowl*), 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Strictly Functional Pottery National
- 2010 Purchase Award (for *Pod Vase*), *Feats of Clay XXIII*
- 2009 Purchase Award (for *Ewer Set*), *1+1*

## **Bibliography**

Two plates featured in Tourtillott, Suzanne J.E., editor. 2008. *500 Plates and Chargers*. Pp. 74 & 102. New York, NY: Lark Books