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EDUCATION

- 1991 MFA Mason Gross School of the Art, Rutgers, Printmaking, Painting
1984 BFA Alfred University, Alfred, NY . Printmaking, Painting, Ceramics
BFA Program @ SUNY at Purchase, Visual arts – Foundation

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 *14C ARTFAIR* Jersey City Armory
- 2021 *No-Filter* 2 person exhibition at Whittemore CCC, Oldwick, NJ 2021
- 2020 *BEASTS* Caldwell University, New Jersey, 3rd floor gallery 2020
14C ARTFAIR Jersey City, NJ, Mana Contemporary,
- 2018 [RECENT WORK](#) with Hee Jung Kim • RVCC• Branchburg, NJ Main Gallery
[SFA Gallery](#) Frenchtown NJ Solo Exhibition: Unpacking the Wild Beast
PULP Frenchtown NJ, artist in residence
[Small World Coffee](#) Princeton NJ
- 2008 *BodyPrints*, [The Madelon Powers Gallery](#), East Stroudsburg University
Body Prints Gallery 31 North , Glen Gardner, NJ , exhibition & workshop
- 1996-2006
Steamroller Gallery Frenchtown , NJ , collective
["MATTER"](#) & Peace Flags & Exhibition with Chaz Hampton 2014
Nabisco Brands Gallery, East Hanover, NJ
Johnson and Johnson Gallery, The New Jersey Artist Series
The Hunterdon Museum, Clinton, NJ
The Gallery of South Orange South Orange, NJ
Pebble Hill Church Doylestown, PA
The Donald Palmer Museum Springfield, NJ
The Korn Gallery Drew University, Madison, N.J

1996-2006

Cocina Del Sol & El Segundo Clinton NJ
Alchemy, Frenchtown NJ
OWOWCOW, Ottsville PA & Wrightstown PA
NelliRae's , Revere, PA
MFA Thesis Exhibition Downtown Arts Building, MGSA

GROUP SHOWS

2023

Bodies, Bodies, Bodies PEN & BRUSH 2023
Connexions Gallery, Easton 2023
HERA Gallery: [OBJECTS of AGENCY](#)

2022

Paris Koh Gallery, Holiday Show, 2022
SIHAF, Seoul International Hotel Art Fair, 2022, with Paris Koh Gallery
Steamroller Group at the 14CArtFair, Jersey City, NJ 2022
NEW FACES [ART MORA](#), Ridgefield Park, NJ

2021

Hunterdon Art Museum, The Hunterdon Art Tour, 2017-2021
RVCC Faculty Group Shows, Branchburg NJ 2021
Member's Invitational [LongYear Gallery](#) Margaretville, NY
"5 at the Mill" [THAT](#), Stockton NJ
Art of Preservation, Kirkland Farm, PA

Pre/2010

Philadelphia Sketch Society's 152nd Small Oil Painting Juried Show
NOVO NORDISK Corporate office, Princeton NJ
Group Show: Brick and Mortar Gallery, Easton PA
BODIES AND SOUL at the MONTCLAIR Public Library
RVCC Faculty Exhibitions : 2003 – 2016
BCCC Faculty Exhibitions : 2003 – 2016
Station of the Cross Clinton Presbyterian Church, N
Art & Antiques, Gallery 31 North, Glen Gardner, NJ
Hunterdon County Land Trust Alliance, Plein Air Project

Pre/2010

Fish & Foul The Triumph Brewery, New Hope PA
Grounds for Art, Pierro Gallery, South Orange, NJ

SYNOPSIS@10 Pierro Gallery of South Orange
The Gallery Petite High Bridge, NJ
Hudson Bank Window Frenchtown, NJ, installation
The Artists of Hunterdon County Hunterdon Museum of Art
Main Street Gallery Prince Frederick, MD
Gallery 37 (gallery artist) Summitt, NJ
Genius Loci, a sense of place, Prallsville Mills, Stockton
Borders Book Store, Princeton,
Ben Shahn Gallery: American Impressions: Cont American Prints. curator:
Judith Brodsky
Hrefna Jonsdottir Gallery Lambertville, NJ
Hootenanny Magazine, Benefit CB's Gallery, NYC
Artworks, group exhibition Trenton, NJ:
Artsquad Current State of American Drawing, Easton PA
Riverrun Gallery National Juried Exhibition, Lambertville, NJ
30th Anniversary Show Rutgers, Invitational
Small Works Hunterdon Museum of Art, Clinton, NJ
At the Edge II: A National Print & Drawing Exhibition, Laguna Gloria Art
Museum, Austin, Texas, curated by Wendy Weitman:
China, June 4..., Institute for Contemporary Art PS1, NYC
Spheres of Influence NJ Center for the Visual Arts, Summit, NJ:
Artists Book, Montclair U, curated by Larry McKim
Reagan: The Cultural Icon City Gallery, Bucknell & Humphrey Gallery
The Triannual Portrait Show The Ridge Street Gallery, NYC
The Jane Doe Show The Pyramid Gallery, NYC
The Helms Degenerate Art Show ,Circus Maximus, NYC
The Outdoor Artists Project, Prospect Park, Brooklyn, New York
The Sex Show, Mason Gross School of the Arts, New Brunswick, NJ
The Brooklyn Waterfront Artists Coalition DUMBO, Brooklyn, New York:
MFA Group Exhibition The Zimmerli Museum, New Brunswick, NJ
New Prints Northeast, Women's Studio Workshop, Rosendale, NY
Real Democracy White Columns, NYC
CONEXES at MOCHA collab. Nancy Spero NYC-MOCA & San Paulo, Brazil
I.R. Christmas Show A.I.R. Gallery, NYC
The Year of The Ox – Graphic Eye Gallery, Port Washington, New York
Western New York Artists Show Allbright – Knox Gallery, Buffalo, NY

PROJECTS • ACHIEVEMENTS

2023

PRINT JAM with STEAMROLLER GROUP, 2023

Juror for group show <http://www.njartassoc.org>

2022

Adjunct Research Project Award - Raritan Valley Community College 2020
[Certified Online Instructor](#) Bucks County Community College
[ART DIRECTOR](#) at WhittemoreCCC
[Covid Quilt Project Fundraiser](#)

2021

[THAT: The Hunterdon Art Tour](#)
Founding member / Operations / Graphic Designer

2019

“Delia's Delectable Donuts” performance at ARTYARD, collaborative project 2019
[“Keepers of the Chroma, an exhibition regarding Color”](#) curator CCA Bedminster, NJ

[“The Fig Tree on 9th and Christian”](#) edition of 3, summer 2016 Book Design &
Graphics collaborations with / [Ross Gay](#) Lafayette College Library Artist Book
Collection

[“Living with Barry”](#) Video Series ongoing – neverending – relentless.

[“Singing Head”](#) [Fred Lowe](#) and [Ulla Warchol](#) Center for Contemporary Art CCA:
Bedminster, NJ : Collaborative Book Project & Exhibition

2018

[“Miss Logan Street”](#) at ARTYARD, 2018, collaborative project with Chris Mundy

2016-17

[“The Wild Boar”](#) a series of 6 books by Val Sivilli, [Wild Root Press](#) 2016-7

[“The Luger”](#) Written & Illustrated Book by Val Sivilli

[“57” a year](#) – well, really 6 months.

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Design with / Ross Gay “The Fig Tree on 9th and Christian” Screen Printed Banner

pre

2015

BCCC Poet Laureate Print Banner Project 2015

Cultural Incentive Grant for Poetry and the Visual Arts

Screenprinted Banner Project, Banners Installed at BCCC Library, Newtown, PA

Wurlitzer Foundation, Fellow, Taos, New Mexico, 2015

Winter 2015: 3-month Residency : [Helene Wurlitzer Foundation](#), Taos NM

“Tree of Life” Mural in Frenchtown NJ, 2013, Harrison Street

Etching Studio Printer, Springfield, NJ, for [HELEN FRANK](#),

STUDIO ASSISTANT to [LEON GOLUB](#) & [NANCY SPERO](#) – 1986-1991:

Assigned to all practical functions within the artists studio. Prep, masking, paint layering and finish work on Mr. Golub's paintings. Master Printer of Mr. Golub's etchings: editioned at Bob [Blackburns Printmaking Workshop](#), NYC INHOUSE and ONSITE printer for Ms. Spero. Printed accompanying Ms. Spero for on site for installations. Projects included Josh Baer Gallery, NY; S.L. Simpson Gallery, Toronto; L.O. Gallery, Phila; 4 Cities Project, Derry, N Ireland; Circulo des Bellas Artes, Madrid; New Museum of Contemporary Art, NY. 1986–1991

[Leon Golub](#) 2nd printing of [1950's Etchings/Monoprinted](#) by Collaboration at Bob Blackburn's Printmaking Workshop

Nancy Spero : Collaborative Torture Print for Center of Contemporary Art, NYC

TEACHING

- Bucks County Community College: Drawing, Screenprinting: 2003 – present
- Raritan Valley Community College: Art of the Book, Color Theory, Screenprinting, Art Appreciation, Contemporary Printmaking, Woodcut, Relief, Monoprinting, 2-D Design, Lithography : 2003 – 2023
- The College of New Jersey: The Art of the Book, Conceptual Art Seminar/Studio: Foundation • RCIPP, New Brunswick, NJ - monoprinting workshops • Lower East Side Printshop, NYC - Screenprinting Workshops • Artworks, Trenton, NJ – Woodcut Workshops and Adult Figure Drawing Classes • NJ Center For the Arts - Summit - Etching • Drew University, Madison NJ - Etching, Monoprinting & Lithography • Mason Gross School of the Arts - Director of Screenprinting Studio

COMMUNITY Fundraisers & Design PROJECTS

- CivilianArt: Graphic Design & Screenprinting : Specializing in Tee Shirt Graphics & Civilian's Printmaking Studio: Linocut, Etching, Monotype Classes Handprinted T-shirt & Monoprinting Workshops
- The Steamroller Gallery cooperative gallery , Frenchtown, NJ Director & founding partner with M. Henkin Bader charged with all the basic functions of the gallery: monthly mailings, hangings , PR

- 3 Artists Creekside . Founding partner , artist collective , Frenchtown NJ
- Coordinator of High School Youth Mural Project “TREE OF LIFE” at 108 Harrison St, Frenchtown NJ summer 2007
- T-Shirt Design Contests: Environmental Club, Del Val High School and many others.
- Graphic Designer for RIVERFEST, Frenchtown NJ 2005 – present
- Special Projects Director for CREO. the creative voice of the river valley, a local arts publication in Bucks/Hunterdon Counties/Delaware River Valley: 2001-3
- Coordinator of an Art Auction to benefit the Frenchtown Elementary Art Program 1995
- 8th grade Project to Layout and Research the Frenchtown Newsletter
- Founding Member of A.G.E.N.T. a local environmental education organization
- Organizer of Annual River Garbage Sculpture Project, Frenchtown, NJ – 2 years
- PTA sponsored printmaking projects at the Frenchtown Elementary School:
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- PTA sponsored after school printmaking program

PRINTED MATTER

- The Vagina Monologues playbill, illustrations page 4 & 39, Jersey City NJ : 2009
- PAINTING IN THE KEY OF LIGHT: the work of Val Sivilli, cover article, TIME OFF, throughout central NJ, June 16-25 2000
- Sunday Star Ledger, Eileen Watkins, SPOTLIGHT, ART CENTER 1996
- TIME OFF, Cover article, Steve Janus 1996
- “One man’s trash becomes another’s treasure” 1996
- Liz Johnson, WHAT’s Up, Hunterdon County Democrat & Del Val News
- ART CENTER, showing the art of the local & world community, Courier News 1996
- STAR LEDGER, “Trash Art in Frenchtown” 1995
- PROFILE – Frenchtown woman exhibits , DEL VAL NEWS 1994
- Fish & Figurative – Springfield Leader, Suburban news 1994
- Heresies Magazine: The Art of Education editorial collective, 1990
- Texas Fine Arts, Juried Print Exhibit” Exhibition catalog, essay by Wendy Weitman, asst curator, MOMA Visual Arts, At the Edge II Austin American-Statesman 1009
- Reagan: American Icon Exhibition Catalog, curated by Robert Metzger, 1989
- A Skewering of Reagan In a Surprising Form The New York Times, Sunday, 1989
- Watershed, Lewisberg Exhibit Features Reagan The Philadelphia Inquirer, 1989

- Reagan in Art: Bucknell show depicts Ex-President Phila Inquirer, Daily Magazine 1989