

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

2014 MFA, Studio Art, Focus: Ceramics, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
2009 B.S. Cum Laude, Art and Design, Focus: Ceramics, Towson University, Towson, MD

Professional Experience

2016-Present Adjunct Professor of Ceramics, Dept. of Art + Design, Art History, Art Education,
Towson University, Towson, MD
2023-Present Gallery Curator, Manor Mill Gallery, Monkton, MD
2023-Present Ceramics Instructor, Manor Mill, Monkton, MD
2016-2023 Chesapeake Gallery Coordinator, Department of Art + Design, Harford Community
College, Bel Air, MD
2017-2023 Ceramics Instructor, New Phoenix Pottery, Cockeysville, MD
2014-2020 Ceramics Instructor, Baltimore Clayworks, Baltimore, MD
2015 Ceramics Instructor, City Neighbors Summer Camp, Baltimore, MD
2012-2013 Adjunct Instructor of Ceramics, Department of Art, Florida State University,
Tallahassee, FL

Awards

2017 *Award of Excellence*, 47th Annual Open Juried Exhibition, Nancy M. Woodward
Gallery, York, PA
2016 *Second Place Award*, What Goes Bump in the Night 2016, Victor F. Keen Gallery at
Clay Arts Vegas, Las Vegas, NV
Third Place Ceramics Award, 21st Annual Arts in Harmony 2016 International Arts
Show, The Sherburne County Government Center, Elk River, MN
2015 *Best of Show Award*, What Goes Bump in the Night 2015, Victor F. Keen Gallery,
Las Vegas, NV
2014 *Coordinators' Award*, Beasties-National Juried Exhibition, Sebastopol Center for the
Arts Gallery, Sebastopol, CA
Area Award in Ceramics, Florida State University's Dept. of Art, Tallahassee, FL
Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award Nomination, Florida State University,
Tallahassee, FL
2013 *Honorable Mention Award*, CLAY 2013-Juried Exhibition, Norman, OK

Solo & Two-Person Exhibitions

2023 *Divergent Entities*, Solo Exhibition, The East Main Gallery at The Delaplaine Arts
Center, Frederick, MD
2020 *Obscure Oddities: Clay Creations*, Solo Exhibition, Saville Gallery, Allegany Arts
Council, Cumberland, MD
2019 *A Glimpse Into Beyond*, Solo Exhibition, Schacht Gallery, Saratoga Clay Arts Center,
Schuylerville, N.Y.
2018 *Aberrant Beings*, Solo Exhibition, Baltimore Clayworks, Baltimore, MD
2017 *Unknown, Uncertain and Unexplained*, Solo Exhibition, The New Gallery at The
Delaplaine Arts Center, Frederick, MD
Otherworldly Entities, Solo Exhibition, Glenview Mansion Gallery, Rockville, MD
Phantasmagorical, Two-Person Exhibition, Howard County Arts Council,
Ellicott City, MD
Brad Blair and Jodi Hoover, Two-Person Exhibition, Hal Gomer Gallery, Brooklyn

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- Park, MD
- 2016 *Future Unknown*, Solo Exhibition, The Common Ground Gallery, VisArts at Rockville, Rockville, MD
A Breed of Their Own, Solo Exhibition, The Terrace Gallery, BlackRock Center for the Arts, Germantown, MD
- 2015 *Forms From Life and Nature*, Two-Person Exhibition, Chesapeake Gallery, Harford Community College, Bel Air, MD

Group Exhibitions

- 2023 *My Next-Door Neighbor*, Wildfire Ceramic Studio, Missoula, MT
Visions in Clay 2023, LH Horton Jr. Gallery, Stockton, CA
13th Annual Workhouse Clay International, Vulcan Gallery, Workhouse Art Center, Lorton, VA
95th Annual International Juried Show, Art Association of Harrisburg, Harrisburg, PA
Hotter 'N Hell 2023, Orville Hanchey Gallery, Northwestern State University, Natchitoches, LA
Summer Group Show, Katsea Gallery, Towson, MD
10x10x10" Exhibition, ArtWise Gallery, Grand Forks, ND
2023 Annual Art +Design Faculty & Staff Exhibition, Chesapeake Gallery, Harford Community College, Bel Air, MD
- 2022 *Creep Show*, The Clay Center of New Orleans, New Orleans, LA
2022 Annual Art +Design Faculty & Staff Exhibition, Chesapeake Gallery, Harford Community College, Bel Air, MD
- 2021 *And Still We Rise*, The Gallery at CCBC Essex, Essex, MD
Proximity 2021, The Clay Co-Op, Rockville, MD
2021 Department of Art + Design, Art History, Art Education Faculty Biennial, Center for the Arts Gallery, Towson University, Towson, MD
What Goes Bump in the Night 2021, Clay Arts Vegas, Las Vegas, NV
2021 National Juried Exhibition, The Delaplaine Arts Center, Frederick, MD
Form and Function Ceramic Exhibition, Applied Contemporary Gallery, Oakland, CA
2021 Annual Art +Design Faculty & Staff Exhibition, Chesapeake Gallery, Harford Community College, Bel Air, MD
- 2020 *Proximity 2020*, The Clay Co-Op, Rockville, MD
2020 Annual Art +Design Faculty & Staff Exhibition, Chesapeake Gallery, Harford Community College, Bel Air, MD
Out of Order, Maryland Art Place (MAP), Baltimore, MD
- 2019 *Second Tri-Annual Maryland State Artist Registry Juried Exhibition*, Maryland Art Place (MAP), Baltimore, MD
Ambush, The Art Trust Gallery, West Chester, PA
Visions in Clay 2019, LH Horton Jr. Gallery, Stockton, CA
Moon Invitational Exhibition, Delaplaine Arts Center, Frederick, MD
Collaboration Exhibition, Victor F. Keen Gallery, Clay Arts Vegas, Las Vegas, NV
2019 Annual Art +Design Faculty & Staff Exhibition, Chesapeake Gallery, Harford Community College, Bel Air, MD
- 2018 *2018 Department of Art + Design, Art History, Art Education Faculty Biennial*, Center for the Arts Gallery, Towson University, Towson, MD
What Goes Bump in the Night 2018 (Featured Artist), Victor F. Keen Gallery, Clay Arts Vegas, Las Vegas, NV
2018 Bank of the Arts National Juried Exhibition, Craven Arts Council and Gallery, New Bern, NC
Fun House 2018: Art of the Surreal, Fantastic, & Bizarre, Barrett Art Center, Poughkeepsie, NY
2018 Annual Art +Design Faculty & Staff Exhibition, Chesapeake Gallery, Harford

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- Community College, Bel Air, MD
- 2017 *Standing Together*, Baltimore School for the Arts Gallery, Baltimore, MD
47th Annual Open Juried Exhibition, Nancy M. Woodward Gallery, York, PA
Visions in Clay 2017, LH Horton Jr. Gallery, Stockton, CA
Altered Realities, Maryland Art Place (MAP), Baltimore, MD
Americas 2017: All Media Exhibition, Hartnett Hall Gallery, Northwest Art Center, Minot State University, Minot, ND
22nd Annual Arts in Harmony 2017 International Show, The Blaine City Hall, Blaine, MN
2017 Annual Faculty and Staff Exhibition, Chesapeake Gallery, Harford Community College, Bel Air, MD
- 2016 *Creatures: Real and Imagined*, uBe Art Gallery, Berkeley, CA
2016 Dept. of Art + Design, Art History, Art Education Faculty Biennial, Center for the Arts Gallery, Towson University, Towson, MD
What Goes Bump in the Night 2016, Victor F. Keen Gallery, Clay Arts Vegas, Las Vegas, NV
RARE EARTH: National Ceramics Exhibition, Cabrillo Gallery, Aptos, CA
Galactic Pleasures, The Studio Door, San Diego, CA
Creatures: Real and Imagined, uBe Art Gallery, Berkeley, CA
21st Annual Arts in Harmony 2016 International Arts Show, The Sherburne County Government Center, Elk River, MN
- 2015 *Imagine the Fantastic*, LH Horton Jr. Gallery, Stockton, CA
What Goes Bump in the Night 2015, Victor F. Keen Gallery, Clay Arts Vegas, Las Vegas, NV
35th Anniversary Show, Baltimore Clayworks, Baltimore, MD
2015 Third Coast National, K Space Contemporary, Corpus Christi, TX
After Dark IV, Greg Moon Art, Taos, NM
America's Clayfest III, Blue Line Arts Gallery, Roseville, CA
20th Annual Arts in Harmony 2015 International Arts Show, Elk River Area Arts Alliance Gallery, Elk River, MN
- 2014 *Beasties*, Sebastopol Center for the Arts Gallery, Sebastopol, CA
What Goes Bump in the Night 2014, Victor F. Keen Gallery, Clay Arts Vegas, Las Vegas, NV
Visions in Clay 2014, LH Horton Jr. Gallery, Stockton, CA
2014 Third Coast National, K Space Contemporary, Corpus Christi, TX
MFA Thesis Exhibition, Museum of Fine Arts, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
Valdosta National 2014, Valdosta State University's Fine Arts Gallery, Valdosta, GA
All-Florida Ceramics Invitational, South Gallery, Jacksonville, FL
Currents: Mixtus National Exhibition, Focus Gallery, Gainesville, FL

Bibliography

- 2018 *Ceramics Monthly Magazine*, Page 31, Artwork Publication, May 2017, USA
Grub Street Vol. 67, Towson University's Literary & Arts Magazine, Artwork Publication, Towson, MD
- 2017 *Ceramics Monthly Magazine*, Page 81, Artwork Publication, October 2017, USA
- 2016 Caro Buermann, Artwork Review: "Brad Blair Sculpts Monstrosities out of Clay and Mixed Media," *HiFructose.com*, February 23, 2016.
Kult Magazine #18-Observation, Artwork Publication, Singapore
Ariadna Zierold, Artwork Review: "Monster Sculptures by Brad Blair," *UpperPlayground.com*, February 28, 2016.

Juror of Exhibitions

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- 2018 *What Goes Bump in the Night 2018*, Clay Arts Vegas, Victor F. Keen Gallery,
Las Vegas, NV
- 2016 *2016 Juried Student Art Exhibition*, Chesapeake Gallery, Harford Community College,
Bel Air, MD

Workshops Hosted

- 2018 Two-Day Ceramic Workshop, Clay Arts Vegas, Las Vegas, NV
- One-Day Ceramic Workshop and Presentation, Anne Arundel Community College,
Arnold, MD