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Background

Born 1955 in Santa Monica, California

Education

1998: Master of Fine Arts, California College of the Arts (formerly, California College of Arts and Crafts), Oakland, Ca.

1983: BSN, University of California at Los Angeles

One-, Two- and Three-Person Exhibitions

2008

- **Solo Exhibit**, Sonoma Valley Museum of Art, Sonoma, CA.

2004

- **"Give and Take: Pamela Merory Dernham"**, The Gatehouse Gallery, diRosa Preserve, Napa, CA.

2003

- **"Figurative Work by Elizabeth Addison & Pamela Merory Dernham"**, curated by Diana Lynn, Green Shutter Gallery, Hayward, CA.

2001

- **"Pamela Dernham/Kathy Gore Fuss/Nemo Gould Sculpture"**, V. Breier Gallery, San Francisco, CA

Selected Group Exhibitions

2007

- **SOFA: Sculptural Objects and Functional Art Exposition**, representing Mowen Solinsky Gallery, Chicago, IL.
- **"Wired"**, Mowen Solinsky Gallery, Nevada City, CA.

2006

- **"The Family of Clay: CCA Ceramics, 1950-2005"**, curated by Arthur Gonzalez and Nancy Servis, Oliver Art Center, Oakland, CA.
- **"InSights: Pamela Merory Dernham, Lowell Downey, Janna Waldinger, and Dana Zed"**, curated by Art & Clarity, St Supery Winery, Yountville, CA.

2005

- **"All in the Family IV"**, di Rosa Preserve, Napa, CA.
- **"An Array of Small Works"**, Crockett Contemporary Art, Crockett, CA.
- **"In the Round"**, curated by Cathy Kimball, San Jose Institute of Contemporary Art, San Jose, CA.

2004

- **"Off the Rim: Pacific Rim Sculptors Group"**, curated by Brooke Barrie, Grounds for Sculpture, Hamilton, NJ.

2003

- **"Pacific Rim Sculptors Group Fall Members Exhibition"**, juried by Cheryl Haines, San Francisco, CA.
- **"Pacific Rim Sculptors Group Summer Exhibition"**, juried by Steven Oliver, San Francisco, CA.

2002

- **"A Figurative Show"**, V. Breier Gallery, San Francisco, CA.
- **"Oakland Portraits: Then and Now, 1852-2002"**, California State Building, Oakland, CA.
- **"Steamie Crème With No Theme"**, work from the di Rosa Preserve and Pacific Rim Sculptors Group, curated by Rene di Rosa, San Francisco, CA.

2001

- **"Seventh Annual Members Show"** with Pacific Rim Sculptors Group, juried by Rene de Guzman, San Francisco, CA.

2000

- **"Pro Arts 2000 Juried Annual"**, at Pro Arts Gallery, juried by Larry Rinder, Oakland, CA.
- **"Founders Day Alumni Exhibition"**, California College of Arts and Crafts, juried by Maria Porges and Douglas Nickel, San Francisco, CA.

1999

- **"California College of Arts and Crafts Alumni Sculpture Exhibition"**, juried by Carrie Lederer, Oakland City Hall, Oakland, CA.
- **"Igniting the Edge: Forging New Geographies, Categories, & Identities"**, curated by Terri Cohn, Artcore Brewery Annex, Los Angeles, CA.

1998

- **"Material Matters: An Exhibition Exploring Alternative Media in Art"**, Gensler, San Francisco, CA.

1997

- **"L'Chaim: A Kiddush Cup Invitational"**, The Jewish Museum, San Francisco, CA.
- **"Pacific Rim Sculptors Group"**, Claudia Chapline Gallery, Stinson Beach, CA.

1996

- **"Altar - ed Images"**, curated by Cameron Cartiere. Falkirk Cultural Center, Ross, CA.
- **"Ceramics in Northern California"**, juried by Sandy Simon, Clayton Bailey, and John Toki. Bedford Gallery, Walnut Creek, CA.

1995

- **"The Female Gaze: Nudes by Women"**, Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL.

1994

- **"California Clay Competition"**, juried by Sandy Simon. The Artery, Davis, CA.

1993

- **"Objects of Desire"**, San Francisco Women Artists Gallery, San Francisco, CA.

Permanent Site Specific Installations

2007

- **Second Place Finalist for Lobby Sculpture at 545 Madison Avenue, New York, NY.**

2000

- **Wire wall sculpture for the Sonoma, CA. home of Kimberly and Simon Blattner.**

1999

- **Main reception area at Arthur Andersen Company, San Francisco, CA.**

Installations

2000

- **Alice Art Center Window**, Oakland, CA.

1998

- **The Oakland Neighborhood Windows Project**, Oakland, CA.

Selected Corporate & Private Collections

The di Rosa Preserve, Napa, Ca.

Arthur Anderson & Associates

Lou & Sue Agetta, Pleasant Hill, Ca.

Gillian Anderson, Malibu, Ca.

Kimberly and Simon Blattner, Sonoma, Ca.

Bernie & Walt Brooks, Napa, Ca.

Terri Cohn, San Francisco, Ca.

Bruce Colman & Margaret Sheehan, San Francisco, Ca.

Sylvie & Jean Louis Couderc, Clermont-Ferrand, France

Bob Dickinson & Michael Marler, Palms Springs, Ca.

Diane Durst, Ross, Ca.

Diane & Todd Garrett, Tiburon, Ca.
 R. Bonnie Glaser, PhD., Berkeley, Ca.
 Rima Goodman & Lyn Kupferman, Los Angeles, Ca.
 Espe & Alex Greenwood, Pleasant Hill, Ca.
 Beth Grossman & Storrs Hoen, Brisbane, Ca.
 Doug Heen, Santa Rosa, Ca.
 Joe Hall, San Francisco, Ca.
 Robert Huang, Berkeley, Ca.
 Cherie & Keith Hughes, Dallas, Tx.
 Jack Klingelhofer, Oakland, Ca.
 George M. Kraw, San Jose, Ca.
 Robin Lail, Rutherford, Ca.
 Charlotte & Jim Lamb, Sonoma, Ca.
 Rebecca Lee, Napa, Ca.
 Anna Lijphart & Brian Dougherty, Lafayette, Ca.
 Barbara Linden, EdD. & Irwin Linden, MD., Encino, Ca.
 Elaina Mann & Linda Zitzner, Oakland, Ca.
 Mary Miner, San Francisco, Ca. & London, England.
 Christiane & Lucien Narducci, Montlucon, France
 Tom Peters, Palo Alto, Ca.
 Charles Rashall, Hillsborough, Ca.
 Richard Retecki, Oakland, Ca.
 Suzanne Richmond, San Pedro, Ca.
 Harold Rosenbluth, Haverford, Pa.
 John Simpson, San Francisco, Ca.
 Jim Smith, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.
 Ron and Yvonne Taylor, San Francisco, Ca.
 Winston Vaughan, San Francisco, Ca.
 Jamsheed Wania, San Jose, Ca.
 Ellen & Craig Whittom, Lafayette, Ca.
 James Williamson, San Francisco, Ca.
 Vanessa Wong & Nicholas Peay III, Healdsburg, Ca.

Memberships & Affiliations

Alumni Council of the California College of the Arts from 1997 to 2005
 Pacific Rim Sculptors Group, Exhibition Chair from 1998 to 2001
 Artist Leadership Network
 Women's Caucus for the Arts

Publications

2005

- Gant, M.S. "Around the Rim: New Shows at SJICA and MACLA", Metro, Silicon Valley, CA., www.metroactive.com

2004

- Rivera, F.R. "Non-Linear Work from Off the Rim", U.S. 1 Newspaper.

1997

- Kraft, F. "L'Chaim! Kiddush Cup Exhibit", Canadian Jewish News, 1997.

1995

- "Exhibits Examine Differences, Similarities of Genders", Chicago Sun-Times, Chicago, Il.

Curatorial

2000

- **"Beneath the Skin: Anatomy as Iconography"**, in association with Kent Alexander and Gwyn Rhabyt at Works/San Jose Gallery, San Jose, Ca.