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RESUME

Solo/Group 2018

- Invited, "The Art of Our Appalachian Woods," Dairy Barn Arts Center, Athens, OH, June 29-Sept. 3, 2017.

Juried Exhibitions/Other: 2018

- "Pins and Needles," "Excellence in Fibers 3," sponsored by Fiber Art Now. Featured in Fiber Art Now winter issue and exhibit, San Jose Museum of Quilts and Textiles, San Jose, CA, Oct. 19-Jan. 23, 2019.
- "Preparation for Flight" and "Flight of Fancy," "HWD," Rosewood Arts Centre, Dayton, OH, August 27-Oct. 5.
- "Dreaming of Jeannie," "Art From the Heartland 2018," Indianapolis Art Center, IN, June 22-Aug. 8, 2018. 650 entries, 80 works included.
- "Things I Meant to Tell You," "73rd Ohio Annual Exhibition," Zanesville Museum of Art, OH, June 21-Sept. 10, 2018.
- "When the Circus Comes to Town" and "Fragments of My Former Life," Ohio Designer Craftsmen "Best of 2018," Ohio Craft Museum, Columbus, OH, May 6-June 24 and Wayne Center for the Arts, Wooster, OH, July 6-August 23. "When the Circus Comes to Town," received Barbara Robinson Award for Excellence in Traditional Craft Award for Excellence.
- "Ashes to Ashes," Fantastic Fibers, Yeiser Art Center, Paducah, KY, April 14-June 9. There were 360 entries and 42 works selected.
- "Preparation for Flight," Act 2: Art as a Career Sequel, Peters Valley School of Craft, Layton, NJ, April 14-May 20.
- "Slither," 6th Biennial Member Showcase, Fitton Center for Creative Arts, Hamilton, OH, April 14-June 29.
- "It's All Relative," Ohio Art League Spring Juried Exhibition, Griffin Gallery at Creekside, Gahanna, OH, April 6-May 12.

Solo/Group Exhibitions: 2017

- “UnFunction,” curated group exhibition, Weston Art Gallery, Cincinnati, OH. Other participating artists: Allison Wade, Chris Vorhees, Dan Devening, Daniel Bare, Tracy Featherstone, Leslie Baum and Denise Burge; Sept. 9-Nov. 19.
- “Ties That Bind,” with my sister, the painter Catherine Wells, Cox Art Gallery, Maysville, KY, Feb. 3-March 1.

Juried Exhibitions/Other: 2017

- Ohio Art Council’s Riffe Gallery 2nd Biennial Juried Exhibition, Columbus, OH, Nov. 2-Jan. 7, 2018.
- “Preparation for Flight” and “Dreaming of Jeannie,” 48th Hamilton Current, Fitton Center for Creative Arts, Hamilton, OH, April 29-July 7. “Dreaming of Jeannie” received the Silver Prize 3D.
- “Slither,” Ohio Designer Craftsmen “Best of 2017,” Ohio Craft Museum, Columbus, May 7-June 18; Southern Ohio Museum, Portsmouth, OH, July 7-Sept. 9. “Slither” received the Brian Lonsway Memorial Award for “Humor in Craft.”
- “Pins and Needles,” National Basketry Organization, “All Things Considered 9: Basketry in the 21st Century,” American Art Company, Tacoma, WA, July 20-Sept. 2.
- Workshop, “Mason County Market Basket,” Washington Hall, Washington, Ky., April 27. Twenty-two attendees. Sponsored by Ohio River Valley Artists Guild.

Solo/Group Exhibitions: 2016

- Group, “From the Earth,” Claypool-Young Art Gallery, Morehead State University, Morehead, KY, Oct. 12-Nov. 22. Presented artist lecture Oct. 24.
- Solo, “Vessels: To Have and to Hold,” Manifest Art Gallery, Cincinnati, Aug. 12-Sept. 9, 2016. Manifest’s selection process is highly competitive; 151 proposals were submitted by artists all over the country; nine were selected for solo exhibits in 2015-16. Presented artist lecture Aug. 27.

Juried Exhibitions/Other: 2016

- “Preparation for Flight,” 72nd Ohio Annual Exhibition, Zanesville Museum of Art, Zanesville, OH, June 16-Sept. 9.
- “Pins and Needles,” Ohio Designer Craftsmen “Best of 2016,” Ohio Craft Museum, May 1-Jun 19; Fine Arts Center Gallery, Bowling Green State University, Aug. 23-Sept. 28, Bowling Green, OH; and Richard M. Ross Museum, Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, OH, Oct. 10-Dec. 16. Online gallery: <http://ohiocraft.org/ocm-exhibitions/current/best-of-2016-exhibition/>

- “Trophy, Dear,” Fifth Biennial Fitton Center Member Showcase (non-juried), Fitton Center, May 7-July 8, 2016.
- “Codependent,” Focus: Fiber 2016, Kent State University Art Museum, Kent, OH, Feb. 2-July 3.
- “Greek to Me,” OH+5 Ohio Border Biennial, Dairy Barn Arts Center, Athens, OH, Jan. 23-March 12.

Solo/Group Exhibitions: 2014-15

- Solo, “Twisted Tradition,” Eva G. Farris Art Gallery, Thomas More College, Crestview Hills, KY, June 1-19, 2015.
- Group, “Home,” Fitton Center, Jan. 10-Feb. 20, 2015 (several artworks retained through March 7).
- Solo, “Twisted Traditions: The Contemporary Basketry of Elizabeth Runyon,” Zanesville Museum of Art, Oct. 30-Dec. 6, 2014. Presented artist lecture Nov. 20.

Juried Exhibitions: 2015

- “Preparation for Flight” and “POT-pourri,” 117th Annual Exhibition of Richmond and Area Artists, Richmond Art Museum, Richmond, IN, Nov. 5-Jan. 16, 2016. “Preparation for Flight” received the Robert and Carol Eberle Merit Award.
- “Shape Study: Weeds,” Ohio Art League Fall Juried Exhibition, Ft. Hayes Shot Tower Gallery, Columbus, OH, Sept. 8-Oct. 15.
- “Trio,” HWD 2015: Regional Sculpture Competition, Rosewood Arts Centre, Kettering, OH, Aug. 10-Sept. 11.
- “Leap of Faith,” “After the Pedestal,” The Sculpture Center, Cleveland, OH, June 11-July 31.
- “Out of School,” 71st Annual Ohio Exhibition, Zanesville Museum of Art, June 11-Aug. 21.
- “Shape Study: Weeds,” 47th Greater Hamilton Art Exhibition, Fitton Center, March 28-May 15.
- “Well Urned,” Fantastic Fibers 2015, Yeiser Art Center, Paducah, KY, April 11-June 6. (430 entries, 60 artworks accepted).
- “Codependent,” Ohio Designer Craftsmen, “Best of 2015,” Ohio Craft Museum, May 3-June 21; Southern Ohio Museum, July 20-August; and Mansfield Art Center, Mansfield, OH, Sept. 20-Oct. 25.
- “Rocket,” National Basketry Organization, “All Things Considered 8,” The Grand Hand, St. Paul, MN, July 9-Aug. 9; and Fruitlands Museum, Harvard, MA, Sept. 19-Nov. 8.

Juried Exhibitions: 2014

- “Child’s Pose,” 70th Annual Ohio Exhibition, Zanesville Museum of Art, Oct. 11-Jan. 3, 2015.

- “Amazing Vase II” and “Codependent,” 116th Annual Exhibition by Richmond and Area Artists, Richmond Art Museum, Nov. 7-Dec. 17.
- “Rocket,” HWD 2014: Regional Sculpture Competition, Rosewood Arts Centre, Aug. 25-Sept. 26.
- “Greek to Me,” Regional Sculpture exhibition, Manifest Art Gallery, Aug. 15-Sept. 12.
- “No Exit” and “Critter,” Ohio Designer Craftsmen “Best of 2014,” Ohio Craft Museum, May 4-June 22; Wassenberg Art Center, Van Wert, OH, July 12-August 24; and French Art Colony, Gallipolis, OH, Sept. 5-28.
- “Amazing Vase,” Fantastic Fibers 2014, Yeiser Art Center, April 5-May 24.
- “Greek to Me,” sculpture exhibition, Red Tree Art Gallery, Cincinnati, OH, February 2014.

Juried Exhibition: 2013

- OH+5 Border Biennial 2013, Dairy Barn Arts Center, Oct. 4-Nov. 24.
- “Call Me Ichthus,” first place award winner, fiber/textiles/quilt category, 69th Annual Ohio Exhibition, Zanesville Museum of Art, Sept. 14-Nov. 16.
- “Vessels: All the Eyes Can Hold,” Kennedy Heights Art Center, Cincinnati, OH, Aug. 17-Sept. 28.
- Ohio Designer Craftsmen “Best of 2013,” Ohio Craft Museum, May 5-June 23; Southern Ohio Museum, Portsmouth, OH, July 12-Sept. 30, 2013; and Springfield Art Museum, Springfield, OH, Oct. 8-Dec. 1.
- Fantastic Fibers 2013, Yeiser Art Center, April 6-May 4, 2013. (800 entries from all over the world, 54 artworks accepted)
- “No Exit,” honorable mention award, 46th Greater Hamilton Art Exhibition, Fitton Center, March 16-May 31.

Juried Exhibitions/Other: 2011-12

- Red Tree Art Gallery, October 2011.
- “Sisters: The Road From Home,” with my sibling, the painter Catherine Wells, Oxford Community Art Center, Oxford, OH, August 2011.

Organizations

- Member: Ohio Designer Craftsmen, Fitton Center, Ohio Art League, Ohio River Valley Artists Guild
- Featured Member, National Basketry Organization (<http://nationalbasketry.org/elizabeth-runyon/>)

Education, Classes

- Graduate, University of Cincinnati
- Miami University, Craft Summer: 2003, 2004, 2006 including sweetgrass, Nantucket and white oak traditions.
- John C. Campbell Folk School, Brasstown, N.C.: white oak.
- Appalachian Center for Craft, Smithville, TN: 2014, weaving with non-traditional materials.