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Education:

Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, Philadelphia, Certificate, 1978 Philadelphia College of Art, BFA, 1979 Art Students League, New York City, Summer, 1975 School of Visual Arts, New York City, 1973-1974 Carnegie-Mellon University School of Fine Arts, Pittsburgh, Summer 1973

Solo Exhibitions:

F.A.N. Gallery, Philadelphia, "American Street," 1996 Nexus Foundation for Today's Art, Philadelphia, "Heavenly City," 1993 Camden County College Gallery, Camden, NJ, 1990 Pleiades Gallery, New York City, 1985 and 1987 The More Gallery, Philadelphia, 1983 Race Gallery, Philadelphia, 1979 The Theater Place, Pleasantville, NY, 1978

Selected Group Exhibitions:

Museum of American Art of the Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, "The Unbroken Line, 1897-1997," 1997

Nexus Foundation for Today's Art, "Nexus is 21." 1997

F.A.N. Gallery, Philadelphia, group show, 1996 and 1997

Borowsky Gallery, Gershman Y, Philadelphia, "City Lights," 1996

Art in City Hall, "Philadelphia Views," 1996

Rider University Gallery, Lawrenceville, NJ, "Entropic Zones: Buildings and Structures of the Contemporary City," 1995

West Chester University Gallery, West Chester, PA, 98th Annual Juried Exhibition, Fellowship of the Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, 1995

Bryn Mawr College Gallery, Bryn Mawr, PA, "Landscape Works by Women Artists: Selections from the Scott Memorial Study Collection," 1994

Southern Alleghenies Museum of Art, "Hard Choices III," six-museum traveling exhibition of Pennsylvania Council on the Arts Visual Arts Fellows, 1993-1994.

Viridian Gallery, New York City, "Nexus at Viridian," 1994
Cheltenham Center for the Arts, Approx Exhibition, Cl. 14

Cheltenham Center for the Arts, Annual Exhibition, Cheltenham PA, 1994 (Charlotta Kotik, juror); 1989 (Lisa Phillips); 1988 (Lowrey Sims); 1986 (Dore Ashton) Woodmere Art Museum, Philadelphia, Fellowship of the Pennsylvania Academy

Annual Juried Exhibition, 1994.

Nexus Foundation for Today's Art, Philadelphia, "I.D.," 1995; "Alternatives," 1993; "Small Works," 1993; "Pleiades Exchange Show," 1986

Cheltenham Center for the Arts, "7 Sculptors," invitational exhibit allied with the International Sculpture Conference, 1992.

State Museum of Pennsylvania, Harrisburg, "Art of the State: Pennsylvania '92" Foundation for the Arts and Sciences, Loveladies, NJ, 1991

Community Education Center, Philadelphia, "Art at the Armory Selects," 1990

103d Engineers Armory, Philadelphia, "Art at the Armory: Philadelphia Artists," 1990 Philadelphia Art Alliance, "Four/Sites," 1990

American College, Bryn Mawr, PA, Fellowship of the Pennsylvania Academy Annual, 1990

Painted Bride Art Center, Philadelphia, "Open Ateliers," 1989

Stedman Gallery, Rutgers University, City of Camden Annual, 1986, 1988, and 1989

Painted Bride Art Center, "BackGrounds: Autobiographical Statements," 1988

Allentown Art Museum, Allentown, PA, Annual Exhibition, 1986 (Patterson Simms, juror), 1988 (Monique Beudert, juror)

Port of History Museum, Philadelphia, "Art Fighting AIDS," 1987

56 Thomas Street, New York City, "Summertime," 3-person show, 1987

Noyes Museum, Oceanville, NJ, Fellowship of the Pennsylvania Academy Annual, 1986 Nexus, "Pleiades Exchange Show." 1986

Pleiades Gallery, New York City, 1985 and 1986

Rodger LaPelle Gallery, Philadelphia, sculpture show, 1985 and 1986

Peale House, Pennsylvania Academy, Annual Fellowship Exhibition, 1985

Woodmere Art Museum, Philadelphia, Annual Juried Exhibition, 1980, 1983

The More Gallery, Philadelphia, "Eight Sculptors," 1982

Museum of the Philadelphia Civic Center, Cheltenham Art Center Annual, 1980

William Penn Memorial Museum, Harrisburg, PA, Greater Harrisburg Art Festival, 1980 Woodmere Art Museum, "The Figure." 1980

Grants and Awards:

Visual Arts Fellowship, Pennsylvania Council on the Arts, 1992

Pilyna Sitarchuk Memorial Award, Cheltenham Center for the Arts Annual Painting Exhibition (Charlotta Kotik, juror), Cheltenham, 1994

Barbara Specker Gorson Award, Cheltenham Center for the Arts, Annual Painting Exhibition (Lisa Phillips, juror), Cheltenham, PA, 1989

First Prize, Prints, City of Camden Annual Exhibition, Stedman Gallery, Rutgers University, 1988

Best in Show, City of Camden Annual Exhibition, Stedman Gallery, Rutgers University, 1986

Charles Knox Smith Founders Prize, Woodmere Art Museum, Philadelphia, 1983 Best of Show, Katonah Gallery (Jack Beal, juror), Katonah, NY 1980

Fred and Naomi Gibson Hazel Prize, Woodmere Art Museum, 1980

Teaching Experience:

Greene Street Friends School, Philadelphia, lower school art teacher, 1986-1988 Main Line Center for the Arts, Haverford, PA, sculpture, 1986 Private drawing classes, 1978-1985 Main Line School Night Association, Radnor, PA, sculpture, 1982-1983 Hussian School of Art, Philadelphia, guest instructor, sculpture, 1981 University City Arts League, Philadelphia, drawing, 1980

Selected Bibliography:

Sozanski, Edward J., "F.A.N. Gallery," *The Philadelphia Inquirer*, June 21, 1996. Nugent, Jeanne, "Industrial Sights," *Philadelphia Weekly*, June 19, 1996. Raynor, Vivien, "Relentless March of Industrial Decay," *The New York Times*, March 5, 1995.

Hudson, Alexia, "A City in Ruins," Welcomat, March 1, 1995.

Sozanski, Edward J., "A Fluid Technique Imparting a Feeling of Immediacy," *The Philadelphia Inquirer*, May 14, 1993.

Rice, Robin, "The Many Faces of Realism," *Philadelphia City Paper*, May 21, 1993 Crohn, Jennifer, "Installations of Sound and Action," *The Philadelphia Inquirer*, February 23, 1990

Moran, Kate, "Four/Sites," New Art Examiner, Summer 1990 Donohoe, Victoria, "Painted Bride," The Philadelphia Inquirer, October 7, 1988 "At a Manhattan Loft, Art and Law Coexist," The New York Times, February 15, 1987

Collections:

Bryn Mawr College, William and Uytendale Scott Memorial Study Collection Private Collections in New York City, Philadelphia, Richmond and Quebec