

# Lily Bennett

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## Curriculum Vitae

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### Education

- 2024     **MFA**            University of Montana, Missoula, MT
- 2019     **BFA**                Sierra Nevada College, Incline Village, NV

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### Teaching Experience

- 2024     **Adjunct Professor**, Ceramics I, University of Montana, Missoula, MT  
**Workshop Instructor**, MAM (Montana Art Museum), Missoula, MT
- 2023     **Instructor of Record**, Visual Language-Drawing, University of Montana, Missoula, MT  
**Graduate Assistantship**, Visual Language- Drawing, University of Montana, Missoula, MT  
**Graduate Assistantship**, Visual Language-Drawing, University of Montana, Missoula, MT
- 2022     **Instructor of Record**, Visual Language, 3D Foundations, University of Montana, Missoula, MT  
**Instructor of Record**, Ceramics I, University of Montana, Missoula, MT  
**Graduate Assistantship**, Visual Language-Drawing, University of Montana, Missoula, MT
- 2019     **Teachers Assistant**, Ceramics I, Sierra Nevada College, Incline Village, NV
- 2018     **Teachers Assistant**, Ceramics I, Sierra Nevada College, Incline Village, NV
- 2017     **Teachers Assistant**, Visual Language- Drawing, Sierra Nevada College, Incline Village, NV
- 2016     **Ceramics Instructor**, Tahoe Summer Art Workshops, Incline Village, NV
- 2010     **Sculpture Instructor**, Greenfield Youth Sculpture Park, Greenfield, MA

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### Professional Experience

- 2024     **Burren College of Art Residency**, Ballyvaughan, Ireland  
**Gallery and Front Desk Attendant**, The Clay Studio of Missoula, Missoula, MT
- 2023     **Co-Founder and Director of Lovechild Gallery**, Missoula, MT  
**Juror for “Daydreams” International MFA online exhibition**  
**Artist Lecture**, University of Montana, Missoula MT
- 2019     **Artist Lecture**, “Systems of Solace”, Sierra Nevada University, Incline Village, NV
- 2019     **Mural Designer for Tahoe Families Center**, Incline Village, NV
- 2017-2018     **Gallery Assistant**, Holman Gallery, Sierra Nevada College, Incline Village, NV
- 2015-2017     **2D Technician**, Sierra Nevada College, Incline Village, NV
- 2015-2017     **3D Technician**, Sierra Nevada College, Incline Village, NV
- 2016-2017     **President of Sierra Nevada Artist Collective**, Incline Village, NV
- 2009-2016     **Field Crew**, Morning Glory Farm, Edgartown, MA
- 2008-2010     **Member of the Greenfield Youth Sculpture Park**, Greenfield, MA

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## Solo Exhibitions

- 2024      **“Among the Ruins”** Newtown Castle, Burren College of Art, Ballyvaughan, IR  
2024      **“Embody”** Gallery of Visual Arts, University of Montana, Missoula, MT  
2022      **“Shelter”** Knowles Gallery, Pre-Candidacy Review, Missoula, MT  
2021      **“Summer Dew”** Light Shaft Gallery, Missoula, MT  
2019      **“Systems of Solace”** Holman Gallery, BFA Thesis, Incline Village, NV  
2017      **“Density”** Tahoe Gallery, Incline Village, NV  
2016      **“Repetitive Play”** Junior Showcase, Tahoe Gallery, Incline Village, NV  
2014      **“Outlast”** White Mountain Gallery, Bethlehem, NH
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## Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2024      **“Strange Landscapes”** Blue Galleries, Boise State University, ID  
            **“The Will and The Way”** WildFire Ceramics Studio, Missoula, MT  
            **“One Year”** Lovechild Gallery, Missoula, MT  
2023      **“Art on Loop”** Holy Art Gallery, Athens, GR  
            **“Art on Loop”** Holy Art Gallery, London, UK  
            **“Light and Shadow”** MFA's Curve Gallery, Annapolis, MD  
            **“Allez”**, Public Mural in downtown Missoula, MT  
            **“Paths Crossed”** Clay Studio of Missoula, Missoula, MT  
            **“Here Again”** Knowles Gallery, Missoula, MT  
            **“29th Annual Student Exhibition”** Juried by Courtney Blazon, Missoula, MT  
            **“Lovechild Gallery Grand Opening”**, Missoula, MT  
2022      **“Lovechild”** Knowles Gallery, Missoula MT  
            **“28th Annual Student Exhibition”** Juried by Crista Carleton and Jon Lodge, Missoula, MT  
            **“Graduate Showcase”** Knowles Gallery, Missoula, MT  
            **“SVMA Annual Sculpture Student Exhibition”** University of Montana, Missoula, MT  
            **“Here, There”** ZooTown Arts Community Center, Missoula, MT  
            **“Graduate Showcase”** Knowles Gallery, Missoula MT  
2021      **“Tectonic Emergence”** The Clay Studio of Missoula, Missoula, MT  
            **“27th Annual Student Exhibition”** Juried by Adrian Arleo, Gallery of Visual Arts, Missoula, MT  
            **“SVMA Annual Sculpture Student Exhibition”** Juried by Sojin Choi, Off-Center Gallery,  
            Missoula, MT  
            **“Graduate Exhibition”** Knowles Gallery, Missoula, MT  
2019      **“Senior Student Symposium”** Sierra Nevada College, Incline Village, NV  
            **“Mobile Mud”** Nation Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts (NCECA) Minneapolis, MN  
            **“CCACA”**, California Conference of the Advancement of the Ceramic Arts, Davis, CA  
            **“CLASH”** Juried by Nick Cahill, Holman Gallery, Incline Village, NV  
2018      **“Trashin Fashion”** Holman Gallery, Incline Village, NV  
            **“Look Out”** Capital City Arts Initiative, Carson City, NV  
            **“CCACA”**, California Conference of the Advancement of the Ceramic Arts, Davis, CA  
2017      **“Made in NV”** Capital City Arts Initiative, Carson City, NV  
            **“CCACA”**, California Conference of the Advancement of the Ceramic Arts, Davis, CA  
2016      **“Plant Me”** Holland Project, Reno, NV  
            **“Annual Student Exhibition”** Juried by Laura Bigger, Holman Gallery, Incline Village, NV

- 2015 **"In Continuum"** Tahoe Gallery, Incline Village, NV  
**"Annual Student Exhibition"** Juried by Amy Thompson, Tahoe Gallery, Incline Village, NV
- 2014 **"Art Prom"** Holman Gallery, Incline Village, NV  
**Local Works Marketplace & Gallery at WREN**, Bethlehem, NH  
**"Attack"** White Mountain Gallery, Bethlehem, NH
- 2013 **"Under the Sky"** White Mountain Gallery, Bethlehem, NH  
**"Junior Showcase"** White Mountain School Gallery of Visual Arts, Bethlehem, NH

## Selected Collections

- "Supreme Court"** MMAC (Montana Museum of Art and Culture), Missoula, MT  
**"Warrior for Resistance Mural"**, Allez Public Mural, Missoula, MT  
**"Sea Bud Series"** Holman Art Center, Incline Village, NV  
**"Summer Harvest"** Capital City Arts Initiative, Carson City, NV  
**"Interactive Mountain Mural"** Tahoe Center for Families, Incline Village, NV  
**"Eye see you"** Permanent Outdoor Installation at the Greenfield Youth Sculpture Park, Greenfield, MA  
**"Converse for a Giant"** Permanent Outdoor Installation at the Greenfield Youth Sculpture Park, Greenfield, MA

## Awards

- 2023 **Jurors 1st Place- Presidential Bodnar Award**, Awarded by Courtney Blazon, University of Montana, Missoula, MT  
**Jurors 1st Place**, Awarded by Adrian Arleo, University of Montana, Missoula, MT  
**Fell-Oskins Scholarship**, University of Montana, Missoula, MT  
**Gilbert Milikan Art Scholarship**, University of Montana, Missoula, MT
- 2022 **Jurors 1st Place- Presidential Bodnar Award**, University of Montana, Missoula, MT  
**Ziethest Award**, University of Montana, Missoula, MT
- 2021 **Art Odyssey Scholarship Fund**, University of Montana, Missoula, MT  
**Leonard Stach Scholarship in Graduate Ceramics**, University of Montana Missoula, MT  
**Scott Bardsley Memorial Scholarship**, University of Montana, Missoula, MT
- 2019 **Department Scholar Award**, Sierra Nevada College, Incline Village, NV  
**People's Choice Award**, Senior Symposium, Sierra Nevada College, Incline Village, NV
- 2016 **Jurors 1st place**, Awarded by Laura Bigger, Sierra Nevada College, Incline Village, NV
- 2015 **Bust in Award**, Sierra Nevada College, Incline Village, NV
- 2014 **The Hamish Macewan Prize**, Excellence in Arts Award, White Mountain School, Bethlehem, NH  
**The Mountaineering Award**, White Mountain School, Bethlehem, NH