

Christine Orr

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Education

*Forthcoming

- 2019- 2021* **Master of Fine Arts** Craft/Materials Studies.Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA.
- 2017-2018 **Post Baccalaureate** Craft/Materials Studies.Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond,VA.
- 2011-2015 **Bachelor of Fine Arts** New York State College of Ceramics at Alfred University, Alfred,NY.

Teaching Experience

- 2021 **Graduate Teaching Assistant** to Elissa Armstrong, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond,VA.
- 2020 **Adjunct Professor** Introduction to Ceramics, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA.
- 2020 **Graduate Teaching Assistant** to K. Chase Folsom, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA.
- 2019 **Graduate Teaching Assistant** to A. Blair Clemo, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA.
- 2018 - 2021 **Instructor** Introduction to Wheel, Visual Arts Center, Richmond, VA.
- 2018 **Instructor** Ceramics for Veterans, Visual Arts Center, Richmond, VA.
- 2017 **Teaching Assistant** to Margaret Meehan, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA.
- 2015 **Undergraduate Teaching Assistant** to Andrea Gill, Junior Studio: Hybrid Vessel II, Alfred University, Alfred, NY.

Professional Experience

- 2020 **Studio Assistant** to Anna Hepler, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA. Sponsored by the Craft/Materials Studies Department in conjunction with NCECA 2020
- 2016-2019 **Studio Assistant** to Ceramic Artists, Western MA and Richmond, VA. Taylor Ceramics, Robbie Heidinger, Mara Superior, Margaret Meehan, Frankie Slaughter
- 2016 **Studio Assistant** to Birdie Boone and Matt Repsher, Fall Concentration, Penland School of Craft, Penland, NC.
- 2015-2016 **Artist in Residence** at Taos Clay Studio, Taos, NM.

Solo // Two Person Exhibitions

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- 2021* **ties that bind us** MFA Thesis Exhibition Anderson Gallery, Richmond, VA.
- 2021 **beginning of the end** Hawthorne Gallery, Richmond, VA.
- 2021 **Effect/Affect** Anderson Gallery, Richmond, VA.
- 2018 **to Have,to Contain, to Hold** Hawthorne Gallery, Richmond, VA.
- 2018 **Before and After: Post-Baccalaureate Show** Anderson Gallery, Richmond,VA.
- 2016 **A.I.R. Exit Show; Christine Orr** Taos, NM.
- 2015 **BFA Thesis Show; Circle Square** NYSCC at Alfred University, Alfred, NY.

Group Exhibitions

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- 2021* **[Work]** True F. Luck Gallery at Visual Arts Center, Richmond, VA.
2021 **A Year Apart: Virtual All Media Show** Gallery5, Richmond, VA.
2021 **Interchange** (Traveling exhibition).NCECA exhibition. Ombre Gallery, Cincinnati, OH.
2020 **Second Chances** FAB Gallery, Richmond, VA.
2020 **InterChange** (Traveling exhibition).Philadelphia International Airport. Philadelphia, PA.
2020 **InterChange** (Traveling exhibition). NCECA Exhibition. Quirk Gallery. Richmond, VA.
2020 **Of Mud and Blood** NCECA Exhibition. Salvation Tattoo Gallery. Richmond, VA.
2020 **Tools of the Ceramic Trade** Shockoe Bottom Train Station Gallery. Richmond, VA.
2019 **[Work]** True F. Luck Gallery at Visual Arts Center, Richmond, VA.
2019 **Ceramic Contradictions** Artemis Gallery, Richmond, VA.
2018 **The Mug Library** Women's Studio Workshop, Rosendale, NY.
2018 **VCU Clay Presents: Cabinet of Curiosities** Pop-Up Exhibition during NCECA 2018, Pittsburgh, PA.
2014 **"A Home for Joe" National Cup Invitational Exhibition** Fawick Gallery at Baldwin Wallace University. Berea, OH.
2014 **The Collective** Co-Curator. Robert C. Turner Gallery. Alfred, NY.
2014 **Embrace the Wave** Robert C. Turner Gallery. Alfred, NY.
2014 **Service. Site. Display** The Flex Space Gallery. Alfred, NY.
2013 **Prologue** New Deal Gallery. Alfred, NY.
2013 **Monochrome** Flex Space Gallery. Alfred, NY.
2012 **Foundations Showcase** NYSCC at Alfred University. Alfred, NY.

Awards and Grants

- 2020-2021 **Virginia Commonwealth University Graduate Teaching Assistantship**
2020 **Virginia Commonwealth University Dean's Scholarship**
2020 **COVID-19 ARTS and Culture Relief Grant, CultureWorks RVA**
2019-2020 **Virginia Commonwealth University Graduate Teaching Assistantship**
2017 **Arrowmont/VCU - University Fellowship Award Recipient**
2014- 2015 **Alfred University Dean's Scholarship**
Alfred University School of Art and Design Professional Development Grant
Alfred Clay Collective Undergraduate Scholarship
2011 **Boston Globe Scholastic Art Gold Key Winner**

Publications, Interviews, Lectures

- 2021 **Publication (work featured)** *Antonym*
(https://pub.lucidpress.com/antonymmarch2021#_0)
2020 **Artist Lecture** *CMS Graduates* Virginia Commonwealth University. Richmond, VA.
2019 **Artist Lecture** *In Dialogue: Christine Orr* Institute of Contemporary Art. Richmond,VA.
2019 **Interview** for video series *Sights & Ceramics*. Ceramic Arts Daily
(<https://ceramicartsnetwork.org/clayflicks/interviews-conversations/sights-ceramics-richmond-virginia/>)
2017 **Artist Lecture** Penland School of Crafts. Penland, NC.

2016

Artist Lecture *Questioning Function* Taos Clay Studio. Taos, NM.

Associations

2020- present **Crafting the Future Member**

2014- present **NCECA Member**

2014-2015 **Vice President of Alfred Clay Collective** student run organization. NYSCC at Alfred University. Alfred NY