

RUTH COLLIER MANNING

PERSONAL DATA

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EXHIBITS

2014	Northern National Art Competition	Nicolet Art Gallery, Rhinelander, WI
2014	It's About Time	National Watch and Clock Museum, Lancaster, PA
2013	Celebrating 100 Years of Community Art	Madison, WI
2013	Kate Derum Award Exhibition	Melbourne, Australia
2011	Small Tapestry International 2: Passages	Weaving Southwest, Taos, NM
2005	On the Soft Edge:Contemporary Textiles	Dorchester Arts Center, Cambridge, MD
2002	Weaving Metaphors	Rome Art & Community Center, Rome, NY
2001	Moments in Tapestry:	Fine Line Creative Arts Center, St. Charles, IL
2000	Small Expressions	Carnegie Arts Center, Covington, KY
1999	Made in NY '99	Schweinfurth Art Center, Auburn, NY
1998	Encore	Atlanta International Museum, Atlanta, GA
1997	Thunder and Lightning	Salisbury University, Salisbury, MD
1997	Contemporary NY State Crafts	State Museum, Albany, NY
1996	Fiber Invitational	Academy of Arts, Easton, MD
1996	Fantastic Fibers	Yeiser Art Center, Paducah, KY
1995	Solo Show	The Tapestry Gallery, Madrid, NM

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2011 - present Studio Classes, Madison, WI
Tapestry Instructor

- Developed individualized classes at a variety of skill levels
- Demonstrated tapestry technique at The Chazen Museum of Art
- Fun with Fiberarts, Verona School District Summer Program

1988 - present Weavers Guild Organizations
Tapestry Workshop Instructor

- Lectured and taught tapestry to a variety of groups in the Northeast and Mid Atlantic regions.

2003 - 2011 Cecil County Public Schools, Elkton, MD
Elementary Art Teacher

- Taught arts integrated lessons to Pre-K through 5th Grade
- Improved engagement and motivation by creating units of learning that tied curriculum goals to student's personal experiences.

2001 Eastern Great Lakes Fiber Conference, Chautauqua, NY
Tapestry Instructor

- Designed and implemented tapestry workshops
- Developed strategies to help students create woven faces

1999, 2003 Mid Atlantic Fiber Conference, Lewisburg, PA
Tapestry Instructor

- Constructed design workshop utilizing photography as a tool for tapestry design
- Taught basic and advanced weaving to a variety of learners

1999 - 2002 Aesthetic Education Institute, Rochester, NY
Teaching Artist

- Created cross-curricular visual arts workshops for grades K -12 for a broad range of school districts.
- Taught aesthetic principles and photography based workshops to teachers at AEI Summer Institute.

EDUCATION

2002 Post Baccalaureate, Art Education, Nazareth College of Rochester
1974 BFA, Photo Illustration, Rochester Institute of Technology