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Curriculum Vitae

Instruction

- Chariperson, Visual Arts, Averett University, Danville VA, August 2023-Present
- Adjunct Professor, Pfeiffer University, Misenheimer NC, January 2022-Present
- Chairperson, Fine Arts, Brophy College Preparatory, Phoenix AZ, 2015-2018
- Instructor, North Carolina Governor's School for Exceptional Children, Winston-Salem NC, 2008-2012
- Adjunct Instructor, Piedmont Community College, Roxboro NC, September 2005 - May, 2008
- Graduate Teaching Assistant, Boston University, Boston MA, September 2003-May, 2005

Education

- Master's of Divinity, Duke University, Durham NC, May 2015
- Master's of Fine Arts, Boston University, Boston, MA, May 2005 Painting
- Bachelor's of Arts, Rice University, Houston TX, May 1999 Art & Art History, French Studies

Residencies

- KHB – Kuntshalle Below, Berlin, Germany, January 2024
- La Baldi, Montegiove, Italy, December 2023
- Kala Art Institute, Berkeley, CA, 2002
- Manhattan Graphics Center, New York City, NY, 2002
- Spring Street Studios, New York City, NY, 2001-2002
- Art Student's League, New York City, NY, 2001
- Chautauqua Institution, Buffalo, NY, 2001
- The New York Studio School of Drawing & Painting, New York City, NY, 2001
- Parsons School of Design, Paris, France, 2000
- International School of Art of Umbria, Italy, 2000

Selected Exhibitions

Independent/Solo

- "Parallel Play" Free Range Brewery, Charlotte NC, Jan 29-Mar 25, 2024
- "Come Out & Play" Satellite Art Fair, Miami, FL, Dec 5-9th, 2023
- "Zine Machine Fest" The Fruit, Durham, NC, Oct 15, 2023
- "The Garden" Golden Belt Studios, Durham NC, August 2022
- "Countdown," Adam Cave Fine Art, Raleigh, NC, May 2010
- "Ship of Fools," Horace Williams House, Chapel Hill, NC, Nov 1, 2009 – Nov 25, 2009
- "The Animal Farm Silkscreens" Blue Moon Bistro, Beaufort, NC, Mar 2008 - October 2009
- "Countdown," Magnolia Grill, Durham, NC, Jul - Aug 2009
- "Ship of Fools: Paintings & Animations" Mooney Center, College of New Rochelle, NY, Jan 2009
- "Paintings & Prints" West Art Gallery, Pfeiffer University, Salisbury, NC, Aug 25-Sep 19, 2008
- "The Animal Farm Silkscreens" Artspace at Planet Zero, Richmond, VA, June 27-July 20, 2008
- "The Animal Farm Silkscreens" Benjamin Vineyards & Winery, Graham, NC, Jun 12-Jul 27, 2008
- "Animal Farm" Adam Cave Fine Art, Raleigh, NC, May 1-June 8, 2008
- "Paintings & Prints" Sechrest Art Gallery, Hayworth Fine Arts Center, High Point, NC, Mar 10-May 1, 2008
- "The Animal Farm Silkscreens" Silver Coast Winery, Ocean Isle Beach, NC, Jan 19-Apr 25, 2008
- "Recent Works on Paper" Dangenart Gallery, Nashville, TN, Jul 7-Jul 28, 2007
- "Ship of Fools" Olin Gallery, Roanoke College, Salem, VA, Dec 1, 2006- Jan 15, 2007
- "Ship of Fools" Faulkner Gallery, Louisburg College, NC, Sep, 2006
- "Ship of Fools" Kirby Gallery, Roxboro, NC, Jun, 2006
- "Harvest" Glance Gallery, Raleigh, NC, Sep 19-Oct 16, 2003
- "Selected Works" Richard Hall Designs, Raleigh, NC, May 3-May 27, 2003

- “Recent Works” Miguel Herrerra’s Gallery 2/20, 220 W 16th Street, NYC, NY, Apr 18-May 4, 2002

Group Showings

- “Aftermath” Torpedo Factory Art Center, Alexandria VA, Sept 22-Oct 17, 2008
- “51st Chautauqua National Exhibition of American Art” VACI Gallery, Chautauqua NY June 26-july 15, 2008
- “Small Works” Gallery 440, Brooklyn NY, June 22-August 2, 2008
- “My Space” Touchstone Gallery, Washington DC, July 7-August 2-2008
- “New Prints Spring 2008” New York School of Interior Design, New York, NY, June 17-July 24, 2008
- “New Prints Spring 2008” International Print Center, New York, NY, May 1-June 7, 2008
- “NC Artists Exhibition” McCain Gallery, Progress Energy Center, Raleigh, NC, Mar 2-April 6, 2008
- “Small Impressions” Art Upstairs Gallery, NJ Printmaking Council, Morristown, NJ, Feb 9-Mar 3, 2008
- “The New World: America” Gallery RFD, Swainsboro, GA, Feb 9-Mar 1, 2008
- “North Carolina Community College Art Exhibition” Caswell Building Gallery, Raleigh, NC, March-Dec, 2008
- “Wings, Tails, Hooves, & Scales” Greater Columbus Convention Center, Columbus, OH, Feb 21-24, 2008
- “Winter Show 2007” Greenhill Center for North Carolina Arts, Greensboro, NC, Dec 2-31, 2007
- “One Hundred Under 1000” Lee Hansley Gallery, Raleigh, NC, Nov 18-Dec 29, 2007
- “South Press Printastic Printacular” Carillon Gallery, Ft Worth, TX, Nov 15-Jan 10, 2008
- “On Paper” N Essex Community College, Haverhill, MA, Oct 22-Jan 24, 2008
- “21st National Exhibition” University of Wisconsin-Parkside, Kenosha, WI, Jan 20-Feb 21, 2008
- “Small Works” Wein Gallery, Presentation College, Aberdeen, SD, Sep 17-Nov 9, 2007
- “Wicked & Wise” Mid-American Print Council, Murray State University, Murray, KY, Aug 22-Sept 20, 2007
- “Small Impressions” Printmaking Council of NJ, North Branch Station, NJ, Aug 11-Oct 27, 2007
- “22nd National Fine Art Show” Louisville Art Association, Louisville, CO, Sept 1-9, 2007
- “Ljosanott 2007” Malverk Art Museum, Keflavik, Iceland, Aug 28-Sept 20, 2007
- “28th Annual Juried Fine Arts Exhibition” Wayne Co. Arts Council, Goldsboro, NC, June 8-24, 2007
- “Juried Art Competition” Merkle & Price Gallery, South Arkansas Art Center, El Dorado, AR, July 5-27, 2007
- “Exhibition for the Arts” 1212 Gallery, Richmond, VA, Jun 22-Aug 5, 2007
- “2007 Juried Small Works Exhibit” Carlisle Art Center, Carlisle, PA, May 30-Jul 13, 2007
- “51st National Juried Exhibition” Hunterdon Museum of Art, Clinton, NJ, May 31-July 22, 2007
- “Biennale Internationale de l’Estampe de Trois-Rivieres” Quebec, Canada, Jun 7-July 14, 2007
- “8th Annual National Exhibition” Kauffman Gallery, Shippensburg, PA, Apr 4-25, 2007
- “18th National Print Exhibition” Gormley Gallery, College of Notre Dame, Baltimore, MD, Mar 19-Apr 27, 2007
- “25th National Print Exhibition” Silvermine Guild Galleries, New Canaan, CT, Oct 7-Nov 12, 2006
- “Delta National Small Print Exhibition” Bradbury Gallery, State University, AR, Oct 19-Nov 17, 2006
- “National Juried Print Exhibition” Monmouth University, West Long Branch, NJ, Sep 5-Oct 13, 2006
- “Particular Places” Creative Arts Workshop, New Haven, CT, May 5-Jun 23, 2006
- “Annual Art on Paper” Circle Gallery, Annapolis, MD, Mar 17-Apr 29, 2006
- “6th National Turner Print Competition” Janet Turner Print Museum, Chico, CA, Feb 2-28, 2006
- “One Painting-One Drawing” Anderson University, Indiana, May, 2005
- “Arches Fourth Biennial Student Print Exhibition” 808 Gallery, Boston, MA, Feb 13-Mar 27, 2005
- “Hearts & Hands” National Book Arts Center, Lincoln, NE, Oct-Nov, 2004

Registries & Online Exhibitions

- Absolute Arts Online Registry - <http://www.absolutearts.com/portfolios/h/hesterfinearts/>
- Abstract Exposure – July 2007 “Online Juried Exhibition” - <http://www.abstractexposure.com/exhibitions.html>
- Artists Space: Irving Sandler Artists File Online - http://afonline.artistspace.org/view_artist.php?aid=7135
- galleryNOW Online Registry – <http://www.gallerynow.com/hester/index..htm>
- NURTUREart Artist Registry – <http://www.nurtureart.org>
- Painting Center Art Registry File - <http://www.thepaintingcenter.org/art-file/nathniel-hester>
- World Artist Directory – <http://worldartistdirectory.com>

Awards

- Featured Artist of the Month, TheArtList.com, 2008
- Honorable Mention, Kakalak 2008 Anthology of Carolina Poets, 2008
- Recipient, The George Sugarman Foundation Grant Award, 2007
- Best in Show, Merkle & Price Gallery, 2007
- Finalist, Esther P. Kahn Fellowship, 2005

- Recipient, Constantin Alajalov Merit Fellowship, 2003-2005
- Recipient, Clyde Bull Ferguson Traveling Fellowship, 2000
- Recipient, Thomas Watson Scholar, 1995-1999

Bibliography

Press Coverage & Contributions

- “Smart Start Kids,” WRALTV5, Raleigh, NC, 2009
- “Artist embraces nature,” *News & Observer*, Raleigh, NC, 2008
- “New work in Raleigh’s Lump Gallery and Adam Cave Fine Art,” *Independent*, Raleigh, NC, 2008
- “Black-and-white imagery captures the eye at Dangenart,” *Tennessean*, Nashville, TN, 2007
- “Solo Show at Kirby Gallery in June features works by Nathaniel Hester,” *The Courier Times*, Roxboro, NC, 2006
- “CAM comes alive,” *Lather Weekly*, Raleigh, NC, 2003
- “Art Under Radar,” Think Tank Special with Ben Wattenberg, PBS, 2002
- Featured Artist, “Kakalak 2008 Anthology of Carolina Poets,” Main Street Rag, Ed. by R. Taylor, Spring 2008
- Cover Design, “The New Delta Review,” Louisiana State University Press, Ed. by S. Noecker, Spring 2008
- Featured Artist, “The Harvard Review,” Harvard University Press, Ed. by C. Thompson, Winter 2007
- Cover Design, “The New Delta Review,” Louisiana State University Press, Ed. by S. Noecker, Winter 2007
- Featured Artist, “Remembering 9/11: Through the Eyes of a Printmaker,” Ed. by R. Viana, 2007
- Cover Design, “Design for Ecological Democracy,” by R.T. Hester, 2006

Collections

Institutional & Corporate Collections

- Allen Memorial Museum of Art, Oberlin College, Oberlin, OH
- The New York Public Library, NYC, NY
- The Newark Public Library, Newark, NJ
- Agnes Mongan Center for Prints & Drawings, Fogg Art Museum, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA
- Amity Art Foundation, NYC, NY
- The Wunderman Group, NYC, NY
- Florida Printmakers, University of Miami, FL, Miami, FL

Extracurricular Activity & Civic Engagement

- Durham Rescue Mission, Food Service Volunteer, 2019-2022
- Foster Parent, 2010-2019
- USA Triathlon Member, 2018-2022