

# ELIZABETH NELSON

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## EDUCATION

- 2017**                    **Master of Fine Arts, Studio Art**  
School of the Art Institute of Chicago
- 2013**                    **Bachelor of Fine Arts, Studio Art**  
The Ohio State University

## EXHIBITIONS

- 2017**                    **MFA Show**  
Sullivan Galleries, School of the Art Institute of Chicago (Chicago, IL)
- ImageOHIO 17**  
Fort Hayes Shot Tower Gallery (Columbus, OH)
- 2015**                    **Material Evidence**  
Second Sight Gallery (Columbus, OH)
- RGB\***  
Hopkins Hall Gallery, The Ohio State University (Columbus, OH)
- Scroll\***  
EASE Gallery (Columbus, OH)
- 2014**                    **Current\***  
Mote1347 Gallery (Columbus, OH)
- CMYK\***  
Roy G Biv Gallery for Emerging Artists (Columbus, OH)
- ImageOHIO 14**  
Fort Hayes Shot Tower Gallery (Columbus, OH)
- 2013**                    **Ohio Art League Annual Spring Juried Exhibition**  
State Library of Ohio (Columbus, OH)
- Department of Art BFA Senior Projects Exhibition**  
OSU Urban Arts Space (Columbus, OH)
- Undergraduate Juried Exhibition**  
Hopkins Hall Gallery, The Ohio State University (Columbus, OH)
- 2012**                    **Artist-in-Residence Exhibition\***  
Decorative Arts Center of Ohio (Lancaster, OH)

**20 Years of Creativity: A Retrospective of the Lancaster Arts Festival**  
Fairfield County District Library (Lancaster, OH)

**Ohio Art League Annual Fall Juried Exhibition**

Schnormeier Gallery, Mount Vernon Nazarene University (Mount Vernon, OH)  
Juror's Award

**Sixth Annual Ohio Online Visual Artist Registry Juried Show**

Carnegie Gallery, Columbus Metropolitan Library (Columbus, OH)

**2011**

**Idea Lab Exhibition**

OSU Urban Art Space Gallery (Columbus, OH)

**Ohio State Fair Fine Arts Exhibition**

Cox Fine Arts Center (Columbus, OH)  
Greater Columbus Arts Council Award

**2010**

**Yummy! Art Show**

Ohio Art League Gallery (Columbus, OH)

**Mosaic Magazine Exhibition**

Kuhn Honors & Scholars House, The Ohio State University (Columbus, OH)

\*solo or two-person show

**FELLOWSHIPS**

**2011, 2012**

**Lancaster Arts Festival (Lancaster, OH)**

*Artist-in-Residence*

- Participated in festival activities, including the "Major Arts for Minors" sculpture workshop at the Decorative Arts Center of Ohio
- Created work for exhibition at Festival related to personal experience while in Lancaster

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**2015-present**

**School of the Art Institute Chicago (Chicago, IL)**

*Teaching Assistant – Columbus Digital Fabrication Studios*

- Lead demonstrations of all equipment in the studio and provide additional instruction as necessary
- Assist students and faculty with fabrication of projects utilizing technology such as laser cutters, 3D modeling software, 3D printers, 4-axis CNC mill, and CNC plasma cutter
- Train student staff in machine processes and other essential job duties
- Maintain studio facilities and troubleshoot technical issues of equipment
- Retain working knowledge of physical materials used in fabrication

**2015-2016**

**School of the Art Institute Chicago (Chicago, IL)**

*Teaching Assistant – Contemporary Practices Department*

- Engage students in conceptual and academic discourse related to projects
- Familiarize students with required studio techniques and address individual technical questions as they arise
- Encourage constructive critique methods and appropriate vocabulary
- Prepare necessary classroom and studio supplies

**2013, 2014**

**Wexner Center for the Arts (Columbus, OH)**

*Gallery Attendant*

- Greet and direct patrons upon their entrance
- Ensure proper gallery etiquette was understood and maintained by all patrons
- Supply patrons with research-based knowledge of the current exhibition and the Wexner Center in general
- Present information about programming and upcoming events available to members and the public

**2012 – 2013**

**Roy G Biv Gallery for Emerging Artists (Columbus, OH)**

*Intern*

- Design web and print media within established style of gallery
- Update website with current artist and exhibition information
- Manage exhibiting artists' plans for gallery usage, including setup of work
- Publicize gallery through press releases and social media
- Assist with gallery maintenance, installation, and layout of exhibitions

**RELATED SKILLS**

**Software**

Adobe CS, 3D modeling, Microsoft Office

**Fabrication**

CNC router (3 and 4-axis), CNC plasma cutter, laser cutter, 3D printer, hand and stationary power tools, mold-making

**Kiln**

ceramic (gas, electric, raku), glass (fuse, slump, casting)

**Craft**

sewing, embroidery, origami, bookmaking, papermaking, stained glass