

# Elizabeth Masterson

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## EDUCATION

### University of Pittsburgh

*School of Arts and Sciences*

Bachelor of Art in Studio Arts and History of Art and Architecture

Minor in Museum Studies

Pittsburgh, PA

2017-2020

## EXPERIENCE

### Arts Alumni Show Intern

*University of Pittsburgh Department of Studio Arts*

- Coordinated a show of 50 works from 50 artists to celebrate the Studio Arts Department's 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary
- Categorized biographical information provided by alumni
- Arranged and hung work in the University Art Gallery

Pittsburgh, PA

Fall 2018

### Contemporary Craft Intern

*Contemporary Craft*

- Evaluated and researched books within Contemporary Craft's collection to determine a monetary value as well as an educational value
- Constructed a press release for Louis Silk's exhibition at Contemporary Craft's offsite gallery
- Collaborated in the grand opening planning of Contemporary Craft's new Lawrenceville location

Pittsburgh, PA

Spring 2020

### Intaglio Teaching Assistant

*University of Pittsburgh Studio Art Department*

- Educated a class of 11 students on Intaglio techniques through demonstration and discussion
- Critiqued artistic concepts, techniques and creative practice with students and professor
- Prepared and managed the studio space

Pittsburgh, PA

Spring 2020

## RESEARCH

### Independent Researcher

*Wyoming Field Study Program, University of Pittsburgh*

- Created artwork responding to the environment of the Wyoming Desert Basin
- Discussed artwork of fellow artists and historical art of the American West

Rock River, WY

Summer 2019

## AWARDS

### Dr. Contis Award

*Wyoming Field Study Program, University of Pittsburgh*

- Award received to fund the Wyoming Field Study Program

Pittsburgh, PA

Summer 2019

### A. J. Schnieder Award

*University of Pittsburgh*

- Selected by a three-member jury where selected works are exhibited for one year in Hillman Library's A.J. Schneider Reading Room

Pittsburgh, PA

Summer 2019

### Department of Studio Arts Achievement Award

*University of Pittsburgh*

- Award selected by the faculty in recognition of excellence and promise in the practice of art, as well as leadership within, and contributions to, the life of the Department of Studio Arts

Pittsburgh, PA

Summer 2019

## EXHIBITIONS

### Uncanny Connections

*CDCP Project Space*

- Researched and created a work based on growth
- Developed project throughout the fall term in preparation for the show

Pittsburgh, PA

Fall 2019

**Summer Research Show**

*University Art Gallery*

- Displayed work created for the Wyoming Field Study

**Pittsburgh, PA**

*Spring 2020*

**Studio Art Student Exhibition 2020**

*University Art Gallery*

- Juried show of student artists at the University of Pittsburgh

**Pittsburgh, PA**

*Spring 2020*

**Paper & Clay**

*USU Tippetts and Eccles Galleries (Feb 3-Mar 6)*

- Juried by Jessica Brandl for a national exhibition of current BFA & MFA ceramic and printmaking students

**Logan, UT**

*Spring 2020*

**Salt City Dozen Portfolio**

*Sarah A. Coyne Gallery*

- Juried by Kathryn Polk for a print portfolio organized by the Syracuse University of Print Media and Graphics Arts program

**Syracuse, NY**

*Spring 2020(TBT)*