

# COLLEEN RUDOLF

## EDUCATION

- 2008 Penn. Academy of the Fine Arts Philadelphia, PA  
MFA
- 2003 Skidmore College Saratoga Springs, NY  
B.S., Fine Arts, graduated with departmental honors.

## SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

### SOLO

- 2018 **Skin of the Sole** Fairmount House Philadelphia, PA
- 2017 **And What Poisons Me is What Poisons You** The Art Dept Philadelphia, PA
- 2015 **From You I Will Learn** The Art Dept Philadelphia, PA  
**In the Middle** Salon 1522 Philadelphia, PA
- 2012 **Portraits** Perpetua Gallery Philadelphia, PA
- 2011 **The Permanence of Incomplete Mourning** Bird Park Philadelphia, PA
- 2010 **Connect [Kuh • nekt]** Grizzly, Grizzly Philadelphia, PA

### GROUP

- 2023 **PAFA Fellowship Annual Exhibition** Patricia Nugent Gallery Rosemont, PA  
**Seen and Heard** Women's Caucus for Art: The Art Center Dover, NH  
**Faces and Such** The Look Listen Philadelphia, PA
- 2022 **Cerulean Arts' 10th Annual Juried Exhibition** Cerulean Arts Philadelphia, PA  
**Small Works** Powell Lane Arts Collingswood, NJ
- 2021 **Summer House** Hot Bed Gallery Philadelphia, PA
- 2020 **Unprecedented Times** Esther Klein Gallery Philadelphia, PA
- 2019 **RCBC Faculty Exhibition** RCBC Art Gallery Mt Holly, NJ  
**From the Beginning** Gamut Gallery Evansville, IN  
**All of US** Jefferson Health Philadelphia, PA  
**Community** Schuylkill Center For Environmental Education Philadelphia, PA
- 2018 **PS at NoBA** NoBA Artspace Gallery BalaCynwyd, PA
- 2017 **Contemporary Gala Art Auction** The Delaware Contemporary Wilmington, DE  
**Small Sculpture** Art in City Hall Philadelphia, PA  
**Tone of Intention** Lacey Philips Gallery Philadelphia, PA
- 2015 **Small Favors X** The Clay Studio Philadelphia, PA
- 2014 **The Woodmere Annual** Woodmere Art Museum Philadelphia, PA  
**Dystopias** College of Southern Maryland La Plata, MD  
**Encounter** Wolf Conservation Center Westchester, NY
- 2013 **Exposed** Helen Day Art Center Stowe, VT  
**The Developing Form of Sculpture** Burlington County College Gallery Mt. Holly, NJ  
**A Matter of Perspective** Marlin Gallery, Camden County College Blackwood, NJ
- 2012 **25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Sculpture Garden Exhibition** Burlington County Community College Pemberton, NJ  
**Dematerialization** Pterodactyl Gallery Philadelphia, PA  
**Process Show: Casting** Philadelphia Sculpture Gym Philadelphia, PA
- 2011 **Opposites Attract** University of the Arts/Philadelphia Sculptors Philadelphia, PA  
**Scripted** Gross McCleaf Philadelphia, PA  
**Hive/Cave** Pageant Soloveev Philadelphia, PA  
**Wide Open 2** Brooklyn Waterfront Artists Coalition, curated by Nat Trotman (Guggenheim Museum) Brooklyn, NY  
**The Journey** Gallery B543 at URBN Outfitters Headquarters in the Navy Yard Philadelphia, PA
- 2010 **Virtual Public Art Project** Breadboard/EstherM.Klein Gallery Philadelphia, PA  
**Made in Metal** Artworks Trenton Trenton, NJ
- 2009 **Instants, Instance, Distance** Skybox Gallery Philadelphia, PA  
**Bicycle: People + Ideas in Motion** Galleries at Moore College of Art and Design Philadelphia, PA

- There Goes My Hero** The Center for Book Arts New York, NY
- 2008 **5<sup>th</sup> Annual Snap to Grid** L.A. Center for Digital Art Los Angeles, CA
- Constructed Sculptures** Blink Art Gallery Philadelphia, PA
- Student Exhibition (Juried by Robert Cozzolino)** Hamilton Gallery, PAFA Philadelphia, PA
- 2007 **Vox XOXO** Vox Populi Philadelphia, PA
- Student Exhibition (Juror: Alex Baker)** Hamilton Gallery, PAFA Philadelphia, PA
- 2006 **Student Exhibition (Juror: Kate Moran)** Hamilton Gallery, PAFA Philadelphia, PA
- 2005 **Totally Cool Totally Art** Austin-Bergstrum International Airport Austin, TX
- 2004 **Embodied Variations** ATHICA: Athens Institute of Contemporary Art Athens, GA

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2019-23 *Professor Drawing, Figure Drawing* Rowan College at Burlington County, Mt Holly, NJ
- 2015-23 *Owner/Manager* 2129 Studios Oversee construction and operations of artist studios with an emphasis on community and enrichment events
- 2008-23 *Artist/Owner* Portraits by Colleen/Colleen Rudolf, Philadelphia, PA
- 2017-20 *Foundry Technician* Stratton Sculpture Studios, Philadelphia, PA
- 2013-20 *Service Professional Member of HeartsSpeak* Volunteered photography and creative services to animal welfare organizations: Animal Care and Control Team Philadelphia, New Leash on Life and the PennVet Working Dog Center.
- 2018-19 *Professor Sculpture I* Rowan College at Burlington County, Mt Holly, NJ
- 2011-12 *Digital Printmaker* Silicon Fine Art Prints, Phila., PA
- 2010 *Teaching Assistant.* Plaster & Casting Techniques with Shane Stratton at Penn. Academy of the Fine Arts, Phila., PA
- 2009 *Research Assistant* to Winifred Lutz. Researched and helped install plants and habitats for site specific installation at Abington Art Center, Jenkintown, PA
- Teaching Assistant.* Foundry with Shane Stratton at Penn. Academy of the Fine Arts, Phila., PA
- 2008 *Artist Assistant.* Kate Kaman LLC. Molded resins, fiberglass, and concrete. Built architectural models and helped prepare proposals for public installations at Temple University and Septa *Melbourne* Station, Phila., PA
- 2008 *Instructor.* Sculpture Fundamentals. Designed week long curriculum for 30 varying aged students at PAFA, Phila., PA
- 2007 *Teaching Assistant.* Figure Sculpture with John Horn at Penn. Academy of the Fine Arts, Phila., PA
- 2005 *Art Specialist.* Parks & Rec. Dept. Instructor in arts program for children ages 5-15. Designed activities, prepared models for outdoor setting classes, Austin, TX
- Art Instructor* Mexic-Arte Designed and taught classes coordinated with museum exhibitions, Austin, TX
- Functional Design Instructor.* Totally Cool, Totally Art. Worked with at-risk teenagers to increase self-confidence and to provide alternative activities at local recreation centers in Austin, TX
- 2003 *Internship with Artists Space.* Prepared exhibitions, curated slideshow of Artists File artists, New York, NY

## AWARDS

- 2023 *Leona Karp Braverman Award for Sculpture*
- 2016 *Don and Virginia Eckleberry Endowment* recipient
- 2014 *Knight Arts Foundation Grant* Little Berlin Fairgrounds, Philadelphia, PA
- 2012 *Artist-in-Residence* The Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, VT
- 2011 *Artist-in-Residence* PLAYA Residency program, Summer Lake, OR
- 2008 *PAFA Fellowship Juried Prize* Special Notice
- 2008 *PAFA Fellowship Juried Prize* Honorable Mention
- 2007 *Justine Cretella Memorial Scholarship* recipient
- 2007 *PAFA Fellowship Juried Prize* Honorable Mention

## LECTURES

- 2015, 2019 *Sculptor Demonstrator for Association of Public Art* Sculpted raptors from life as part of the Sculpture Zoo event
- 2014 *Guest lecturer* at College of Southern Maryland, La Plata, MD

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- 2014 Allen, Kennedy "At Woodmere's juried Annual Showcase, the Jury is in" (<http://www.philadelphiaweekly.com/arts-and-culture/At-Woodmere-The-Jury-is-In-264464871.html>) *Philadelphia Weekly* June 2014
- 2013 Polsten, Pamela "Art Review: Exposed at Helen Day Art Center" (<http://www.sevendaysvt.com/vermont/art-review-exposed-at-helen-day-art-center/Content?oid=2265730>) *Seven Days* Aug 2013
- 2012 Meyer, Ben "Faded Meanings: Dematerialization at Pterodactyl Gallery" (<http://www.theartblog.org/2012/11/faded-meanings-dematerialization-at-pterodactyl-gallery/>) *The ArtBlog* Nov 2012

- 2011** Newhall, Edith “Going off Script with a show called ‘Scripted’” ([http://articles.philly.com/2011-08-07/news/29861525\\_1\\_oil-paintings-three-paintings-scripted](http://articles.philly.com/2011-08-07/news/29861525_1_oil-paintings-three-paintings-scripted)) *Philadelphia Inquirer* August 2011
- 2010** Carey, Art “Award Winning ‘No Footing’ depicts Struggles of a young Artist” ([http://articles.philly.com/2010-12-28/news/26356005\\_1\\_young-artist-young-audiences-arts-jobs](http://articles.philly.com/2010-12-28/news/26356005_1_young-artist-young-audiences-arts-jobs)) *Philadelphia Inquirer* December 2010
- Kantor, Becca “Shapes and Animals at Tiger and Grizzly” (<http://www.theartblog.org/2010/04/shapes-and-animals-at-tiger-and-grizzly/#more-12904>) *The ArtBlog* April 2010
- 2004** Melissa Link “Art & the Physical Form” *Flagpole* May 5, 2004 Vol. 18 No. 18

## **PUBLICATIONS**

- 2018** *The Fence* written by Erin Haugh illustrations by Colleen Rudolf
- 2013** *Paws for Charity*
- 2010** *Studio Visit Magazine* Volume 12
- 2007** *Creative Quarterly* Issue No. 9
- 2005** *Spot Magazine* Winter 2005

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