

EDUCATION

- Bachelor of Fine Arts, emphasis in Jewelry Design and Metalsmithing, (MSCD) Metropolitan State College of Denver, Denver, CO
- Apprenticeship, Kit Hollingshead Designs, Boulder and Louisville, CO
- 2003-2006 Jewelry Classes with Kathy Prichert, Clear Creek Academy, Denver, CO

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE/EMPLOYMENT

- 2003-present C Dimond LLC, Louisville, CO, Owner, Jeweler
 - Custom
 - Wholesale
 - Fabrication
 - Stone setting
 - Casting
 - Benchwork
 - Repairs
 - Teaching
 - 2010-2020 + Todd Reed Inc., Boulder, CO, Jeweler
 - Fabrication
 - Stone setting
 - Casting
 - Production
 - Benchwork
- 2016- present C Dimond LLC, Louisville, CO, Owner, Teacher/Instructor-Workshops, educational demonstrations
 - Boulder Metalsmithing Association (BoMA), Boulder, CO
 - Denver Jewelry Studio (DJS), Littleton, CO
 - Balefire Goods, Arvada, CO
 - Louisville Public Library, Louisville, CO
 - Monarch High School, Louisville, CO
 - Fairview High School, Boulder, CO
 - Watershed School, Boulder, CO
 - 2010-2010
 Sweet Bird Studio, Boulder, CO, Jeweler
 - Fabrication/ production
 - Stone setting
 - 2003-2010 Jewelry Design by Kit Hollingshead, Louisville, CO, Apprentice
 - Casting
 - Jewelry designing
 - 2007-2010 + Hot Mama Designs, Boulder, CO
 - Stone setting
 - Benchwork



- Louisville Art Association (LAA), Louisville, CO, Assistant Festival Planner
 - Assist with planning
 - Execution of festivals
- 2008 MSCD Jewelry Lab, Denver, CO, Lab Assistant
 - Maintenance of Lab equipment
 - Prepared samples
 - Organized tools, equipment, supplies

<u>SKILLS</u>

- Fabrication in gold, palladium, silver, bronze, and copper
- Casting silvers, golds, bronze, and copper
- Mold making
- Gold, palladium, silver, bronze, and copper soldering
- Wax carving
- Stone setting- bezel, flush/gipsy
- Mokume Gane

- ◆ Laser work
- Forging
- Alloying
- Large casting aluminum, iron, and bronze
- Raising
- Spinning
- Dye-forming
- Teaching/demonstrating

<u>AWARDS</u>

Judged

 In Motion Show, "Game~ Puzzle #3"CoMAde Design Excellence, Colorado Metalsmithing Association (CoMA), Gallery150, Salida, CO

- Spoons, NAJA Tool & Supply Inc. Annual Competition; 1st Place, Spork 2017
- 2016
 Colorado State Fair 2016 Fine Art Show Professional, Pueblo, CO
 - "Vein Pendant", Best of its Kind, 3rd place
 - "Mokume Gane Cup", CoMA Fine Arts Special Award
- 2015 ♦ Naja Tool and Supply Inc. Annual Competition, "Spork", 1st Place, Denver, CO
- 2007 LAA Mini-Show, "Chainmail Bracelet", Winner, Louisville, CO
 - Louisville Art Association, Tactile and Art Challenge Shows, "Untitled Man/Guy", Mixed Media- Honorable Mention, Louisville, CO
 - Jewelry, LAA, "Looking for the Light", Merit Award, Louisville, CO
- 2006 Louisville Art Association, Tactile and Art Challenge Shows, Louisville, CO
 - "Frog and Spicket", Honorable Mention
 - *"Caged Necklace"*, Merit Award,
- Louisville Art Association, Tactile and Art Challenge Shows, "To Give New Life", Honorable Mention, Louisville, CO

Grants

- 2009 ◆ Nagel Award, Department of Art + Design MSCD, Denver, CO
- 2003-2004 ♦ Arts Science Knowledge Grant (ASK), Impact on Education, Boulder, CO

Scholarships

- 2005-2008
 MSCD President Academic Achievement H.S., (9 semesters), MSCD, Denver, CO
- 2004-2005
 Colorado Scholars Admission President's Gold, (twice), MSCD, Denver, CO
 - 2004 ◆ Metro Scholars Award, MSCD, Denver, CO



• Metro Scholars Summer Bridge, MSCD, Denver, CO

EXHIBITIONS

Galleries

- 2018- present Balefire Goods, Arvada, CO
- 2016- present The Goldmarket Jewelers, Longmont, CO
- 2015- present The Walnut Gallery, Louisville; Longmont, CO
 - 2017-2018

 Outnumbered Gallery, Arvada, CO

Competitions

- 2020 Brooch the Subject, Balefire Goods, Arvada, CO
 - *Reconnect: MSU Denver Alumni Exhibition,* Center for Visual Art, MSU Denver, Denver, CO
- Art of the State, Arvada Center for the Arts and Humanities, Arvada, CO
 - *Make//Shift//Connect, CoMAde Design* Competition, "*Shift Ring*", CoMA, Golden, CO
- Nefelibata, "Game ~ Puzzle #3" pendent, Union Street Gallery, Indiana University, Kokomo, IN
 - *Collaboration*, "*Bo Bear Adventure*" Bracelet, CoMA 2018 Design Competition, Gallery150, Salida, CO
 - *LOVE*, Halstead Design Challenge, "*It takes 2 to play the game of love*", Alchemy 925, Belmont, MA
- *MEMENTO*, Halstead Design Challenge, "*Not even the bloody queen gets KoKo*", New Orleans, LA
 - *In Motion Show, CoMAde Design* Competition, "*Game~ Puzzle #3*", CoMA, Gallery150, Salida, CO
 - *Bugs*, Naja Tool and Supply Inc. Annual Competition, "*MG Butterfly w/geodes*", Naja Inc., Denver, CO
- 2016 Up Setting the Stone (setting stones in a different way, SNAG), on-line exhibition
- - 2015 Artist Group Juried Show, Villona Studio, Boulder, CO
 - Spoon, Naja Tool and Supply Inc. Annual Competition, "Spork", Denver, CO
 - 2011 Naja Tool and Supply Inc. Annual Competition, Denver, CO
 - *Teapots*, Naja Tool and Supply Inc. Annual Competition, "*Federal Teapot*", Denver, CO
 - *Fifteenth Annual Region Art Challenge Show*, LAA, Louisville, CO, juried: Sara Rockinger, MFA, CSU, Fort Collins, CO
 - Winter Mini-Show, Jewelry, LAA, juried: LAA members, Louisville, CO
 - Naja Tool and Supply Inc. Annual Competition, "Pendants", Naja Inc., Denver, CO
 - 2006 Fourteenth Annual Region Art Challenge Show, LAA, Louisville, CO
 - 2005 Thirteenth Annual Region Art Challenge Show, LAA, Louisville, CO
 - Twelfth Annual Region Art Challenge Show, LAA, Louisville, CO

Group Shows

* BoMA Members show, R Gallery, Boulder, CO



- *BoMA Members* show, Particulars, Lafayette, CO
- All Members CoMA Show, Balefire Goods, Arvada, CO
- 2018 *NDK Art Show- Want*, Denver, CO
 - Western Cast Iron Art Alliance Conference Exhibition, 6th Western Cast Iron Art Conference, Granite City, IL
 - All Members: Winter CoMA Show, CoMA, Outnumbered Gallery, Littleton, CO
 - *BoMA First Friday* Show and Sale, Boulder, CO
- 2017 *Metamorphosis*, Annex in the Core, Denver, CO
 - *BoMA First Friday* Show and Sale (3), Boulder, CO
- 2016 ◆ *Fire* + *Iron* = *Art*, Curtis Arts & Humanities Center, Greenwood Village, CO
 - All Members CoMA Show, Outnumbered Gallery, Arvada, CO
 - BoMA show at Chili Fest 2016, Boulder, CO
 - NoBo BoMA First Friday Show and Sale, Boulder, CO
- 2014 NDK Art Show, Denver, CO
- 2013 LAA Art in Public Places, Louisville Library Show, Louisville, CO
 - NDK Art Show, Denver, CO
- Acts of Iron, Eldorado Springs Art Center, Eldorado Springs, CO
 - *sm'art*, BFA Thesis Exhibition, MCSD Center for Visual Art, Denver, CO
- 2008 Western Iron Conference, Denver, CO
- 2006-2008 LAA Fall Members' Art and Crafts Show, Louisville, CO
 - 2005 Louisville Art Association Members Show, Louisville, CO

Festivals

- 2016 BoMA show, Chili Fest 2016, Boulder, CO
- 2005-2008 Labor Day Show, LAA, Louisville, CO
 - July 4th Arts and Crafts Fair, LAA, Louisville, CO
- 2007-2009 *Taste of Louisville*, LAA, Louisville, CO

Pours/Iron Pour Performance and Art Shows

- 2017 RiNo Art District- A Line Art Stop- Apri
- Pour for Fire + Iron = Art, Curtis Arts & Humanities Center, Greenwood Village, CO
 - Arvada Art Center, Arvada, CO-
- 2015 CU Denver Iron Pour, Denver, CO
 - *Live Iron Pour and Performance,* The Arvada Center for the Arts and Humanities, Arvada, CO
- Iron Art Festival IV, Auraria Campus- March
- 2013 Auraria Iron Pour- April
 - Auraria Iron Pour- March
- 2012
 Auraria Iron Pour- March
 - Auraria Iron Pour- February
- 2011 Iron on Campus, Denver, CO
 - Auraria Iron Pour- May
- 2010 Auraria Iron Pour- August
 - Auraria Iron Pour- October
- Act of Iron, Eldorado Springs Art Center, Eldorado Springs, CO



- Iron in the Springs, Eldorado Springs Art Center, Eldorado Springs, CO
- Iron Pour, Auraria Campus, University of Colorado (UCD), Denver, CO
- CU Denver Iron Pour, Auraria Campus, University of Colorado, Denver, CO
- 2008 Outdoor Art Around the DAM, Denver Art Museum, Denver, CO
 - Iron Pour, Emmanuel Gallery (2), UCD, Denver, CO
- 2007 ♦ Western Iron Conference Student Iron Pour, Denver, CO
- 2006 CU Denver Iron Pour, Denver, Tivoli, UCD, Denver, CO
- 2005 *Hopi Iron Pour*, Auraria Campus, Denver, CO
 - Bronze Pour, Mark MSCD, Fort Collins, CO

Public Art Work

2011 • Snortner Sculpture (mascot), Emerald Elementary, Broomfield, CO

PUBLICATIONS

- Art of the State 2019 a Juried Exhibition of Colorado, catalog, page 28, Arvada Center & Humanities, Arvada CO
 - Art of the State 2019 a Juried Exhibition of Colorado, winter exhibition advertisement inner flap, Arvada Center & Humanities, Arvada CO
- 2018 *Boulder Magazine*, Fall 2018, page 74
 - Salann Magazine, vol.1 page 6-d, 33, 101
- JAMS Society of North American Goldsmiths Jewelry and Metalsmithing Survey, vol.1, p.54, 55
 - Metamorphosis show catalog oct 26-nov 12 2017 @ annex in the core denver, CO juried by Bobbi Walker, page 12
- Emerald Elementary in Broomfield fired up over Snortner sculpture, Broomfield Enterprise, article- paper <u>http://www.broomfieldenterprise.com/news/ci_17744320</u>
- Metrosphere 2008-2009 Vol. 27, page 12, 108, MSCD Office of Student Media
 - Naja teapot and cup flier and poster for Naja Tool and Supply Inc. Annual Competition
- Upcoming Artists in Denver Cookbook, page 18-19, Stampedos and Gregonis Art Industries Publishing
- LAA Art News, October 11th edition, page 5, Louisville Art Association, Louisville, CO

WORKSHOPS / LECTURES / DEMONSTRATIONS

Conducted

- 2020 ◆ BoMA Level 1 Classes, BoMA, Boulder, COAlternative Casting workshops, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Alternative Setting workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Assisted Casting program, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - BoMA Level 1 Classes, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Intro to lost wax casting workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Studio consult- touches and ventilation, Longmont, CO
 - *Tufa Party*, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Technique Intensive: Round Flush Setting workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO



- *Tufa Party*, BoMA, Boulder, CO
- Tufa carving and casting workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO
- Alternative Setting workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Assisted Casting program (2), BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - *BoMA Level 1* Classes (4), BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Casting the lost wax process demo, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Cuttlebone Casting workshop, Balefire Goods, Arvada, CO
 - Flush setting technical intensive workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - *Fun & Art BBQ* C Dimond LLC, Louisville, CO
 - Holiday Eve pewter casting in 1860's, Littleton Museum, Littleton, CO
 - Intro to Lost Wax Casting (2), BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Metal, Jewelry, and Casting demo and talk, Watershed School, Boulder, CO
 - Scrap to Ring workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - *Spiculem Necklace* workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Studio consult- lay out and ventilation, Boulder, CO
 - Studio consult- lay out and ventilation, Longmont, CO
 - Tab Setting for Teachers workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Tufa Party, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Water Casting demo, BoMA 10 year Anniversary Party, Boulder, CO
- 2018 *Alternative Casting* workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Cuff with Flush Set Diamonds workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Cuttlefish and tufa casting workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - ◆ *Forge a Cuff* demo, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - FORGING Demo, The Gold Market, Longmont, CO
 - Intro to Wax Carving workshop, The Gold Market, Longmont, CO
 - Intro to Lost Wax Casting workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Options for choosing fuel gases and torch systems demo, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Pewter Casting for Teachers workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Scrap to Bangle workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Silver Bowl workshop, The Gold Market, Broomfield, CO
 - Silver Bowl workshop, Schilz Studio, Broomfield, CO
 - Sink a Copper Bowl workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Wand Making, C Dimond LLC, Louisville, CO
- 2017 Alternative Casting workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - Forging a Cuff- demo, Outnumbered Gallery, Arvada, CO
 - Christmas Icicles- Water casting demo, Outnumbered Gallery, Arvada, CO
 - Cuttlefish and tufa casting, The Walnut Gallery, Louisville, CO
 - *Easter casting* demo BoMA 2nd Saturday; Boulder, CO
 - Engagement Ring Lost Wax casting- In Studio Experience, C Dimond LLC, Louisville, CO
 - Forging a cuff demo, The Walnut Gallery, Louisville, CO
 - Louisville Library Makerspace: Cuttlebone casting, stamping pendants, chainmail-Byzantine earrings workshops, Louisville, CO
 - Sand Casting workshop, BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - *Water casting* demos, The Walnut Gallery, Louisville, CO
- 2016 Cuttlebone & Tufa Casting demo and talk, The Walnut Gallery, Louisville, CO



- Water and Broom casting demo, BoMA show, Studio Arts Boulder's First Annual Chili Bowl, Boulder, CO
- Forging demo and talk, First Friday Artwalk The Walnut Gallery, Louisville, CO
 Kinds of Casting demo and talk, The Walnut Gallery, Louisville, CO
- 2009 Iron in the Springs, Eldorado Springs Art Center, Eldorado Springs, CO
 - Sand Molds in the Springs, Eldorado Springs Art Center, Eldorado Springs, CO
- 2008 Metal in Art Lecture, Fairview High School, Boulder, CO
 - Wire Work Workshop, Fairview High School, Boulder, CO
- 2006 Silver Ring Casting Workshop, Monarch High School, Louisville, CO
- Silver Ring Casting Workshop, Monarch High School, Louisville, CO

Attended

- 2020 Jewelers Helping Jeweler discussion group, Denver, CO
 - ◆ 2nd Saturday Demos BoMA, Boulder, CO
- 2019 Jewelers Helping Jeweler discussion group, Denver, CO
 - Balefire Goods Sapphires Talk, Arvada, CO
 - Balefire Goods Diamonds: a changing landscape talk, Arvada, CO
 - Bench Tips for Goldsmiths with Charles Lewton-Brain-BoMA, Boulder, CO
 - ◆ 2nd Saturday Demos BoMA (8), Boulder, CO
- 2018
 CoMA Demo Day at CSU, Fort Collins, CO
 - 2nd Saturday Demos BoMA (8), Boulder, CO
- 2017 CoMA Demo Day at MSCD, Denver, CO
 - Laser engraving/cutting wood- Building 61, Boulder, CO
 - ◆ 2nd Saturday Demos BoMA (8), Boulder, CO
- 2016 Mokume Gane with Jim Binnyon- patterning (CoMA), Salida, CO
 - ◆ *3D printing* Building 61, Boulder, CO
 - Laser engraving/cutting- Building 61, Boulder, CO
 - Knife Out of Railroad Stake BoMA workshop, Boulder, CO
 - CoMA design discussions, Zephyr studio, Lakewood, CO
 - 2nd Saturday Demos BoMA (6), Boulder, CO
- 2015 *History of Cartier Jewelry*, DU, Denver, CO
 - Bill Blinker studio tour and demonstration rose engine turning, Boulder, CO
 - Tig Welding, General Air, Denver, CO
 - CoMA Demos, Zephyr studio, Lakewood, CO
 - ◆ 2nd Saturday Demos BoMA (4), Boulder, CO
 - CoMA design discussions, Zephyr studio, Lakewood, CO
- * Mokume Gane with a blacksmith BoMA, Lafayette, CO
- 2012 Eric Mokume Gane workshop, Zyphyr Studio, Lakewood, CO
- 2011
 Iron lecture Denver, CO
- Introduction to Glass Blowing with Anduriel Widmark, Metalmorphosis, MSCD, Denver, CO
- Granualization with Harold O'Connor Workshop and Lecture, Metalmorphosis, MSCD, Denver, CO
 - Anti-clastic Raising with Travis Olson Workshop with lecture, Metalmorphosis, MSCD, Denver, CO



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- *The Sculpture Show: Figure and Pattern*: Western Cast Iron Art Conference Lecture, Denver, CO
- 2007 ♦ Flush Setting with Todd Reed Workshop, Metalmorphosis, MSCD, Denver, CO
 - Ira Sherman Lecture and studio tour, Metalmorphosis, MSCD, Denver, CO
 - Creative Capture with Andy Cooperman Workshop, Metalmorphosis, MSCD, Denver, CO
 - Andy Cooperman Lecture, Metalmorphosis, MSCD, Denver, CO
- 2006 Cappy Counard Workshop, Metalmorphosis, MSCD, Denver, CO
 - Cappy Counard Lecture, Metalmorphosis, MSCD, Denver, CO

CONFERENCES ATTENDED

- 2019 CoMA Conference 2019, 2019 Golden, CO
- 2009-2018
 CoMA Conference 2009-18, Salida, CO
 - Direction Unknown: Looking Forward and Learning from History, SNAG Conference 2007, Memphis, TN

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

2014-present	• Boulder Metalsmithing Association (BoMA), member/instructor, Boulder, CO
2007-present	• Society of North American Goldsmith (SNAG), member, USA
2005-present	Colorado Metalsmith Association (CoMA), member, CO
2009-present	 Louisville Art Association, member, Louisville, CO
2004-2009	 Louisville Art Association, Board Member, Louisville, CO
2008-2010	Jewelrygeeks.com, member
2008-2009	 Delta Alpha Pi Honor Society, MSCD, Denver, CO
2009	 Visual Art Appreciation, MSCD, Denver, CO
2007-2009	Sculpture Club, UCD, Denver, CO
2005-2009	 Metalmorphosis, MSCD, Denver, CO
2005-2006	 Dimension 3, MSCD, Denver, CO
2004-2005	 Anime Club, UCD, Denver, CO
2002-2004	 Art Club, Monarch High School, Louisville, CO
VOLUNTEER/COMMUNITY SERVICE	
2020	 CoMA Auction fundraising volunteer, Golden, CO (conference canceled) Donation of jewelry for scholarships: PEO, Philo

2017-present • Littleton Museum Farm demos and events, Littleton, CO

- 2016-present

 BoMA Educational demos, Boulder, CO
 - Denver Art Museum focus group- art experiences in spaces (Ashin), Denver, CO
 - 20011-2012 Louisville Art Association volunteering hanging shows, Louisville, CO
 - 2004-2011

 Louisville Art Association Board Member, Louisville, CO
 - 2004-2010
 Boy Scouts of America (Eagle Scout)