

Lori Brook Johnson

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

2021 **MFA** Drawing, Clemson University, Clemson, SC.

2014 **BA** Drawing, University of North Carolina, Asheville. *Cum Laude* and Distinction in Art

2015. **K-12 Art Teacher Licensure**, University of North Carolina, Asheville. *Cum Laude*

Solo and Small Group Shows

2024 **A Nearly Concealed Heart**, Toe River Arts, Spruce Pine, NC

2021 **The Self Outside**, MFA Thesis Exhibit, Clemson University, Lee Gallery, Clemson, SC

Select Exhibitions

2025 **Resilience**, Mica Gallery, Bakersville, NC

2025 **Soul of Appalachia**, The Art Gallery at Congdon Yards, High Point, NC

2024 **Toe River Arts Studio Tour**, Treats Studios Gallery, Spruce Pine, NC

2023 **As Good As Gold**, Clemson University, Lee Gallery, Clemson, SC

2022 **SC Festival of Flowers Juried Art Show**, The Arts Center of Greenwood, Greenwood, SC. Juror: April Dauscha

2022 **Valdosta National 2022**, Dedo Maranville Fine Arts Gallery, Valdosta State University, Valdosta, GA. Juror: Samuel Dunson

2022 **10th Annual Collegiate Invitational Art Exhibition**, Spartanburg County Library, Spartanburg, SC

- 2021 **Blue**, O'Hanlon Center for the Arts, Online Exhibition. Juror: Jen Tough
- 2020 **ArtFields Competition**, Greater Lake City Chamber of Commerce, Lake City, SC
- 2020 **RAW MFA Exhibition Online**, University of Montana-Missoula and Montana State University
- 2020 **31st National Drawing & Print Competitive Exhibition**, Notre Dame of Maryland University, Gormley Gallery, Baltimore, MD. Juror: Doreen Bolger
- 2020 **100 Miles Exhibition** at the Bascom, Highlands, NC
- 2019 **The New South 4**, KAI LIN ART'S Works on Paper Exhibition, Atlanta, GA
- 2018 **Manifest International Drawing Annual**, Volume 13 Exhibition-in-Print
- 2018 **Drawing Discourse**: 9th Annual Exhibition of Contemporary Drawing, University of North Carolina Asheville, S. Tucker Cooke Gallery, Asheville, NC. Juror: Stuart Shils
- 2017 **Drawing Discourse**: 8th Annual Exhibition of Contemporary Drawing, University of North Carolina Asheville, S. Tucker Cooke Gallery, Asheville, NC. Juror: Scott Noel
- 2016 **Drawing Discourse**: 7th Annual Exhibition of Contemporary Drawing, University of North Carolina Asheville, S. Tucker Cooke Gallery, Asheville, NC. Juror: Edgar Jerins
- 2015 **Drawn**: 2nd Annual International Exhibition of Contemporary Drawing, Manifest Gallery, Cincinnati, OH
- 2015 **Simultaneity Shared Spaces**, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA
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Select Grants

- 2024 **NC Arts Council Artist Support Grant award**
- 2020 **The Elizabeth Greenshields Foundation Grant**
- 2018 **The Elizabeth Greenshields Foundation Grant**
- 2015 **Penland School of Crafts**, Portrait Drawing in Pencil

Publications

2024 **Carolina Home & Garden Magazine**, The Pencil is Mightier Than the Past, Summer 2024, P. 76-81

2024 **Rapid River Magazine**, Arts & Culture, Vol. 27, NO. 9, May 2024, P. 25

2024 **Destination: Toe River Valley**: Artist Highlight, The Human Spirit, A Publication of the Mitchell News-Journal, Summer 2024; P. 18-19

2021 **Carolina Arts**: A Publication Covering the Visual Arts in the Carolinas, Vol. 25, No. 3, March 2021; P. 58-59

2018 **Manifest International Drawing Annual**: 13 Exhibition-In-Print P. 91-92

2017 **Drawing Discourse**: 8th Annual Exhibition of Contemporary Drawing, S. Tucker Cooke Gallery; P. 46-47

2016 **Drawing Discourse**: 7th Annual Exhibition of Contemporary Drawing, S. Tucker Cooke Gallery; P. 50-51 & Title Page

2015 **Simultaneity Shared Spaces**, Virginia Commonwealth University & University of North Carolina Asheville

2015 **Manifest Exhibition Annual Season 11**, Manifest Gallery, Cincinnati, Ohio

Awards

2021 **Cecilia Voelker Award in Graduate Art History**: College of Architecture, Arts and Humanities, Clemson University, Clemson SC

2018 **Honorable Mention**: Drawing Discourse: 9th Annual Exhibition of Contemporary Drawing, University of North Carolina Asheville, S. Tucker Cooke Gallery, Asheville, NC. Juror: Stuart Shils

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