

# Hanna Traynham

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## Education

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Studio Art; Concentration in Ceramics  
James Madison University, Virginia 2009; GPA: 3.6  
Oregon Teaching License in Visual Arts Education PK-12  
Washington Teaching License in Visual Arts Education PK-12

## Career Objective

My primary desire is to share my love for arts and life so others may be inspired to pursue ambitions of their own.

## Teaching Experience

Sept 2014-current Drawing, Ceramics, and Engineering Instructor at Hudson's Bay High School, Vancouver, Washington

Sept 2013-June 2014 Multnomah Education Services District Substitute Teacher; serving the Park Rose and Reynolds districts

Feb-May 2014 Educational Assistant at Sacramento Elementary; working with special education students

Aug 2012-Aug 2013 Old Redmond Schoolhouse Community Center Youth Clay Class Art Instructor; Instructing academic and conceptual lessons in hand-building and wheel throwing to students ages 5-14

July 2012-June 2013 Youth Art Instructor at Pratt Fine Arts Center; designing and teaching academic and conceptual art lessons to stimulate creativity and give students incentive to relate art to their own lives

Jan-May 2012 Eckstein Middle School After School Program Art Teacher; taught ceramics, mixed-media collage, and up-cycling classes

June 2010,11,12 James Madison Summer Art Program Instructor; designed and implemented up-cycling, printmaking, and other various art lessons for children ages 6-12

## Professional Experience

March 2014 Delivered lecture at National Art Education Association; *Transforming art educator into teaching artist; Art interpretation from a personal approach to a global view*

Sept 2013-current Mudshark Studio production potter; Portland-based business that creates ceramic forms for lighting companies, small businesses, etc. and delivers their products worldwide

Oct 2012 - May 2013 Material Good production potter; Seattle-based ceramics business creating Little Shirley vases, a percentage of profits are donated to various local community organizations

Oct 2012 - May 2013 Seattle Art Museum Admissions Assistant; support of museum patrons with informative and courteous service

March 2012 Delivered lecturer at National Council for Education in Ceramic Arts; *Transforming Classroom into Gallery; Teaching interpretation through conceptual artwork*

## Volunteer Experience

2013 Multnomah Arts Center Youth Art Instructor Assistant

2012 Bike Works volunteer; repairing children's bicycles in Columbia City, Seattle

- Seward Park Clay Studio Pottery Sale; clerk and customer service

2010 Shenandoah Mountain Bike Festival volunteer trail maintenance; Virginia

- Swannanoa Music Gathering volunteer; banjo class assistant in North Carolina

2009 National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts Conference Volunteer

- JMU Children's Summer Art Program Volunteer

- Our Community Place Volunteer- Teaching introductory ceramics lessons for underprivileged adults in rural Virginia

## Honors

- 2013 Centrum FiddleTunes scholarship recipient
- 2012 Seward Park Clay Studio scholarship recipient
- 2009 Featured at Virginia Art Education Association Conference, Kathy Schwartz delivered the workshop "Introducing Students to Creativity"
- Recipient of the James Madison University Senior Art Award, Alan Tschudi Outstanding Student Award in Studio Art (highest senior studio art award)

## Exhibitions

- 2016 Oregon Potter's Association Showcase
- 2015 Infusion Gallery
  - Eutectic Gallery
  - Blendily Alberta Street Last Thursday display
  - Portland Night Market
  - Crafty Wonderland
  - Oregon Country Fair
  - Compound Clay Studio Holiday Show
- 2014 First Thursdays in the Pearl
  - Laurelhurst Holiday Art Bazaar
- 2013 The Vera Project and Northwest Folklife Art Showcase
  - VALA art space, Redmond, Washington
  - Washington Clay Arts Association Annual Exhibit
- 2011 Apple House Gallery, Guldagergaard in Skælskør, Denmark
- 2009 Artworks Student Gallery; James Madison University
  - "Student vs. Locals" at Clementine Gallery Harrisonburg, VA
  - Sawhill Gallery; James Madison University
  - Harrisonburg Valley Arts Council

## Professional Affiliations

- 2014 - current Portland's Urban Art Network
- 2014 - current Oregon Potter's Association
- 2013 - current Washington Art Education Association
- 2012 - current Washington Clay Arts Association
- 2009 - current National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts
- 2006 - current National Art Education Association

## Technical Expertise

**CPR Certified**

Technology and Design:

AutoCAD.Revit 3-D Modeling Program,Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, hand-drafting

Ceramics:

General studio and kiln maintenance  
Working with plaster molds and slip casting  
Mixing, wedging, and pugging various clay bodies  
Glaze calculation and mixing  
Kiln firing; electric, gas, soda, raku, and wood-firing