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**AWARDS AND HONORS** 

2021	Goetemann Residency Distinguished Artist and Teacher, Gloucester, MA
2007	Banff Creative Residency Program Grant
2006	Women's Studio Workshop Residency Grant
	University of Connecticut School of Fine Arts Outstanding Faculty Award
2005	Center for Contemporary Printmaking Residency Fellowship
2002	The University of Connecticut Chancellor's Research Fellowship
	William Randolph Hearst Artist and Writers Creative Arts Fellowship,
	American Antiquarian Society
2001	Nexus Press Artist Book Project Residency Award
	Visual Studies Press Artist in Residence Award
	Louise Comfort Tiffany Foundation Nominee
1997	The John Simon Guggenheim Foundation Fellowship
1996	New England Foundation for the Arts Regional National Endowment for the Arts,
	Individual Artist Grant
	Joan Mitchell Foundation Nominee
	Juror's Merit Award, New American Talent: Laguna Gloria Museum
1995	Louis Comfort Tiffany Foundation Fellowship Nominee
1991	Connecticut Commission on the Arts Individual Artist Grant
1988	Yale University Visiting Faculty Fellow
1985	YADDO Fellow Artist-In-Residence

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS		
2022	A Glitch in the Membrane, Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, New York, NY	
	Circling Time, Zillman Art Museum, University of Maine, Bangor MA	
2021	A Faint Light, Robischon Gallery, Denver, CO	
2020	Collision, Marketview Gallery, York College of PA, York PA	
2019	The Weight of the World, Five Points Gallery, Torrington, CT	
	The Edge of Time, Marcia Wood Gallery, Atlanta, GA	
2018	Un/Natural Occurrence, Gray Contemporary Gallery, Houston TX	
	Turbulence, Robischon Gallery, Denver, CO	
	Counter Clockwise, K. Imperial Fine Art, San Francisco, CA	
2016	Pernicious Beauty, K. Imperial Fine Art, San Francisco, CA	
2015	Lush Life, N'Namdi, Contemporary Miami, Miami, FL	
2013	Chasing the Light - Sears Peyton Gallery, New York, NY	
2012	SACI Gallery Florence, Italy	
2009	G.R.N'Namdi Gallery, Chicago, IL	
2007	Stewart Gallery, Purdue University	
	Wright State University, West Layfette, IN	
2005	Sears Peyton Gallery, New York, NY	
2004	G.R.N'Namdi Gallery, Detroit, MI	
2001	G.R.N'Namdi Gallery, Chicago, IL	
1999	ARC Gallery, Chicago, IL	
1999	Housatonic Museum of Art, Bridgeport, CT	
1998	Diggs Gallery, Winston-Salem, NC	

Mead Art Museum, Amherst, MA

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SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS		
2022	A Call to Question, Cooley Gallery, Wilson College, Chambersburg, PA Stolen Goods, Marketview Art Gallery, York College, York PA	
2024	Female Abstractionists, Melissa Morgan Fine Art, Palm Desert, CA	
2021	Odd Couple, Markelfinearts, NYC ONCE IN A LIFETIME, M.DAVID & CO. Brooklyn	
	Summer Show, Kathryn Markel Gallery, NYC	
	Deborah Dancy- Deborah Zlotsky, Kathryn Markel Bridgehampton, NY	
2020	MATTER, Gray Contemporary, Houston, TX	
2020	Founding Narratives, Mead Museum of Art, Amherst, MA	
2019	Selfish, K.Imperial Gallery, San Francisco, CA	
2018	State of Abstraction, Washington Art Association & Gallery, Washington Depot, CT	
	Parallel Practices, The Visual and Performing Arts Center, Western CT State University, Danbury, CT	
	MONSTERS -Among/Within, Hans Weiss NewSpace Gallery, Manchester Community College, Manchester CT	
	Magnetic Fields: Expanding American Abstraction 1960's to Today, Museum of Fine Arts St.	
	Petersburg, FL	
2017	Decades of Change, Art Space, New Haven, CT	
	Stacked, Kathryn Markel Fine Arts, NYC	
	Magnetic Fields: Expanding American Abstraction 1960's to Today, Kemper Museum of	
	Contemporary Art. Kansas City, MO	
	Magnetic Fields, Expanding American Abstraction 1960's to Today, The National Museum of	
0040	Women in the Arts, Washington, DC	
2016	Surface Work, Real Art Ways, Hartford, CT, curated by David Borawski	
2015	The Tide Is High, Governors Island NY	
2015	Interwoven, Mead Museum, Amherst College, Amherst, MA	
2014	Art in the Embassies, American Embassy, Paris, France  ART FUSION/ Art Basel. N'Namdi, Miami, FL	
	Window Seat N'Namdi, Miami, FL	
2013	Abstraction, N'Namdi Contemporary, Miami, FL	
2012	Float- Sears Peyton Gallery, NY, NY	
	Hidden Essence G.R.N'Namdi Gallery Chicago, IL	
	N'Namdi Contemporary Miami, FL	
2008	Connecticut Biennale Mattatuck Museum, Bridgeport, CT	
2000	Contemporary Printmaking. The Rye Text Messages: Words and Letters Arts Center	
	Rye, NY	
	Abstraction Updated, G.A.S.P Gallery, Brookline, MA	
	More Than One: Prints and Multiples, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN	
	Stories and Histories. Faulconer Gallery, Grinnell College, Grinnell, IA	
2004	Conflicting Memories, Spencer Museum of Art, Lawrence, KS	
2002	The Belles of Amherst: Contemporary Women Artists in the Collection	

Words of Vision/Vision of Words CT Commission on the Arts, Hartford, CT

Revisiting Abstraction, LewAllen Contemporary, Santa Fe, NM

1996	The Eighth Triennial, Fuller Museum of Art, Brockton, MA
	Translucency, Mary Porter Sesnon Gallery, University of CA., Santa Cruz, CA
1995	New American Talent, Museum of South Texas, Corpus Christi
	Alabama Impact: Contemporary Artists with Alabama Ties, Mobile Museum of Art, Mobile, AL,
	and The Huntsville Museum of Art, Huntsville, AL
1991	9 Artists/9 Visions: DeCordova Museum, Lincoln, MA

#### PERMANENT COLLECTIONS

21C Museum

The Museum of the Fine Arts, Houston, TX

The Kemper Museum of Contemporary Art, Kansas City, MO

Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

United States Embassy, Yaoundé, Cameroon, West Africa

Birmingham Museum of Art, Birmingham, AL

Snite Museum of Art, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN

Detroit Institute of Art, Detroit, MI

Samek Art Gallery, Bucknell, University, Bucknell, PA

Allen Memorial Museum of Art, Oberlin College, Oberlin, OH

Fine Art Museum Western Carolina University, Cullowhee, NC

Hallmark Cards, Inc. Kansas City, MO

Hunter Museum of American Art, Chattanooga, TN

Spencer Museum of Art, University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS

Figge Museum of Art, Davenport, IA Cedar

Davison Art Center, Weslevan University, Middletown, CT

Rapids Museum of Art, Cedar Rapids, IA

Baltimore Museum of Art, Baltimore, MD

Columbia Museum of Art, Columbia, SC

Vanderbilt University Museum, Nashville, TN

Montgomery Museum of Art, Montgomery, AL

Grinnell College, Grinnell, IA

Mead Art Museum, Amherst College, Amherst, MA

Caesars Palace Hotel, Las Vegas, NV

Bellagio Hotel, Las Vegas, NV.

General Electric Company, Fairfield, CT

Chemical Bank, New York, NY Pepsi Co, Ryebrook, NY

Meditech Corporation, Cambridge, MA

Southern New England Telephone, New Haven, CT

Aetna Life Insurance Company, Middletown, CT

Salmon River Corporation, Glastonbury, CT

Culbro Land Resources, Windsor, CT

## **SELECTED PUBLICATIONS AND REVIEWS**

Art New England, The Weight of the World, Jacquelyn Gleisner. Five Points Gallery

The Paris Review, June 22, 2017, The Bookness of Not-Books, Albert Mobilio

ARTPULSE Magazine Vol. 7 2015, Deborah Dancy: Between Abstraction and Representation, Jeff Edwards

The Drawing Center, Emmie Danza, June 26, 2013, Deborah Dancy, Chasing the Light, SearsPeyton Gallery

The Willimantic Chronicle, Terese Karmel, November 2008, A Convergence of Art and Music

Art New England, Cynthia Farnell, October/November 2005, Speaking Volumes Univ. RI

Hartford Advocate, Patricia Rosoff, July 15, 2004, Small Vistas, The 10-Year Show at 100 Pearl

Hartford Advocate, Patricia Rosoff, July 5,2004, Finding One's Self

Holleley, Douglas. *Digital Book, Design and Publishing*, Cary Graphic Arts Press, Rochester Institute of Technology, 2000

Connecticut Review, Fall 2000, The Practical Speller

Art New England, June/July 2000, Pat Rosoff, Abstraction, Central Connecticut State University

Art New England, October/November 1997, Lois Tarlow, Deborah Muirhead's Ghostly Vision

Hartford Advocate, October 9, 1997, Patricia Rosoff, Variety is the Spice of Life

Art New England, Joyce Chen, February/March 1997, Fuller Museum of Art

ArtsMedia, Jeff Perrott, January/February 1997, The Eighth Triennial Exhibition

Art New England, Francois Hugot, June/July 1996, Lenore Gray Gallery, Muirhead, Reddicliffe: Paintings Time Capsule: A Concise Encyclopedia By Women Artists, S.O.S International, edited by Robin Kahn, NY

Art New England, Michael Rush, April/May 1996, Connecticut Invitational

The New York Times, William Zimmer, April 28, 1996

Gumbo Ya Ya: Anthology of Contemporary African American Women Artists, 1995, Midmarch Publication, NY

Art New England, Michael Rush, August/September 1995, 3 Connecticut Artists Transform the Ordinary

The New York Times, William Zimmer, April 16, 1995, Three in Search of the Spiritual

The Art of Seeing, 3rd Edition, 1993 Mary Pat Fisher, Paul Zelanski, Calmann & King Limited, London

The Hartford Courant, Owen McNally, Painter Muirhead Peers Through A History, Darkly

Color, 1994, Mary Pat Fisher, Paul Zelanski, Calmann & King Limited, London

Hartford Advocate, September 24,1992, Susan Wadsworth, Hooked: Deborah Muirhead at Trinity

The Boston Globe, Friday, June 28, 1991, Christine Temin, DeCordova has 9 Artists

The New York Times, Sunday, April 14, 1991, William Zimmer, Connecticut Biennial

Art New England, February 1991, Susan Wadsworth, Spirit Calls

The New York Times, Sunday, May 2,1989, Vivian Raynor, Stamford Museum

Art New England, May 1989, Jude Schwendenwein, Spirit in the Wood/Paint

The New York Times, Sunday, February 26,1989, Vivian Raynor, Spirit in the Wood/Paint

Art News, Summer 1988, David Bonetti, Boston: A Baker's Dozen

*The Boston Globe*, Thursday March 31,1988, Christina Temin, Deborah Muirhead Solo Exhibit Liz Harris Gallery

A Tarde, Bahia, Brazil June 8,1987, Artista Americana Estuda as Manifestacoes Baianas New Britain Herald Review, December 1987, Dorothy Spears, Connecticut Now Abstract Painting Hartford Courant, December 1987, Matt Damsker, Three Artists Open the Gap Between Mystery and Reality

The New York Times, Sunday August 10,1986, William Zimmer, The Aetna Collection

### **GALLERY REPRESENTATION**

Markel Fine Arts NY Robischon Gallery. Denver, CO Marcia Wood Gallery. Atlanta, GA