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Education

- 2012 M.F.A. Photography, Video, & Related Media, School of Visual Arts, NY, NY
- 1993 B.A. Photography, Brooks Institute of Photography, Santa Barbara, CA

Selected Exhibitions

- 2022 *Portals and Portholes: A National Juried Exhibition*, Main Street Arts Gallery, Clifton Springs, NY, **Juror's Choice Award**, Juror: Dr. Francisco J. Hernandez-Ilizaliturri, Founder Buffalo Arts Movement, Buffalo NY, Board of Trustees Burchfield Penney Art Center, Buffalo State College, Buffalo, NY
- Faculty Exhibition, Ortlip Gallery, Houghton College, Houghton NY
- 2021 *31st Members Exhibition*, Rochester Contemporary Art Center, Rochester, NY, **George Eastman Museum Award, Member's Choice Award, Main Street Arts Award**, Curator: Bleu Cease, Executive Director/Curator Rochester Contemporary Art Center, Rochester, NY
- Finger Lakes Exhibition*, Regional Juried Exhibition, Memorial Art Gallery, Rochester, NY, Juror: Amanda Chestnut, curator, artist, educator, Rochester, NY
- Collective Individual*, Three Person Popup Exhibition, On The Fringe NYC Gallery, TriBeCa District, New York City, NY
- Up Close & Personal*, International Juried Show, Trolley Barn, Poughkeepsie NY, Juror: Anna Conlan, Neil C. Trager Director of the Samuel Dorsky Museum of Art at SUNY New Paltz, New Paltz, NY
- New Work*, Faculty Exhibition, Ortlip Gallery, Houghton College, Houghton, NY
- 2020 *Attention to Detail: Glass 2020*, Invitational Exhibition, Chautauqua Institute, Chautauqua NY, Curator: Judy Barie, Susan and John Turben Director of CVA Galleries, Chautauqua, NY

Collective Individual, Solo Exhibition, Tri-County Arts Gallery, Olean NY,
Curator: Mikel Wintermantel, Director of Tri-County Arts Council and
Gallery, Olean, NY

- 2019 Southern Tier Biennial, Juried Show, Center Gallery, Olean NY, **Best of Show**, Jurors: Judy Barie, Susan and John Turban Director of CVA Galleries, Chautauqua Institution, Chautauqua, NY; Evelyn Penman, Assistant Director of Galleries, Regina A. Quick Center for the Arts, St. Bonaventure University, Olean, NY
- Faculty Exhibition*, Ortlip Gallery, Houghton College, Houghton, NY
- Tri-County Arts Members Exhibition*, Tri-County Arts Gallery, Olean, NY
- 2018 Curators: Patricia Briggs, PhD, Director of Galleries and Curator of Collections, Weeks Gallery, Jamestown, NY; Courtney Mealy, Associate Director Cattaraugus County Arts Council, Olean, NY
- Faculty Exhibition*, Ortlip Gallery, Houghton College, Houghton, NY
- Close to Home*, Arts Council for Wyoming County, Perry, NY
- 2017 *Faculty Exhibition*, Ortlip Gallery, Houghton College, Houghton, NY
- Artist Among Us*, Invitational Traveling Solo Exhibit, Western New York, Curator: Wendy Skinner, Director Fountain Arts Center, Belmont, NY
- 2016 *Art Faculty Group Invitational*, Corning Community College, Corning, NY
- 2015 *Faculty Exhibition*, Ortlip Gallery, Houghton College, Houghton, NY
- 2014 *Feel Yourself Seeing*, Invitational Solo Exhibit, Gettys Art Center, Rock Hill, SC, Curator: Kirk Irwin, Director Friday Arts Project, Rock Hill, SC
- Redeemer's 25th Anniversary Art Exhibition*, Invitational Exhibition, New York City, NY
- 2013 *Three Strands*, Redeemer Presbyterian Church, New York City, NY
- Faculty Exhibition*, Ortlip Gallery, Houghton College, Houghton, NY
- 2012 *Conscious Things*, Group Exhibition, Picture Space, Brooklyn, NY
- Thesis Exhibition*, SVA Westside Gallery, New York City, NY
- 2011 *In Love We Trust*, Invitational Group Exhibition, Michael Mut Gallery, Lower East Side, New York City, NY, Curator: Michael Mut, Owner Michael Mut Gallery, New York, NY

The Weekenders, Masters on Main Street, BRIK Gallery, Catskill, NY
2010 *AuthentiCity, Juried Exhibition, Salone del Mobile, Milan, Italy*

Residencies and Talks

2014 *The Rise of Installation Art, Friday Arts Project, Rock Hill, SC. Artist Talk*
Art as Experience, Friday Arts Project, Rock Hill, SC. Artist in Residence

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

2018 Luminous Graphics-Photo Etching, Corning Museum of Glass, Corning, NY
Flameworking Structural Objects, Corning Museum of Glass, Corning, NY
2017 Graphic Possibilities Using Sandblasting and Enamel, Corning Museum of Glass, Corning, NY

Publications

Hoff, Elisabeth, et al. "Delicate Youth: From Baby Bling to Weightless Liquid." Booklet Magazine. Issue #10 Summer/Autumn 2009: 75-86. Print

Hallowell, Mimi. "Cool Shots: Ryann Cooley's Digital Still Life and Product Photography." Professional Photographer, November 2001: 38-44. Print

HONORS AND AWARDS

2022 Rochester Contemporary, Members Choice Award
2021 Excellence in Teaching Award, Houghton University
Rochester Contemporary, George Eastman Museum Award
Rochester Contemporary, Main Street Arts Award

2019	NY Southern Tier Biennial, Best of Show
2012	School of Visual Arts, Paul Rhodes Memorial Award
2010	Photography Served, Featured Artist Behance Network, Featured Artist
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2008	Art Directors Club 87th Annual Award for Print Communications Arts, Webpick of the Day
2007	Graphis, Gold Woman's Wear Daily "The It List" Top 100 Beauty Still Life Photographers
2004	Mercury Awards, Grand Winner
2001	Creative Club's Show South Award for Photography
2000	Pikes Peak Advertising Federation ADDY, Best of Show – Print The Creative Summit Award – Gold
1999	Pikes Peak Advertising Federation ADDY
1994	The AMI International Special Award for Photography
1993	Brooks Institute of Photography, Presidential Achievement Award Kodak Crystal Eagle Award

Professional Members/Associations

2019-2022	Tri-County Arts Council, Board Member
2020-2022	Tri-County Arts Council, Co-Chair, Resource Development Committee
2019-2020	Tri-County Arts Council Finance Committee
2012-2020	American Association of Museums, Member

2017	Cattaraugus County Arts Council, Grant Committee Member
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2015	Cattaraugus County Arts Council, Grant Committee Member
2007-2009	The AD Agency, Founding Board Member
1999-2001	Advertising Photographers of America, Atlanta GA., Board Member
1994-1997	International Arts Movement, NYC, Leadership