# KATE FURMAN

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### **EDUCATION**

Rhode Island School of Design, RISD / Providence, RI

Master of Fine Arts, Jewelry + Metalsmithing / 2012

- -Graduated with honors
- -Graduate Fellowship / 2010-2012
- -Edith and Joseph Alpers Scholarship Award in Jewelry / 2011

# University of Georgia, UGA / Athens, GA

Bachelor of Fine Arts, Jewelry & Metalworking / 2008

- -Graduated Magna Cum Laude / 2008
- -Presidential Scholar / 2005-2008
- -Dean's List / 2004-2008

## Alchimia Contemporary School of Jewelry / Florence, Italy

Summer Workshop / 2008

#### **GALLERY REPRESENTATION**

Charon Kransen Arts / New York, NY

## SELECTED INTERNATIONAL & NATIONAL EXHIBITIONS

Artists of the Upstate Juried Exhibition / Artisphere / Greenville, South Carolina / 2015

Defining She / Artistry Workshops & Gallery / Greenville, South Carolina / 2015 -Curated, Planned & Executed with 3 additional artists

Material Matters: Process to Product / ECU Symposium / Greenville, North Carolina / 2015

Ties That Bind / Fine Arts Center Alumni Show / Greenville, South Carolina / 2015

Chain Gang / Shaw Contemporary Jewelry / Northeast Harbor, Maine / 2014

Material Matters: Making Connections / ECU Symposium / Greenville, North Carolina / 2014

Thirty-Fifth Annual Juried South Carolina Artist's Exhibition / Pickens County Museum / Pickens, South Carolina / 2014

These Were Trees / J.Cotter Gallery / Vail & Beaver Creek, Colorado / 2013-14

Seams; Seems / Mada Gallery / Monash University / Victoria, Australia / 2013

Marzee International Graduation Show 2012 / Galerie Marzee / Nijmegen, The Netherlands / 2012

The New Contemporaries: Selected Work from the Class of 2012 / Gelman Gallery / Rhode Island School of Design /

Providence, RI / 2012

Selections 2012: 2nd Year Graduate Student Work / Sol Koffler Gallery / Rhode Island School of Design / Providence, RI / 2012

The 2012 Graduate Thesis Exhibition / Rhode Island Convention Center / Rhode Island School of Design / May 2012

Alloy Exhibition / Alloy Symposium / UMass Dartmouth / New Bedford, MA / 2012

On the Threshold of Something Else, Somthing Other..., / Sol Koffler Gallery / Rhode Island School of Design / Providence, RI / 2011

Jewelry + Metalsmithing Biennial Exhibition / Sol Koffler Gallery / Rhode Island School of Design / 2011

Lines of a City / B.F.A. Exit Exhibition / The University of Georgia / Lamar Dodd School of Art / Athens, GA / 2008

Craftforms 2008: 14th Annual International Juried Exhibition of Contemporary Craft / Wayne Art Center, / Wayne, PA / 2008

Madison National Juried Show / Madison-Morgan Cultural Center / Madison, GA / 2008

The Memory Collective: Social, Cultural, and Individual Perspective / Ciné / Athens, GA / 2008

#### BIBLIOGRAPHY

Haag, Terri, "Wonders of Wood Jewelry," Lapidary Journal Jewelry Artist, May 2015, 50-53.

"Growth Rings Wooden Brooch," Lapidary Journal Jewelry Artist, May 2015, cover, 56-61.

"Second Glance: Women by Women," Town Magazine, May 2015, 128.

"Wearable Wood," Art Jewelry Magazine, January 2015, 44.

Trotter, Stephanie, "Statement Jewels: One trinket at a time," Talk Greenville, November 2013, 60-63.

Huang, Andrew, "Natural Refinement: Designer Kate Furman thinks beyond diamond rings," Town Magazine, October 2013, 37-39.

"Kate Furman Exclusive," Pack Fashion, 2013, http://packfashion.com/post/62391526851.

"Vail, Beaver Creek sister galleries to host jewelry exhibit," 2013, http://www.vaildaily.com/entertainment/9595044-113/cotter-jewelry-wood-artists.

Bill Van Siclen, Providence Journal, RISD's Graduate Student Show Deserves an A+, 2012.

Brenda Schweder, "Steel Wire Jewelry: Stylish Designs, Simple Techniques, Artful Inspiration," Lark Crafts, 2011, 23.

Avery Leigh Cox, "Kate Furman Fever," Ornamental Habit, June 3, 2011. <a href="http://www.ornamentalhabit.com">http://www.ornamentalhabit.com</a>>.