# MISSY GRAFF

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# **EDUCATION**

2013 State University of New York at New Paltz. New Paltz, NY. Master of Fine Arts, Metal

2011 Montclair State University. Montclair, NJ. Bachelor of Fine Arts, Metalwork/Jewelry

2007 Dover Business College. Dover, NJ. Licensed Massage Therapist

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2015 Founder. Wellness for Makers

2013-Present: Writer. Art Jewelry Forum

2013-Present: Social Media Manager. Gallery Loupe, Montclair, NJ

2013 Jewelry Curatorial Intern. Museum of Arts and Design, New York, NY

2013 Coin Restoration. Educational Coin Factory, Woodstock, NY

2012-2013 Social Media Manager. Heidi Lowe Gallery, Rehoboth Beach, DE

2012 Gallery Manager Intern. Heidi Lowe Gallery, Rehoboth Beach, DE

2011-2012 Art Series Lecture Coordinator. Student Art Alliance, SUNY New Paltz, NY

2011 Graduate Studio Assistant. SUNY New Paltz, NY

2010-2011 Residential Assistant. International Community, Montclair State University, NJ

2009-2011 Metals Studio Assistant, Montclair State University, NJ

2009-2011, Gallery Assistant, Gallery Loupe, Montclair, NJ

2009-2011 Assistant Spa Manager. The Urban Muse, Denville, NJ

2007-2014 Massage Therapist. The Urban Muse, Denville, NJ

#### JURIED EXHIBITIONS

2015 Making Matters. Peters Valley School of Craft, Layton, NJ

2015 Rent-A-Necklace. Amsterdam, Netherlands

2014 Faculty and Studio Assistant Exhibition, Peters Valley School of Craft, Layton, NJ

2014 STARING: In Hindsight. International Design Museum, Munich, Germany

2014 Permanent Area. Alliages Gallery, Lille, France

2013 Annual Multiples Exhibition. Heidi Lowe Gallery, Rehoboth Beach, DE

2013 Monthly Multiple Artist. Heidi Lowe Gallery, Rehoboth Beach, DE

2013 SIAMESE CONNECTION. Brooklyn Metal Works, Brooklyn, NY

2013 FASCIA, MFA Thesis Exhibition. Samuel Dorsky Museum of Art, SUNY New Paltz, NY

2012 Insight/On site. Historical Huguenot Street New Paltz, NY

2012 Species of Spaces. Issue Project Room. Brooklyn, NY

2011 Persen: Place & Things. Historic Matthewis Persen House. Kingston, NY

2011 Process. Kean University, Union, NJ

2011 Fluxuation. SNAG Annual Slide Show, SNAG. Seattle, WA

2011 BFA Thesis Exhibition. Montclair State University, George Segal Gallery. Montclair, NJ

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- 2015 Upcoming: Jewelry Workshop Instructor. Chains. Peter's Valley Craft Center, Layton, NJ.
- 2015 Jewelry Workshop Instructor. Pendants. The Arts Center of the Capital Region, Troy, NY.
- 2014 Jewelry Workshop Instructor. Intro to Filigree. Peter's Valley Craft Center, Layton, NJ.
- 2013 Studio Art Course Assistant. SUNY New Paltz, NY
- 2012 Jewelry Teaching Assistant. Heidi Lowe Gallery, Rehoboth Beach, DE
- 2012 Metals Experimental Techniques Teaching Internship. SUNY, New Paltz, NY
- 2012 Art Foundations Teaching Internship. SUNY New Paltz, NY
- 2009 Fine Metals Teaching/Studio Assistant. Peters Valley Craft Center, Layton, NJ
- 2008-2011 Studio Assistant. Montclair State University, Montclair, NJ

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- 2013-Present: Art Jewelry Forum, Interviews, http://www.artjewelryforum.org/search/node/Missy%20Graff
- 2015 The Jeweler's Journey, exhibition catalog written and edited by Missy Graff
- 2014 The Contemporary Jewelry Exchange, curated and edited by Olga Raben
- 2011 "Gallery," Art Jewelry Magazine (Kalmbach, Wakesha, WI). Vol.7: Pg. 46-47
- 2010 "Gallery," Art Jewelry Magazine (Kalmbach, Wakesha, WI). Vol.6: Pg 42

### **AWARDS**

- 2013 SNAG Conference Student Scholarship
- 2011 Residential Assistant of the Year Award
- 2010-11 Montclair State University Excellence in Jewelry Award
- 2010 Montclair State University Talented Artist Award