

Education:

MFA Ceramics/Glass. Tyler School of Art and Architecture, Temple University. Philadelphia, PA. 2011

BFA 3-Dimensional Design/Concentration in Glass. Salisbury University. Salisbury, MD. 2004

Selected Exhibitions:

2021

Objects: USA 2020. Group Exhibition. Curated by Glenn Adamson. R&Co Gallery. New York, NY

In Her Voice: Influential Women in Glass. Curated by Dorothy Hogan-Schofield and Mary Childs. The Sandwich Glass Museum. Sandwich, MA

2020

A New State of Matter: Contemporary Glass. Group Exhibition. The Grand Rapids Art Museum. Grand Rapids, MI

20 in Twenty. Group Exhibition. Sandwich Glass Museum. Sandwich, MA

The F Word: We Mean Female! Group Exhibition. The Hunter Museum of American Art. Chattanooga, TN

Group Exhibition, Chautauqua Institution. Chautauqua, NY

2019

Salacia. Solo Exhibition: Heller Gallery. NYC

Burke Prize 2019 Exhibition. Curated by Samantha DeTillio. The Museum of Arts and Design. NYC

Philadelphia: Then and Now, 1950-2019. Group Exhibition. Bertrand Productions. Philadelphia, PA

Art Miami. Represented by Heller Gallery. Miami, FL

SOFA Chicago. Represented by Heller Gallery. Chicago, IL

2018:

A New State of Matter. Group Exhibition. Boise Art Museum. Boise, ID

The Bleak and the Burgeoning. Group Exhibition. The Walton Arts Center. Fayetteville, AK

Salon NYC. Represented by Heller Gallery, NYC

SOFA Chicago. Represented by Heller Gallery. Chicago, IL

2017

Re/Collection. Solo Exhibition: The Fuller Craft Museum. Brockton, MA

iGlass. Group Exhibition. Levant Art Gallery. Shanghai, China

Current Reflections on the Natural and Man Made. Group Exhibition. The Landmark Arts Gallery. Texas Tech University. Lubbock, TX

Art Miami. Represented by Heller Gallery. Miami, FL

2016

HUSH. Group Exhibition. The Philadelphia Art Alliance, Philadelphia, PA

SOFA Chicago. Represented by Heller Gallery. Chicago, IL

Art Miami. Represented by Heller Gallery. Miami, FL

2015

Colours. Group Exhibition. The Hempel Glass Museum. Denmark

Solo Exhibition. Chroma Revival. Heller Gallery, NYC

Art Miami. Represented by Heller Gallery. Miami, FL

SOFA Chicago. Represented by Heller Gallery. Chicago, IL

2014

The Rakow Commission. The Corning Museum of Glass. Permanent collection. Corning, NY
Second-Life Glass. Solo Exhibition. The Museum of Craft and Design. San Francisco, CA
Contemporary Glass, 21st Century Innovations. Group Exhibition. The New Britain Museum of American Art. New Britain, CT
Installation at The Philadelphia International Airport. Philadelphia, PA
Flora: A Celebration of Flowers in Contemporary Art. Group Exhibition. The Brattleboro Museum and Art Center. Brattleboro, VT
Breathing Through Transparency. Group Exhibition. International Glass Exhibition. The China Academy of Art. China
The Shelburne Museum. Group Exhibition. Shelburne, VT
Art Miami. Represented by Heller Gallery. Miami, FL
SOFA Chicago. Represented by Heller Gallery. Chicago, IL
2013
Reconstructions. Solo Exhibition. Heller Gallery, NYC
New Visions. Group Exhibition. Wexler Gallery, Philadelphia, PA

Honor/ Awards

2019
Finalist for The Burke Prize 2019. The Museum of Arts and Design. NYC

2018
Honoree at The Urban Glass Gala. NYC
Resident Artist at The Chrysler Museum Glass Studio. Norfolk, VA
Lecture at The Glass Art Society Conference. Murano, Italy

2017
Featured Artist at The International Flameworking Conference. Salem, NJ
Lecture and Demonstration at The Australian Glass Art Society Conference. Australia

2016
Recipient of The Peter S. Reed Foundation Grant
Resident Artist at The Tacoma Museum of Glass. Tacoma, WA

2014
The Rakow Commission, The Corning Museum of Glass. Corning, NY

2013
Nominated for a Louis Comfort Tiffany Foundation Grant
SOFA Selects, Piece chosen by David McFadden, Chief curator The Museum of Art and Design
Selected to represent Philadelphia as one of the "Rising Stars" at GlassWeekend 2013 by The Contemporary Glass Philadelphia Organization at Wheaton Art Wheaton, NJ
Merriman-Ross Scholarship at Pilchuck Glass School. WA

2012
Recipient of The Stephen Procter Fellowship. The Australian National University. Canberra, Australia.
Residency at The Toledo Museum of Art. Juried selection for "The Toledo Workshop Revisited". Residency and documentary. Toledo, OH
Recipient of The Tyler Alumni Award of Excellence at The Philadelphia Fibers Biennial. Philadelphia, PA

2011
Teaching Assistantship Tyler School of Art. Philadelphia, PA

2010
Resident Artist, Maho Bay's Recycled Glass Center, St. John, Virgin Islands

Permanent Collections:

The Museum of Arts and Design. NY
The Toledo Museum of Art. OH
The RISD Museum. RI
The Hunter Museum of American Art. TN
The Corning Museum of Glass. NY
The Imagine Museum. FL
The Shanghai Museum of Glass. China
The Museum of Glass Tacoma. WA
China Academy of Art. China
Wichita Art Museum. KS
The Speed Museum (Promised Gift) KY
The de Young Museum (Promised Gift). CA

Select Teaching:

Adjunct Assistant Professor. Tyler School of Art and Architecture. Temple University. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. 2010-Present
Adjunct Assistant Professor, Salem Community College. 2011-2012. New Jersey
The Pilchuck Glass School. Washington
The Penland School of Crafts. North Carolina
The Studio of the Corning Museum of Glass, New York
The Pittsburgh Glass Center. Pennsylvania
Abate Zanetti School of Glass. Murano, Italy
Urban Glass. Brooklyn, NY
Pratt Fine Arts Center. Seattle. WA
The Toledo Museum of Art. OH
Peters Valley Craft School of Craft. NJ

Select Publications:

Author: Samantha DeTillio. **Amber Cowan Torches the Past**. Glass: The Urban Glass Art Quarterly. Cover. Fall 2019
Author: Andy Smith. **Stories in the Glass, Sculptor Amber Cowan**. Hi-Fructose Magazine. Spring 2019
Author: Rima Suqi. **Not Just Any Vase**. The New York Times. May 2019
Author: Clair Butwinick. Gray Magazine. December 2019
Author: Eric David. **The Sensual Surrealism of Amber Cowan's Glass Sculptures**. Yatzer. March 2019
Author: Anna Marks. **Vintage Glass Forged into Enchanted Leafy Worlds by Amber Cowan**. Colossal. January 2019
Author: Danielle Krysa. **A Big Important Artist: A Womanual**. 2019
Author: Amanda Algem. **The Jewels**. Harper's Bazaar Magazine. December 2018
Author: Alexa Bricker. **Amber Cowan's Generations of Glass**. American Lifestyle Magazine. September 2017
Author: Cathryn Keller. **The Fine Tint**. O the Oprah Magazine. October 2017
Author: Joyce Lovelace. **Tender Tribute**. American Craft Magazine. March 2017
Author: Elizabeth A. Williams. **Cowan and the Cullet: A Tale of Contemporary Alchemy**. Manual. The RISD Museum. 2016
Author: John Drury. **Review: Chroma Revival**. NEUES Glass. 2014
New Glass Review: 36 (Cover), 35, 33