

# Sue Latta

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## Education

- 2007 Master of Fine Arts  
Boise State University, Boise, ID
- 1994 Bachelor of Fine Arts - Magna Cum Laude  
Boise State University, Boise, ID

## Teaching Experience

- 10-11 Adjunct Faculty, Art Department  
Boise State University, Boise, ID  
ART251 - Introduction to Photography  
*(3 credits, 2 sections, 12 students ea.)*
- 09-10 Adjunct Faculty, Art Department  
Boise State University, Boise, ID  
ART108 - 3 Dimensional Foundations  
*(3 credits, 24 students,  
5 week summer session, 3 credits 15 students)*  
ART231 - Beginning Sculpture  
*(3 credits, 4 sections, 12 students ea.)*  
ART294/494 - Resin Casting  
*(Summer Session Workshop, 1 credit, 12 students)*
- 08-09 Adjunct Faculty, Art Department  
Boise State University, Boise, ID  
ART107 - 2 Dimensional Foundations  
*(3 credits, 24 Students)*  
ART108 - 3 Dimensional Foundations  
*(3 credits, 80 students)*  
ART251 - Introduction to Photography  
*(3 credits, 14 students)*
- 2006 Adjunct Faculty, Art Department  
Boise State University, Boise, ID  
ART231 - Beginning Sculpture  
*(3 credits, 12 students)*  
ART108 - 3 Dimensional Foundations  
*(3 credits, 18 students)*
- 04-06 Graduate Assistant, Art Department  
Boise State University, Boise, ID  
ART231 - Beginning Sculpture  
ART107 - 2 Dimensional Foundations  
ART108 - 3 Dimensional Foundations

## Grants and Awards

- 2010 QuickFund\$ Project Grant  
Idaho Commission on the Arts  
National Endowment for the Arts  
Selected for Commission, Boise Visual Chronicle,  
Department of Arts and History, Boise, ID  
Selected for Commission, Bay Window Project,  
Boise State University Student Union Building, Boise, ID
- 09-10 8<sup>th</sup> St. AiR, Artist Residency,  
Facilitated by Boise City Dept. of Arts and History
- 04-06 Graduate Assistantship, Boise State University
- 2002 Artist Initiated Temporary Public Art Project Grant  
Boise City Arts Commission, Boise, ID  
Finalist, Boise Public Library Project,  
Boise City Arts Commission, Boise, ID
- 2001 QuickFund\$ Grant  
Idaho Commission on the Arts, Boise, ID  
First Night Boise, Project Grant  
Boise City Arts Commission, Boise, ID  
Juror's Award, Women's History Month Exhibition  
Juror's Award, Treasure Valley Juried Exhibition  
Best of show, Boise State University Alumni Exhibition
- 2000 Juror's Award, Treasure Valley Juried Exhibition
- 1999 Best of show, Boise State University Alumni Exhibition  
Juror's Award, Treasure Valley Juried Exhibition
- 1994 Dean's List Highest Honor, Boise State University, Boise, ID
- 1993 Judges Choice Award, Idaho State Fair, Boise, ID  
Dean's List Highest Honor, Boise State University, Boise, ID
- 1992 Dean's List Highest Honor, Boise State University, Boise, ID

## Exhibitions Curated and/or Juried

- 2010 We Art Women, Juror, Curator,  
Visual Arts Collective, Boise, ID
- 2009 Art Source National Juried Exhibition, Juror, Curator  
Art Source Gallery, Boise ID
- 2008 Boise Open Studios Collective Exhibition, Curator  
Idaho Historical Museum, Boise, ID
- 2004 Women's History Month Exhibition, Juror  
Student Union Gallery, Boise State University, Boise, ID  
K-5 Art Student Exhibition, Juror  
Boise State University Bookstore, Boise, ID
- 2002 Chair Affair, Juror, Empire Building, Boise, ID
- 1999 Student Exhibition, Juror, Nightingale Gallery,  
Eastern Oregon University, La Grande, OR

## Professional Organizations and Committees

- 09-10 Alley Repertory Theater Board of Directors, Vice President
- 08-10 FATE Foundations in Art Theory and Education  
*Attended FATE Conference April 2009*
- 07-10 College Art Association
- 07-10 International Sculpture Center
- 06-10 Art Advisory Board, Boise State University Student Union
- 07-08 Boise Visual Chronicle Task Force  
Boise City Dept. of Arts and History, Boise, ID
- 04-08 Boise Open Studios Collective
- 06-07 Boise State University Presidents Art Task Force
- 04-05 Idaho Metal Arts guild
- 94-05 Boise State University Visual Arts League,  
Charter Member
- 1994 Phi Kappa Phi

## Solo Exhibitions

- 2010 Works of Fiction  
Visual Arts Collective, Boise, ID
- 2008 Of the Flesh  
Visual Arts Collective, Boise, ID
- 2008 Twisted Elements  
Femina Potens, San Francisco, CA
- 2006 Departure, New Work by Sue Latta  
Visual Arts Collective, Boise, ID
- 2002 Not For Sale  
Boise State University Student Union Gallery, Boise, ID
- 1997 Portraits  
Women's Center, Boise State University, Boise, ID
- 1996 Form First  
Phantom Gallery, Boise, ID
- 1994 Family Portrait  
Dreamwalker, Boise, ID
- 1986 Child's Play  
Traveling Exhibition, Reno NV

## **Selected Invitational Exhibitions**

- 2010 6 Sides to Every Story, Burris Hall Gallery, Las Vegas, NM  
Love Rocks, Visual arts Collective, Boise, ID
- 2009 Biennial Faculty Exhibition, Boise State University, Boise, ID
- 2008 The 3-D Print Show, Spudnik Press, Chicago, IL
- 2007 B.O.D.Y., Studio on 4 th , Reno, NV  
Last Minute Group Show, Visual arts Collective, Boise, ID
- 2006 Body/Body Question, University of Madison, WI,  
Small, Visual arts Collective, Boise, ID
- 2005 Disparate, Hemingway Center, Boise State University, Boise, ID  
ALX, Bomb Shelter, Boise, ID
- 2002 Small Work, Yellowstone Art Museum, Billings, MT
- 2001 911-1019, Hemingway Center, BSU, Boise, ID
- 2000 4 Northwest Artists, Nightingale Gallery,  
Eastern Oregon University, La Grande, OR
- 1999 For the Fun of It, j Crist Gallery, Boise, ID
- 1998 Women's Work: Synchronicity in Time,  
Perpetual Metals, Boise, ID
- 1995 Altar Space - Collaborative Installation  
Boise State University Gallery One, Boise, ID  
Art Allowed: Censored Works, Dreamwalker, Boise, ID
- 1993 The Secret of the Nine, Boise State University, Boise ID
- 1985 Experimental Photography, Shepard Gallery North and South,  
University of Nevada Reno, Reno, NV

## **Selected Juried Exhibitions**

- 2010 2010 Idaho Triennial, Boise Art Museum, Boise, ID
- 2007 2007 Idaho Triennial, Boise Art Museum, Boise, ID
- 2006 Seattle Erotic Art Festival, Consolidated Works, Seattle, WA
- 2005 The Works, Visual Arts Center, Boise State University, Boise, ID
- 2004 Women Making Waves, Art Source Gallery, Boise, ID
- 2003 National Juried Exhibition, Art Source Gallery, Boise, ID
- 2001 Women's History Month Exhibition, Hemingway Center,  
Boise State University, Boise, ID
- 2000 A Time to Reflect, Basement Gallery, Boise, ID
- 1999 Fine, Funky, Functional, Firehouse Gallery, Grants Pass OR
- 1998 Postcards on the Edge, ArtServe Gallery, Ft Lauderdale, FL
- 1997 Unbroken Course, Boise State University  
Student Union Gallery, Boise, ID
- 1996 Booker's Dozen, Traveling Exhibition, Idaho
- 1995 Introspection: Self as Subject, The ArtSpace Gallery, Hailey, ID
- 1988 University of Nevada Reno Student Exhibition, Reno, NV

## Selected Collections

Permanent Collection, University of Nevada, Reno  
Idaho Shakespeare Festival, Boise, ID  
Boise Weekly, Boise ID  
Alan & Patty Head, Boise, ID  
Driek Zirinsky, Boise, ID  
Jacqueline Crist, j Crist Gallery, Boise ID  
Victoria Purdy, Trolley House, Boise, ID  
Charles Emmel, Emmel Designs, Boise, ID  
Mark Landy, West Chester, PA  
Kevin Cronin, Bellevue ID  
Karen Connolly, Santa Clara, CA  
Donald Kayser, Scottsdale AZ  
Nathalie Kapp, M.D., Geneva Switzerland  
Misty Schymtzik, Portland, OR  
Nancy Martin, Fountain Hills, AZ  
Bob Kaplan, Ketchum, ID  
Morgan & Kathleen Freeman, Ketchum, ID  
Shayla Koffler, Ketchum, ID  
Sally Freeman, Boise, ID  
Rebecca Scott, Boise, ID  
Cheryl Shurtleff-Young, Boise, ID  
Francis Fox, Boise, ID

## Bibliography

- 2010 Cover Artist, Boise Weekly, October 6, 2010  
Dana Oland, "Must See Stops on First Thursday",  
Idaho Statesman, January 7, 2010
- 2008 Dana Oland, "Sue Latta Takes Art Personally", Idaho Statesman,  
April 4, 2008
- 2008 Cover Artist, Boise Weekly, April 2, 2008
- 2007 Chris Schnoor, "Memory's Road Show", Boise Weekly,  
October 10, 2007  
Blake Bowyer, "Local Artist Interview: BYP Night at the  
Boise Art Museum" Boise Young Professionals,  
<http://boiseyp.blogspot.com/>, September 18, 2007  
Chad Sorg, "Body Parts, B.O.D.Y", Reno News and Review,  
May 3, 2007
- 2006 Katy Dang, "Art Shop,  
Sue Latta Refuses to be Bound by Medium", Boise Weekly,  
September 13, 2006

Eryn Ryan, "VAC small", Thrive, September 12, 2006

Eryn Ryan, "Visual Arts Collective:  
Artist Sue Latta Talks About her New Show",  
Thrive, January 24, 2006

2003 Sue Latta, "Is She", Peace Through Pride, 2003 Edition

Jeanne Huff, "Welcome to FANTAS-tical Furnishings",  
Idaho Statesman, July 18, 2003

2002 Staff, "Artist, Mother" Diversity, October 2002

2000 Dana Oland, "Grove Street Place" Idaho Statesman,  
October 28, 2000

1997 Chris Schnoor. "Top 10 Visual Art Events of 1996",  
Boise Weekly, January 2, 1997

1996 Chris Schnoor, "The Phantom, the Photos, and the Inkjet Printer"  
Boise Weekly, October 10, 1996

## **Gallery Representation**

06-10 Visual Arts Collective  
3638 Osage St.  
Garden City, ID 83714

08-10 Femina Potens  
2199 Market St.  
San Francisco, CA 94114

03-10 The Gallery at Mattick's Farm  
109-5325 Cordova Bay Road  
Victoria, B.C. V8Y 2L3

03-05 The Gallery at Sixty Dallas  
10 - 60 Dallas Road,  
Victoria, BC V8V 1A2

99-01 j Crist  
465 W. Main St.,  
Boise, ID 83702

96-99 Dêcor Creations Art and Furniture Gallery  
1020 Main St.,  
Boise, ID 83702

## Other Professional Experience

- 08-10 Sculpture Lab Manager – Boise State University  
Responsible for all aspects of lab management, including educational supply inventory acquisition and control, workspace and workflow design, tool maintenance and repair, assisting students, and safety demonstrations.
- 94-10 Working Artist  
All aspects of design, fabrication, and business of sculpture. Commission based work demands meeting all the expectations and requirements of each client and each site. Conception, presentation, budgeting, purchasing, installation, timelines, etc. Also working with galleries, securing and installing exhibitions.
- 2002 Public Art – Artist Initiated Temporary Public Art Project  
Conception, presentation, fabrication, installation of a large scale, site-specific, outdoor sculpture. Later collected by the Flying M Coffee Garage, Nampa, ID.
- 2001 Public Art – First Night Boise Project  
Conception, design and fabrication of a community based interactive art project for the First Night Boise Celebration. One of which currently resides at Boise City Hall, the other one has been collected by the Idaho Shakespeare Festival.
- 2000 Public Art for the Private Sector – Grove St. Place,  
Design and fabrication of three large scale site-specific sculptures that were integral to the overall theme of the space. Involved in the design process from the onset of the project.
- 98-03 Visual merchandising – The Bon Marche'  
Design and execution of all aspects of visual display for a large department store.
- 97-98 Therapeutic Activities – Intermountain Hospital  
Facilitated groups, including art therapy and recreation therapy, with a goal of stress management, anger management and increased self-esteem. Worked with all levels of care including adults, adolescents and children.
- 95-97 B&W Photo Lab Manager – Paul Smith Custom Lab  
Managed all aspects of B&W photo lab, including film processing, printing, custom work, ordering supplies and maintenance.

## **Skills**

### Sculpture

Carving – Stone, Wood, Metals, Plaster, Plastics  
Casting – Lost Wax Casting, Wax Construction, Cold Casting, Life Casting, Modeling  
Mold Making – Plaster Mold, Rubber Mold, 2-part and Multi-part Molds, Constructed Molds  
Fabrication & Joinery – Various media, Metal Finishing  
Welding – Oxygen/Acetylene, MIG, TIG  
All aspects of Hand and Power Tool Operation and Safety

### Photography

Camera Operation  
35mm and 4x5  
Black & White and Color Darkroom Operation  
Black & White and Color Printing  
Digital Imaging

### Other

Microsoft – Word, Excel, Power Point  
Adobe – Photoshop CS2, Illustrator CS2, Image Ready CS2, SiteGrinder  
Silk Screen Printing, Polyester Plate Lithography, Letter Press Printing, Paper Making, Paper casting, Book Binding, Furniture Design and Fabrication, Upholstery, Industrial Sewing

## **Community Service**

00-10 Valentine for Aids – Art Donation  
00-10 Idaho Humane Society, Lawn d'Art event – Art Donation  
08-09 Boise Contemporary Theater Gala – Art Donation  
2009 City Harvest Celebration – Art Donation  
2008 Boise Open Studios Collective – Exhibition Curator  
2007 Visual Arts Collective Fund Raiser – Art Donation  
2006 Idaho Shakespeare Festival – Art Donation  
Boise Philharmonic Fund Raiser – Art Donation  
97-06 Women's Celebration of the Arts –  
Volunteer/Exhibitor Curator  
03-04 Boise PRIDE – Art Donation  
Art in the Classroom Volunteer – Monroe Elementary  
98-07 Idaho Humane Society Benefit, Lawn d'Art – Art Donation