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Education:

- 5/02 MFA in Sculpture -Alfred University College of Art and Design Alfred, N.Y.
- 5/98 BFA in Printmaking with a minor in Art History and Secondary minor concentration in Art Therapy at Buffalo State College, Buffalo, N.Y.

Solo Exhibitions:

- 12/01 Winona Arts Center, Winona Minnesota
- 11/01 John Wood Studios, Hope Chest. Performance and installation - Alfred, N.Y.
- 7/00 Rusted Belt Bookstore, Visions of She: Iron and Paper Works -Buffalo, N.Y.
- 6/00 The Spot, New Works - Buffalo, N.Y.
- 10/97 Gallery 234, Memory Menders - SUNY College at Buffalo

Group Exhibitions:

- 1/07 Breaking The Mold - Alfred, N.Y.
- 4/06 Speed Limit -Lower Manhattan Cultural Center, NYC, N.Y.
- 11/05 Cause For Celebration - Buffalo, N.Y.
- 10/05 Visual AIDS Gallery, Postcards from the Edge Benefit - New York, N.Y.
- 10/05 Concept:Create:Cure - Binghamton, N.Y.
- 8/05 Iron Works, Pedvale Sculpture Park, Sabille Latvia
- 9/04 Arte Brutale Gallery - Buffalo, N.Y.
- 6/04 New York State Collects Buffalo State, Burchfield Penney Arts Center - Buffalo, NY
- 11/03 Visual AIDS Gallery, Postcards from the Edge Benefit - New York, N.Y.
- 5/03 Woman Made Gallery, The Whole Ball of Wax, Chicago IL.
- 3/03 YUZI Paradise International Sculpture Competition and Exhibition Guilin China
- 10/02 Visual AIDS Gallery, Postcards from the Edge Benefit -26th St. New York N.Y.
- 10/02 Upton Gallery, Buffalo State College Faculty Exhibition - Buffalo N.Y.
- 5/02 Fosdick Nelson Gallery, MFA Thesis Exhibition- Alfred University N.Y.
- 12/01 The Art Site, Oscillating Perspectives - Wellsville, N.Y.
- 9/01 Upton Gallery, Figuring Western New York (invitational)- Buffalo N.Y.
- 6/01 Pirkkala City Hall, Pirkkala Cast Iron - Pirkkala, Finland.
- 5/01 Pedvale Open Air Sculpture Park, Fireland - Sabille, Latvia
- 4/01 Cast Iron Invitational, Riverdale, Illinois.
- 4/01 Watermark 2001, Southeastern Community College. Whiteville, N.C.
- 11/00 The Art Site, Topographies - Wellsville, N.Y.
- 9/00 Upton Gallery, Sculpture Review (invitational) - Buffalo, N.Y.
- 2/00 Lafayette Art Association, National Juried Exhibition- Lafayette Louisiana
- 9/99 Impact Gallery, Regional Juried Women's Exhibition- Buffalo, N.Y.
- 8/99 Upton Gallery, Millennial All-Star Sculpture Review Buffalo N.Y.
- 5/99 Red Room Gallery, 938 Elmwood Ave. Buffalo, N.Y.
- 2/99 Impact Gallery, Total Woman - Buffalo, N.Y.
- 3/98 Upton Gallery, Fine Arts Student Exhibition - SUNY College at Buffalo
- 2/98 Artisan's Gallery, 1472 Hertel Avenue, Buffalo, N.Y. 14216
- 9/97 Gallery 234, Visual Arts Board Annual Members Exhibition - SUNY College at Buffalo
- 11/96 Preservation Hall, 532 Elmwood Avenue, Buffalo, N.Y.
- 9/96-97 125th Celebration of Buffalo State College - <http://www.Buffalostate.edu>

Internships:

- 2/00-6/00 Studio Arena Theatre - Creative Empowerment Program Assistant
- 1/98-5/98 Experimental Print Imaging Center (ePIC), University at Buffalo, Jeff Sherven
- 9/97-12/97 Photo-etch Print series for Kenneth Payne, Buffalo State College.

Collections:

- 6/03 YUZI Sculpture Park, Guilin China
- 5/02 Private Collection : Elmer Keifer
- 12/01 Winona Arts Center

- **6/01** Vilu Jaanisoo. Pirkkala Municipalities-Pirkkala, Finland
- **5/01** Pedvale Outdoor Sculpture Park. Sabille, Latvia

Awards and Honors:

- **5/01** Grace LeGendre Fellowship for Advanced Graduate Study for Women.
- **6/00** Special Opportunity Stipend New York Foundation for the Arts and the Arts Council in Buffalo & Erie County.

Residencies & Other:

- **9/03** Jentel Foundation Artist in Residence - Sheridan, WY.
- **4/03** New York Mills Artist Retreat, New York Mills, Minnesota
- **6/02** Trauma Awareness Day -Art Healing Specialist, Kalieda Mental Health Center. Buffalo General Hospital.
- **5/01-8/01** 6th International Sculpture Symposium and Iron Pour at Pedvale Sculpture Park, Latvia visiting artist.
- **1/01** Duntog Foundation Invitation to 3 week Residency Bagio City, Philippines.
- **6/00-8/00** 5th International Sculpture Symposium and Iron Pour at Pedvale Sculpture Park, Latvia visiting artist.
- **1/1/00** Millennial Fire Performance/Installation - Griffis Sculpture Park, East Otto, N.Y.
- **1/00** Death Valley Desert Classic Performance Art Fast - Death Valley, CA Performer and Production Assistant to artist Billy X Curmano.
- **8/00** Co-Instructor for Buffalo Iron #11
- **8/99** Buffalo Iron #10
- **4/99** Brooklyn Iron # 2 - Pyrotechnic Performance
- **11/98** Brooklyn Iron #1-Visiting Artist

Reference:

- Gerar Edizel, 2 Pine St. Alfred, N.Y. 14802 (607) 871-2282 edizelg@alfred.edu
- Kenneth Payne, 339 Bird Ave. Buffalo, N.Y. 14213 (716) 860-2578 doggfoot@yahoo.com
- Billy X Curmano, Winnona, MN. (507)-864-2716 billyx@acegroup.cc
- MaryLee McNeal, 863 Melville Ave Palo Alto, CA. 94301 marylee@mcneals.net
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