

## **JODI HAYS | curriculum vitae**

b. 1976, Hot Springs, Arkansas, United States of America

Lives and works in Nashville, Tennessee, United States of America

### **EDUCATION**

2007 Summer Resident | Cooper Union, New York, New York  
2006 Master of Fine Arts | Vermont College of Fine Art, Montpelier, Vermont  
1998 Bachelor of Fine Art | University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee  
1996 Foundations | School of Visual Arts (NYC), Savannah, Georgia

### **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2020 Hazards Curatorial, online  
2020 Browsing Room Gallery, Outskirts | Nashville, Tennessee  
2019 Red Arrow Gallery, Tend | Nashville, Tennessee  
2019 Covenant College, Plan | Chattanooga, Tennessee  
2018 Lipscomb University, God Sees Through Houses | Nashville, Tennessee  
2017 Red Arrow Gallery, Keeper | Nashville, Tennessee  
2017 Sauvage Galerie | Nashville, Tennessee  
2016 Nashville International Airport, Flying Solo | Nashville, Tennessee  
2014 Tennessee Arts Commission, Archival Spelunking | Nashville, Tennessee  
2013 Tinney Contemporary, Super Scraps | Nashville, Tennessee  
2012 Three Squared, Strong in the Broken Places | Nashville, Tennessee  
2011 Buckstaff Gallery | Hot Springs, Arkansas  
2011 Metro Arts Commission | Nashville, Tennessee  
2010 Renaissance Center | Dickson, Tennessee  
2008 Jackson State University | Jackson, Mississippi  
2007 Drawing Room | Portland, Maine  
2006 TW Wood Gallery, The Jodi Show | Montpelier, Vermont  
2005 Cultural Organization of Lowell, New Work | Massachusetts  
2000 Sacramento Street Gallery, Canonical Hours | Cambridge, Massachusetts  
1998 Gallery 1010 | Knoxville, Tennessee

## SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2020 Zieher Smith and Friends | Nashville, Tennessee  
2020 East Tennessee State University  
2020 studioELL.org  
2020 Red Arrow Gallery | Nashville, Tennessee  
2020 Labspace | Hillsdale, New York  
2020 Stay Home Gallery | Paris, Tennessee  
2020 Far x Wide, Willing the Season | online  
2019 \*\* Tiger Strikes Asteroid | Greenville, South Carolina  
2019 Fisk University  
2019 James Madison University  
2019 Tennessee State University  
2018 Browsing Room | Nashville, Tennessee  
2018 \*O'More Gallery Belmont University, Correspondence | Franklin, Tennessee  
2018 Wiregrass Museum, Wiregrass Biennial | Dothan, Alabama  
2018 \*\*James May Gallery | Algoma, Wisconsin  
2018 Young Collectors Contemporary | Memphis, Tennessee  
2017 L Ross Gallery, Art of the South | Memphis, Tennessee  
2017 San Diego Art Institute, Diverge/Convene | San Diego, California  
2017 Boecker Contemporary | Heidelberg, Germany  
2017 Curb Center for Art Vanderbilt University, Edgehill Muses | Nashville, Tennessee  
2016 Art Miami, Red Arrow Gallery | Miami, Florida  
2016 Julia Martin Gallery, Bevy | Nashville, Tennessee  
2016 Ewing Gallery, University of Tennessee | Knoxville, Tennessee  
2015 \*The Arts Company | Nashville, Tennessee  
2015 Dadu, Home | Nashville, Tennessee  
2015 Sluice Art Fair, galleryELL | London, United Kingdom  
2014 Florence Qatar Gallery, Painting Now | Southwestern Univ, Tucson, Arizona  
2014 Western Oregon Univ, Degrees of Abstraction | Eugene, Oregon  
2014 Tennessee State University, Selvage | Nashville, Tennessee  
2014 David Lusk Gallery, Price is Right | Nashville, Tennessee  
2014 Cambridge Art Association, National Prize Show | Cambridge, Massachusetts  
2013 Cambridge Art Association, Wish You Were Here | Cambridge, Massachusetts  
2013 George Mason University, Drawing | Fairfax, Virginia  
2013 Grizzly Grizzly, Dog is in the Details | Philadelphia, Pennsylvania  
2013 10 x 10, Coop Gallery | Chattanooga, Tennessee  
2011 Spool MFG, Element/Progress | Binghamton, New York  
2011 Governors Island Art Fair, galleryELL, Transient Landscape | New York City, New York  
2011 Spool MFG, Element/Process | Binghamton, New York  
2010 Art Chicago | Chicago, Illinois  
2010 Loading Dock | Brooklyn, New York  
2010 Governors Island Art Fair, galleryELL | New York City, New York  
2010 Justice Works Gallery | San Antonio, Texas  
2010 Gallery F, Scarritt Bennett Center | Nashville, Tennessee  
2010 Sera Davis Art Advisory | Nashville, Tennessee  
2009 \*Tanner Hill Gallery, Introductions | Atlanta, Georgia  
2009 DIG Embodiment, Downtown Presbyterian Church | Nashville, Tennessee  
2009 Governors Island Art Fair | New York City, New York  
2009 Boston Center for the Arts, Drawings that Work | Boston, Massachusetts  
2009 Association for Visual Arts, The Artist's Brain | Chattanooga, Tennessee  
2009 Paper Trail, Davis Art Advisory | Nashville, Tennessee  
2009 Underwood Center for the Arts, Ladies First | Lubbock, Texas

2008 Affordable Art Fair, TAG Gallery | New York City, New York  
2008 Scarritt Bennett Center, The New Dress Code | Nashville, Tennessee  
2008 Red Door Gallery, Buckets of Water, | Richmond, Virginia  
2008 Tennessee State University| Nashville, Tennessee  
2008 Estel Gallery, Drawing | Nashville, Tennessee  
2008 \*\*Garage Gallery | San Diego, California  
2008 Morehead State University | Morehead, Kentucky  
2008 AN Bush Gallery, Salem Art Association | Salem, Oregon  
2008 Richmond Center for Visual Arts | Richmond, Virginia  
2008 Western Michigan University, three plus ferris | Kalamazoo, Michigan  
2008 Smith Gallery | Grinnell College  
2007 Brooks Museum of Art, Perspectives | Memphis, Tennessee  
2007 Blumenweiss- Ram fur Kunst | Berlin, Germany  
2007 TAG Art Gallery, Lucky 7 | Nashville, Tennessee  
2007 Cooper Union Residents Exhibition | New York City, New York  
2007 Seton Hall University | South Orange, New Jersey  
2006 Marx-Saunders Gallery | Chicago, Illinois  
2005 Alternate Currents Gallery, the Air Show | Boston, Massachusetts  
2005 Michael Price Contemporary, New Talent | Boston, Massachusetts

\* Indicates 2-person exhibition \*\*Indicates 3-person exhibitions

#### **CURATORIAL PROJECTS and CRITICAL WRITING**

2020 Artists Quarantine with Their Art Collections | Hyperallergic, New York, New York  
2020 a love letter to everything unstable | Number Inc. Magazine  
2017 Eyes Like Enemies: Mark Brosseau and Brian Edmonds | Nashville, Tennessee  
2017 Screen Door Review, Tops Gallery | Number Inc. Magazine  
2016 These Kind-Drawings by Erika Raneer | Nashville, Tennessee  
2015 River Rat-Christopher Roberson | Nashville, Tennessee  
2015 Ground Floor Gallery, The Artist's Alphabet | Nashville, Tennessee  
2013 Coop Gallery, Parts and Whole: Jane Fox Hipple | Nashville, Tennessee  
2007-11 Tennessee State University, Curator| Nashville, Tennessee

#### **VISITING ARTIST, LECTURES AND PANELS**

2020 Austin Peay State University | Clarksville, Tennessee  
2020 College of Charleston | Charleston, South Carolina  
2020 University of Memphis | Memphis, Tennessee  
2019 Watkins College of Art | Nashville, Tennessee  
2019 Artist/Mother podcast | Nashville, Tennessee  
2018 Artist Talk, Grace Chicago | Chicago, Illinois  
2018 Visiting Artist, University of the South | Seawee, Tennessee  
2018 Visiting Lecturer, University of Tennessee | Chattanooga, Tennessee  
2017 Guest Speaker, Spark.edu, Frist Center for Visual Art | Nashville, Tennessee  
2016 Advisor, Locate Arts | Nashville, Tennessee  
2014-17 Juror, Sustainable Arts Foundation  
2016 Juror, Tennessee Young Artists Awards, Nashville, Tennessee  
2012-16 Artist Advisor, Seed Space | Nashville, Tennessee  
2014 Moderator, The Modern Art of Collecting, Frist Center for Visual Art | Nashville, Tennessee  
2014 Speaker, Frist Center for Visual Art | Nashville, Tennessee  
2013 Guest Artist, Middle Tennessee State University | Murfreesboro, Tennessee  
2011 Juror, Metro Nashville Arts Commission Sculpture | Nashville, Tennessee  
2011 Guest Artist, Christ Presbyterian Academy | Franklin, Tennessee  
2011 Residency and Lecture, Artists in the Parks Program, National Parks Service

2011 Artist Talk, Belmont University | Nashville, Tennessee  
2010 Juror, Middle Tennessee State University student show | Murfreesboro, Tennessee  
2010 Juror, Belmont University student show | Nashville, Tennessee  
2009 Panelist, Belcourt Theater | Nashville, Tennessee  
2009 Juror, Tennessee Scholastic Art Awards  
2009 Visiting Critic, Watkins College of Art | Nashville, Tennessee  
2009 Residency Vermont Studio Center | Johnson, Vermont  
2009 Frist Center for Visual Art | Nashville, Tennessee  
2008 Southeastern Colleges of Art Conference | New Orleans, Louisiana  
2007 Resident, Cooper Union School of Art | New York, New York  
2007 Southeastern College of Art Conference | Nashville, Tennessee  
2006 Artist Talk, Henderson State University | Arkadelphia, Arkansas  
2006 Residency Vermont Studio Center | Johnson, Vermont  
2005 Guest Artist, Vanderbilt University | Nashville, Tennessee  
2002 Artist talk, Prospect Street Arts | Cambridge, Massachusetts  
1996 Purchase Award, Small Works on Paper, Arkansas Arts Center | Little Rock, Arkansas

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

2020 studioELL.org, Archive  
2020 Artist/Mother Crit Mentor  
2018 Watkins College of Art MFA | Nashville, Tennessee  
2017 Adjunct Faculty, Lipscomb University | Nashville, Tennessee  
2016 Art Enrichment Lead, Nashville Classical Charter School | Nashville, Tennessee  
2015 Artist Mentor, MFA, New Hampshire Institute of Art | Manchester, New Hampshire  
2014 Artist Mentor, MFA, Lesley University College of Art | Boston, Massachusetts  
2007-2011 Instructor, Tennessee State University | Nashville, Tennessee  
2006 Sarratt Center, Vanderbilt University | Nashville, Tennessee  
2005 Adjunct Faculty, University of Massachusetts | Lowell, Massachusetts  
2001 Teaching Artist, Paper Source | Cambridge, Massachusetts

### **ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

2018 Program Director, Watkins College of Art, Masters of Fine Art | Nashville, Tennessee  
2015-present Dadu, Founder and Curator, panel discussions & exhibitions | Nashville, Tennessee  
2010-14 Coop Gallery, Founding Member | Nashville, Tennessee  
2007-2011 Founding Director, Space for New Media, TSU | Nashville, Tennessee  
2007-2011 Galleries Curator, TSU | Nashville, Tennessee  
2005-6 Events Coordinator, Vanderbilt University Department of Art | Nashville, Tennessee  
2005 Gallery Coordinator, Cultural Organization of Lowell | Lowell, Massachusetts  
2000-2004 Assistant Director | Cambridge Art Association, Cambridge, Massachusetts

### **AWARDS, GRANTS AND RESIDENCIES**

2020 Award, Foundation for Contemporary Arts | New York, New York  
2020 Fellowship, Rose Library at Emory University | Atlanta, Georgia  
2020 Southern Heat Exchange | online, New Orleans, Louisiana  
2020 Mineral House Media | resident  
2019 Hopper Prize Finalist  
2019 Sustainable Arts Foundation for Watkins MFA Program | Nashville, Tennessee  
2018 Residency, Yellow Bird Artist Sanctuary | Woodbury, Tennessee  
2018 Learning Lab, Metro Nashville Arts Commission | Nashville, Tennessee  
2014 Artist Grant, Sustainable Arts Foundation  
2013 Finalist, Clark Huling Foundation for Emerging Artists  
2012 Creative Capital Professional Development Workshop

2012 Individual Artist Fellowship, Tennessee Arts Commission  
2011 Elizabeth Firestone Graham Foundation Publications Grant  
2009 Vermont Studio Center, Artist Fellowship  
2008-12 Artist in Residence, Downtown Presbyterian Church | Nashville, Tennessee  
2008&10 Service Learning Faculty Grant, TSU | Nashville, Tennessee  
2008 Outstanding Educator, Center for Service Learning at Tennessee State University  
2006 Vermont Studio Center, Artist Fellowship  
2006-9 Tennessee Arts Commission Professional Development Support Grant  
2005 Gallery Award Michael Price Contemporary | Boston, Massachusetts

## **GALLERY AFFILIATIONS**

2016-present Red Arrow Gallery | Nashville, Tennessee  
2009-15 galleryELL | New York City, New York and London, United Kingdom

## **FAIRS**

2016 Art Miami, Florida  
2015 Sluice Art Fair, London, United Kingdom  
2011 Art Chicago  
2009-10 Governor's Island, New York  
2008 Affordable Art Fair, New York

## **COLLECTIONS**

Arkansas Art Center | Little Rock, Arkansas  
Avenue Bank | Nashville, Tennessee  
Brehman Collection  
Gordon College | South Hamilton, Massachusetts  
J. Crew Group | New York, New York  
Music City Center | Nashville, Tennessee  
Nashville International Airport | Nashville, Tennessee  
National Parks of America  
Tennessee State Museum | Nashville, Tennessee  
Western Michigan Univ. Department of Art | Kalamazoo, Michigan  
Vanderbilt University | Nashville, Tennessee  
*Private collections worldwide*

## **BIBLIOGRAPHY**

2020 Art Forum International, Emily Weiner  
2020 New Art Examiner, Kelli Wood  
2020 Cellarspace Magazine  
2019 Nashville Scene, Cat Acree  
2018 Burnaway, Sara Estes and Robert Grand  
2018 Nashville Arts Magazine, Erica Ciccarone  
2017 Native Magazine  
2017 Nashville Arts Magazine, Mark Scala  
2017 Young Art Space, blog  
2017 NFocus Magazine, Nancy Floyd  
2016 Burnaway's Best  
2016 Ruminant Journal  
2015 Fear, journal  
2015 Sweet peach, blog  
2014 Nashville Arts Magazine  
2014 Two Coats of Paint, Sharon Butler

2014 Burnaway, Erica Ciccarone  
2014 Buy Some Damn Art, blog, Kate Singleton  
2013 Drawn Out, galleryELL  
2013 Nashville Arts Magazine, Joe Nolan  
2012 Art Now Nashville, Megan Kelley  
2012 Nashville Scene, Laura Hutson  
2009 Nashville Scene, David Maddox  
2008 The Meter, Tennessee State, Kevin Terrell  
2006 Henderson Reddie, Judea Jackson  
2005 Lowell Sun, John Greenwald

### **CATALOGS and PUBLICATIONS**

2017 Keeper, Extended Play Press  
2017 We love you we know you are always watching, Extended Play Press  
2016 Encore, University of Tennessee Press  
2014 Unconventional, Music City Center Collection | Nashville, Tennessee  
2011 Space for New Media | Tennessee State University Department of Art  
2009 Studio Visit Magazine  
2005 New Directions, Barrett Art Center  
2003 Emerging Artists, Barrington Center for the Arts | Gordon College  
2003 Columbia Theological Seminary  
2000 Junk Stores and the Origami Revival