

## **Megan Berner**

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### **education**

5/2008 University of Iowa, MFA in Intermedia, Drawing Minor  
5/2007 University of Iowa, MA in Intermedia, Drawing Minor  
5/2003 University of Nevada Reno, BA Dual Major, Photography and Spanish

### **teaching experience**

Adjunct Faculty/Instructor, Photography, University of Nevada Reno, Fall 2008 to present:  
Beginning photography Fall 2008 to Fall 2009, Intermediate Lighting Techniques Spring 2009 to Spring 2010, Advanced Photography Spring 2010.

Instructor of Record, Intermedia I, University of Iowa, School of Art & Art History, Spring/Fall 2007, Spring 2008

### **professional experience**

Visual Research Associate, Great Basin Institute/Nevada Conservation Corps, July 2009 to present  
Vice President, The Holland Project, Board of Directors, August 2009 to present  
Freelance Videographer, Human Development and Family Studies, UNR, February 2009 to present  
Freelance Writer, Reno News & Review, July 2008 to present  
Youth Art Instructor, Art Camp/clay classes, Nevada Museum of Art, Reno, Summer 2007 to present  
Photographer, poster series, Rape Victim Advocacy Program, Iowa City, Iowa, Spring 2008  
Freelance Photographer, Magiko Festival, Minden-Carson Valley, Nevada, Summer 2007  
Artist in Residence, Projekt Oko Sokolovo (University of Iowa), Art Academy in Rijeka, Croatia, 2006  
Project Coordinator, The Daily Palette, University of Iowa, Intermedia Area, 2005-2007  
Videographer, Master Control Operator, KNPB Channel 5, Public Broadcasting, 2003-2005  
Research Assistant, for Peter Goin, book of historical photographs of the Lake Tahoe Region 2004-2005  
Freelance Photographer, Sacramento Bee Online Division, 2004-2005  
Photographer, University Archives Project, University of Nevada Reno, 2004  
Curator/Director, The Fountain Gallery, University of Nevada Reno, 2003  
Curator/Art Director, Art in Public Spaces, University of Nevada Reno, 2001-2002

### **awards**

Professional Development Grant, Nevada Arts Council, 2010  
Jackpot Grant Recipient, Nevada Arts Council, 2010  
Professional Development Grant, Nevada Arts Council, 2009  
Endowment Fund Grant Recipient, Sierra Arts Foundation, 2009  
Jackpot Grant Recipient, Nevada Arts Council, 2009  
Best Presentation, Jakobsen Graduate Conference, University of Iowa, 2008

Graduate Student Senate Travel Funds Award, University of Iowa, 2008  
Obermann Graduate Fellow, University of Iowa, 2008  
Spanish Language and Literature Award of Recognition, 2003  
Juror's Award, Student Art Exhibition, 2003  
Presidential Scholar, University of Nevada Reno, 1999-2003  
Dean's List, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Nevada Reno, 1999-2003

## **solo exhibitions**

### **2009**

*Umwelt*, Silverland Art Gallery, Virginia City, NV

### **2008**

*The Art of Wallowing*, Thiel College, Greenville, PA  
*Woolworth Windows Exhibition*, Tacoma Contemporary, Tacoma, WA  
*Down To Earth*, Arts Iowa City Gallery, Iowa City, IA

### **2007**

*Cultivate*, Arts Iowa City Gallery, Iowa City, IA  
*The View From Here: an installation for one person*, Eve Drewelowe Gallery, University of Iowa

### **2004**

*Photographs From Oaxaca*, Dish Café, Reno, NV

## **group exhibitions**

### **2010**

*Culturing Community*, The Falconer Gallery, Grinnell, IA  
*Ideal X*, Molekula, Rijeka, Croatia  
*The Illustrated Accordion*, Kalamazoo Book Arts Center, Kalamazoo, MI  
*Museum Studies*, Sierra Arts Gallery, Reno, NV  
*Monochromatic*, Holland Headquarters, Reno, NV  
*Reinventing History*, GASA House, Reno, NV

### **2009**

*Plus Three Ferris Wheels*, Delavski dom (DDT), Trbovlje, Slovenia  
*Echotrope New Media Festival*, Bancroft Street Market, Omaha, NE  
*E.L. Cord Museum School Instructor Exhibition*, Nevada Museum of Art, Reno, NV  
*Sierra Arts Foundation Endowment Fund Grant Recipients' Exhibition*, Sierra Arts Foundation, Reno, NV  
*Polymer*, Hunter Museum of American Art, Chattanooga, TN  
*Plus Three Ferris Wheels*, CEPA Gallery, Buffalo, NY

### **2008**

*Paths of Desire*, Catich Gallery, St. Ambrose University, Davenport, IA  
*E.L. Cord Museum School Instructor Exhibition*, Nevada Museum of Art, Reno, NV  
*On Procession*, Indianapolis Museum of Art, Indianapolis, IN  
*Bloom*, MCLA Gallery 51, North Adams, MA  
*Plus 3 Ferris Wheels*, Gwen Frostic School of Art, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI

## **2007**

*UICB Open House*, University of Iowa Center for the Book, Iowa City, IA  
*Land Grab Online*, WOOLOO.ORG/APEXART, curated by Lillian Fellmann and Sarah Lookofsky  
Remembrance, Rererato, Portland, OR  
*Everything Is Included*, Old Brick, Iowa City, IA  
*Cordially Invited*, The Never Ender Gallery, Reno, NV  
*Echoes and the Existential*, curated by Nicole Donnelly, Portico Gallery, Iowa City, IA  
*The Institute For Collecting Obscenity*, Obermann Symposium, Portico Gallery, Iowa City, IA

## **2006**

*Intermedia Introduces Itself To Rijeka*, Club Palach, Rijeka, Croatia  
*F is For Free, Eph is For Ephemera*, The Never Ender Gallery, Curated by Nick Larsen, Reno, NV  
*Big Ten Conference, Graduate Student Fine Art Exhibit 2006-2007*, Big 10 Headquarters, Park Ridge, IL  
*[Con]temporary Gallery, 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Alley Take Over*, [Con]temporary Gallery alleyway, Reno, NV

## **2005**

*The Black and White Ball*, Johnson County Cultural Alliance, Iowa City, IA  
*Here*, The Fireplace Gallery, Reno, NV

## **2004**

*Art Slaves*, Tanglewood Studios, Reno, NV  
*Tell*, A Survey of Women Artists, Chapterhouse Gallery, Reno, NV  
*BFA Thesis Exhibition*, Sheppard Gallery, University of Nevada, Reno  
*Mirror, Mirror: Self-Portrait Exhibit*, McNamara Gallery, University of Nevada, Reno

## **2003**

*Student Art Show*, (Juried by James Gobel), Sheppard Gallery, University of Nevada, Reno  
*The Art of the Polaroid*, Tiny Box Gallery, University of Nevada, Reno  
*Group Show*, Tiny Box Gallery, University of Nevada, Reno  
*Small, A Collection of Small Works*, Chapterhouse Gallery, Reno, NV

## **bibliography**

Reno News and Review, "Daydream Believer," 2009  
(<http://www.newsreview.com/reno/content?oid=1182498>)  
The Daily Iowan, "Outside the Gallery," 2008  
The Dispatch Project, Postcards, 2004  
Reno News and Review, "Camp Song Ladies", 2004  
(<http://www.newsreview.com/issues/reno/2004-02-12/music.asp>)  
Truckee River Arts District Map, Photograph, 2004  
Reno News and Review, "Music with Mammaries", 2002  
(<http://www.newsreview.com/issues/reno/2002-11-07/cover3.asp>)  
Brushfire Literary Magazine, Photograph, 2001

## **conferences/presentations**

*Daydreams*, College Book Art Association Biennial Conference, University of Iowa, January 2009

Presenter, Jacobsen Graduate Conference, University of Iowa, March 2008

Artist's talk, part of the series "Intermedia Talks," University of Iowa, September 2007

Guest Artist, Graduate Sculpture Class, Fine Art Academy, Ljubljana, Slovenia, November 2006

Artist's talk, seminar classes, Fine Art Academy Rijeka, Croatia, October, 2006