

CATHERINE ARMISTEAD

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EDUCATION

Tufts University, Medford, MA & School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA May 2017
B.S. Engineering Psychology & B.F.A. Mixed Media
Magna Cum Laude

Penland School of Crafts, Penland, NC July 2016
Electroforming with Maria Phillips and Seth Papac
Work Study Scholarship Recipient
Relief Engraving with Joanne Price and Cheyenne Mallo June 2013
Work Study Scholarship Recipient

EXPERIENCE

Junior User Experience Designer, Sapient Razorfish, Boston, MA July 2017-Present
• Brainstorm and execute user interfaces as part of a broader project team
• Develop wireframes, workflows, and user stories using the design thinking process

Jewelry Intern, Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA January 2017-May 2017
• Catalogued pieces in the Daphne Farago collection, working in storage and researching relevant material
• Conducted primary research into Boston Arts & Crafts jewelers and metalworkers
• Assisted with installation of *Past is Present: Revival Jewelry* and supported events related to the exhibition

Metals Studio Monitor, SMFA at Tufts, Boston, MA September 2016-May 2017
• Maintained safety and cleanliness of communal spaces
• Advised students with design questions and demonstrated proper usage of tools

Artist in Residence, TEDxTufts, Medford, MA September 2015-May 2017
• Developed yearly theme concept and associated graphics, including social media pages, bumper stickers, apparel, and posters
• Partnered with marketing team to brainstorm social media campaign and collaborative art pieces
• Collaborated with the production team on stage design and event footage

User Experience Intern, Bose Corp., Framingham, MA May 2016-July 2016
• Compiled and designed an in-depth walkthrough of setup stages for competitor products, and collaborated with the usability team to create and present a comprehensive report to various product teams
• Researched for human factors reports taking into account behavior and anatomy for the consideration of designs of upcoming headphones
• Completed extensive testing of Bluetooth functionality in speakers with smart home devices

Design Intern, Small Army, Boston, MA May 2015-July 2015
• Created style guides, social content, and mockups of potential branding merchandise for Swim Across America campaign
• Designed a multistate landing page option for Arbor Networks' career microsite

Curator, Art in April, Tufts University, Medford, MA January 2015-April 2015
• Developed theme for exhibition and sent out calls for art to Tufts and SMFA students
• Juried selection of work, installed exhibition, and designed all marketing material

Learning and Engagement Intern, Mint Museum, Charlotte, NC June 2014-August 2014
• Planned several interactive activities for families and young adults to increase engagement with artwork

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2018 *National Prize Show* (curated by Michelle Grabner, Jessica Hong, & Jamillah James) University Place Gallery, Cambridge, MA
- 2018 *Evil Plastics*, Viridian Artists Gallery, New York, NY
- 2018 *30 Under 30* (curated by Chrissie Iles) Viridian Artists Gallery, New York, NY
- 2018 *Winter Artists Showcase*, TILL Wave Gallery, Watertown, MA
- 2017 *Holiday Show*, CraftBoston, Boston, MA
- 2017 *A Random Act of Art*, TILL Wave Gallery, Watertown, MA
- 2017 *Nonobjective NOW*, Davis Art Gallery, Worcester, MA
- 2017 *Awards Recipients Exhibition*, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston
- 2017 *Senior Thesis Exhibition*, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston
- 2017 *Alumni Art Show*, Charlotte Country Day, Charlotte, NC
- 2016 *Holiday Show*, CraftBoston, Boston, MA
- 2016 *Baest*, Small Army, Boston, MA
- 2015 *Work in Progress*, Tufts University, Medford, MA
- 2015 *Annual Drawing Show*, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA
- 2014 *Dual Identities*, Tufts University, Medford, MA

AWARDS & GRANTS

- 2017 *Medal Award Gala Participant*, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA
- 2017 *Metals Area Award Recipient*, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA
- 2016 *Boit Award – Honorable Mention*, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA
- 2016 *Dehn Grant Recipient*, Tufts University, Medford, MA
- 2013-15 *Dean's List*, Tufts University, Medford, MA

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

“Wunderboxen” School of the Museum of Fine Arts Library Artists’ Books Collection, Boston, MA. Acquired July 2017

SKILLS

Calligraphy, Packaging Design, Usability Testing, Mold Making (alginate, silicone), Casting (cement, silver, bronze, resin), Advanced Metal Fabrication (soldering, riveting, forming, electroforming, enameling and patination), Etching & Intaglio, Papermaking, Embroidery, 3D Modeling, Lasercutting, 3D Printing, InDesign, Illustrator, Photoshop

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Cambridge Arts Association, Cambridge, MA
Gallery 263, Somerville, MA
Viridian Artists Gallery, New York, NY