

# COLORATURA

*Catherine Roseberry*

*Rob Womack*

## **Solo or Small Group Exhibitions**

- 2016 Small group exhibition  
Exhibited with Jeremy Witt  
and David Camden  
Cross Mill Gallery  
Ashland, Virginia
- 2010 Small group exhibition  
Exhibited with Margaret Buchanan, painter  
Rivermont Studio  
Lynchburg, Virginia
- 2010 Small group exhibition  
Exhibited with the work of  
Mary Lou Deal, ceramist  
H. Scott November Gallery  
Westminster Canterbury  
Richmond, Virginia
- 2008 Inaugural Exhibition  
Small group exhibition  
Rivermont Studio  
Lynchburg, Virginia
- 2004 *Sleight of Hand*  
Small group exhibition  
McDonough Museum of Art  
Youngstown, Ohio
- 2002 Small group show  
Exhibited with Nancy Witt, painter  
Crossmill Gallery  
Ashland, Virginia
- 2001 *Divergent Lines*  
Small group exhibition  
Cudahy's Gallery  
Richmond, Virginia
- 1993 *Coloratura*  
Solo exhibition  
Spirit Square Center for the Arts  
Charlotte, North Carolina
- 1992 *Coloratura: Stories and Scenarios*  
Solo exhibition  
Hand Workshop  
Richmond, Virginia
- 1992 Solo exhibition  
Sansar Gallery  
Washington, DC
- 1991 Small group exhibition  
Owen-Patrick Gallery  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

- 1990 *Recent Works*  
Solo exhibition  
Palmer-Rae Gallery  
Virginia Beach, Virginia
- 1989 *Arts in the Hospitals*  
Small group invitational exhibition  
Medical College of Virginia  
Richmond, Virginia
- 1988 *Annual Summer Show*  
Small group exhibition  
20th Century Gallery  
Williamsburg, Virginia
- 1987 *Welcome Back to the Future*  
Small group exhibition  
Art and Architectural Design  
Baltimore, Maryland
- 1987 *Everything to Excess*  
Small group exhibition  
Hand Workshop  
Richmond, Virginia
- 1987 Solo exhibition  
Randolph-Macon College  
Ashland, Virginia
- 1985 *Bravura Coloratura*  
Solo installation  
Anderson Gallery  
Richmond, Virginia
- 1985 Solo exhibition  
On the Hill  
Yorktown, Virginia

## **Grants and Awards**

- 2010 Theresa Pollak Prize in Applied Arts  
sponsored by *Richmond Magazine*  
Richmond, Virginia
- \* Rob, Virginia Center for Creative Arts  
Residency Fellowship  
\*2001, 2002, 2004, 2007, 2010
- 1999 Rob, Virginia Commission for the Arts  
Individual Artist Fellowship
- 1994 Rob, National Endowment for the Arts  
Visual Artists Fellowship
- 1994 Rob, Virginia Commission for the Arts  
Individual Artist Fellowship

## **Public Commissions**

- 1995 *The Conjuror Revealed*  
Richmond's Landmark Theater  
(formerly The Mosque)  
Richmond, Virginia

*[Mural commissioned by the City of Richmond,  
Virginia, Percent for Art program]*

- 1993 *A Woman's Touch*  
University of Virginia Hospital  
Charlottesville, Virginia

*[Mural commissioned for The Women's Place  
health facilities]*

## Selected Group Exhibitions

2017	<i>Dream House Remix</i> Invitational group exhibition Peninsula Fine Arts Center Newport News, Virginia	1993	<i>New Art Forms Exposition</i> Navy Pier Chicago, Illinois [Represented by Sansar Gallery, Washington, DC]
2016	Invitational group exhibition Ghostprint Gallery Richmond, Virginia	1993	<i>Ornament: Interior, Exterior, Personal</i> Curated group exhibition Artscape '93 Baltimore, Maryland
2013	<i>Dreamscapes: Art and Design</i> Invitational group exhibition Ghostprint Gallery Richmond, Virginia	1992	<i>Dream House</i> Invitational group exhibition Peninsula Fine Arts Center Newport News, Virginia
2007	<i>Richmond Craft and Design Show</i> Annual juried show and sale Richmond, Virginia	1991	<i>New Virginia Furniture</i> Invitational group exhibition Sawhill Gallery James Madison University Harrisonburg, Virginia
2004	<i>Right at Home: American Studio Furniture</i> Curated museum exhibition of works from the permanent collection Renwick Gallery of the Smithsonian American Art Museum Washington, DC Curator: Kenneth Trapp, Renwick Gallery	1990	<i>Contemporary Craft and Design</i> Invitational group exhibition Bedford Gallery Longwood College Farmville, Virginia
2002	<i>Richmond Craft and Design Show</i> Invited to annual juried show and sale Richmond, Virginia M L DEAL AWARD FOR CONTEMPORARY DESIGN	1990	<i>Objets D'Art: Contemporary Folding Screens</i> Curated group exhibition Hand Workshop Richmond, Virginia
2001	<i>In The Driver's Seat: Cars and Our Culture</i> Invitational group exhibition Peninsula Fine Arts Center Newport News, Virginia	1989	<i>Bewitched by Craft</i> Invitational participation in the Associates of the American Craft Museum Benefit Auction, New York, New York
1998	<i>By Heart and Hands: Collecting Southern Decorative Arts</i> Art Museum of Western Virginia Roanoke, Virginia	1989-91	<i>International Contemporary Furniture Fair</i> Selected show sponsored by Metropolis New York, New York
1998	<i>Commonwealth Collects 1998</i> Invitational group exhibition Contemporary Art Center of Virginia Virginia Beach, Virginia	1988	<i>New Art Forms: Virginia</i> Invitational group exhibition Hand Workshop Richmond, Virginia
1996	<i>Richmond Craft and Design Show</i> Annual juried show and sale Richmond, Virginia BEST IN SHOW	1988	<i>Discovery through Diversity</i> Invitational group exhibition Art and Architectural Design Baltimore, Maryland
1996	Inaugural Exhibition Invitational group exhibition Raiford Gallery Roswell, Georgia	1986	<i>Furniture as Art/Room as Allusion</i> Curated group exhibition Maryland Art Place Baltimore, Maryland
1995	<i>Exposition: Virginia Commission for the Arts Fellowship Winners</i> Peninsula Fine Arts Center Newport News, Virginia	1986	<i>Creatures in Crafts</i> Invitational group exhibition Hand Workshop Richmond, Virginia
1994	<i>The Fall Invitational</i> Invitational group exhibition Sansar Gallery, Washington, DC	1985	Invitational group exhibition Second Street Gallery Charlottesville, Virginia
1994	<i>Pandora's Box</i> Invitational group exhibition Hand Workshop Richmond, Virginia	1984-88	Richmond Craft Show Annual juried exhibition and sale Richmond, Virginia

## Selected Periodicals

“Dinamo on Cary Street:  
Futurism Meets Food”

Brandon Fox

■ *Richmond Magazine*

June 2013

“Art All Around”

Megan Marconyak

■ *Richmond Magazine's R•Home*

July/August 2011

“13th Annual Theresa Pollak  
Prizes for Excellence in the Arts”

Harry Kollatz Jr

■ *Richmond Magazine*

October 2010

“Furniture as Canvas”

Tina Coplan

■ *Home & Design*

Autumn 2008

“Pure Magic”

Amy Braken Sparks

■ *Cleveland Plain Dealer*

March 19, 2004

“Bureaus of Investigation”

Deborah McLeod

■ *Style Weekly* (Richmond)

January 30, 2001

“Coloratura”

Ames Arnold

■ *Northside* (cover feature)

February 1998

“Conjuror’s Craft”

Mary Ellen Mercer

■ *Shafer Court Connections*

Winter 1996

“With Mural, Ticket Window  
Grilles, Art Is Theater’s  
Opening Act”

Sibella C. Giorello

■ *Richmond Times-Dispatch*

October 22, 1995

“Inside the Magic Box”

Cassandra Cossitt

■ *Style Weekly* (Richmond)

October 10, 1995

“Making a Statement”

Chrissy Swertfeger

■ *Amtrak Express*

July/August 1995

■ *Journal of the American  
Planning Association* (cover)

Autumn 1994

“Telling Stories”

Rick Mashburn

■ *House Beautiful*

August 1994

“Creative Pair Paint Themselves  
into a Cozy Corner”

Susan Winiecki

■ *Richmond Times-Dispatch*

August 20, 1994

“New Directions in Art Furniture”

Vernon Mays

■ *Inform*

Spring/Summer 1992

“Radical Furniture Calms Down”

Dylan Landis

■ *Chicago Tribune*

May 26, 1991

“Movers and Shapers”

Arlene Hirst

■ *Metropolitan Home*

October 1990

“Hot Properties: A New Direction”

Lucie Young

■ *Metropolitan Home* (UK)

October 1990

“Coloratura: Furniture  
with Something to Say”

Liz Seymour

■ *Elle Decor*

October 1990

“Mobel designer i USA:  
Sluta Glorifiera Europa!”

Lotta Jonson

■ *Form*

June 1990

“Susi Goes Shopping”

Susanne von Wechmar, Editor

■ *Ambieme*

October 1990

“By Design”

Marisa Bartolucci

■ *Metropolis*

September 1990

“Contemporary Furniture Heads  
for the Future by Paying  
Its Respects to the Past”

Dylan Landis

■ *Chicago Tribune*

July 15, 1990

“Painted Embellishments  
Turn Furniture into Art”

Chris Vartanian

■ *Chicago Sun-Times*

June 24, 1990

“Coloratura”

Charles Talley

■ *Surface Design Journal*

Summer 1990

“Young American  
Stand-Up Comics”

Linda Hales

■ *Washington Post*

June 7, 1990

“International Contemporary  
Furniture Fair”

Olivia Cremascoli

■ *Ufficiostile*

November/December 1989

“Not Just a Table”

Ann Holliday

■ *Richmond News-Leader*

October 10, 1989

“Notes”

Heather Smith MacIssac, Editor

■ *House and Garden*

October 1989

“La Riforma Dell’ Interior”

Giovanni Odoni

■ *Casa Vogue*

July/August 1989

“Coloratura: Their Canvases  
are Wood, Their Creations  
are Useable”

Pat Bryant

■ *Richmond Times-Dispatch*

July 16, 1989

“Bold Furnishings”

Aimee Cunningham

■ *Norfolk Virginian-Pilot*

July 16, 1989

“Furniture for the Future”

Jura Koncius

■ *Washington Post*

June 1, 1989

“A New York Forum  
for Fresh Design”

Suzanne Slesin

■ *New York Times*

May 25, 1989

“Unusual Comforts”

Akiko Busch

■ *Metropolis* (supplement)

May 1989

“Something Old, Something New”

Jennifer DeBell

■ *Gallery*

March/April 1989

“Everything to Excess  
at Hand Workshop—

Original, Intense, Energetic”

Peter Beck

■ *Style Weekly* (Richmond)

May 5, 1987

“Furniture and Art  
that Know No Bounds”

Lynn Williams

■ *Baltimore Sun*

September 21, 1986

## Publications

Oscar P. Fitzgerald  
*Studio Furniture of the Renwick Gallery*  
East Petersburg, Pennsylvania  
Fox Chapel Publishing, 2008

Buie Harwood  
*Architecture and interior design from the  
19th century: an integrated history, Volume 2*  
Upper Saddle River, New Jersey  
Pearson Prentice Hall, 2008

Phyllis George  
*Craft in America: Celebrating the  
Creative Work of the Hand*  
Fort Worth, Texas  
Summit Group, 1993

## Selected Collections

Rejena Carreras and the Honorable  
Thomas O. Jones, Richmond, Virginia

Dinamo Restaurant, Richmond, Virginia

Olivia Georgia, New York, New York

Stephen Glassman, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Ely and Abbie Gonick, Lancaster, Pennsylvania

Andrew and Virginia Lewis, Richmond, Virginia

Joshua and Joanna Lipman, Memphis, Tennessee

L'Ostello, Vail, Colorado

Steve and Kathy Markel, Richmond, Virginia

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Nusbaum Jr,  
Palm Beach, Florida

Michael and Laura Ruocco Pintchik,  
New York, New York

Renwick Gallery of the Smithsonian  
American Art Museum, Washington, DC

Senator and Mrs. Charles Robb, McLean, Virginia

Sam Rose and Julie Walters, Bethesda, Maryland

Mr. Vaden Scott, Richmond, Virginia

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Sisisky, Richmond, Virginia

Barbara Seril, New York, New York

## Catalogues and Gallery Documentation

2008 *Sotheby's: Important 20th Century Design*  
Sale #8454, June 14, 2008

2004 *Right at Home: American Studio Furniture*  
Renwick Gallery of the Smithsonian  
American Art Museum  
Washington, DC

2004 *Sleight of Hand*  
Exhibition essay by Dan Tranberg  
for the McDonough Museum of Art  
Youngstown, Ohio

- 1993 *A Woman's Touch*  
University of Virginia Hospital  
Charlottesville, Virginia
- 1992 *Coloratura: Stories and Scenarios*  
Exhibition essay by Linda McGreevy  
Old Dominion University  
for the Hand Workshop  
Richmond, Virginia
- 1990 *Objets D'Art:*  
*Contemporary Folding Screens*  
Hand Workshop  
Richmond, Virginia
- 1988 *New Art Forms: Virginia*  
Hand Workshop  
Richmond, Virginia
- 1986 *Furniture as Art/Room as Allusion*  
Maryland Art Place  
Baltimore, Maryland

## Professional Engagements

- 2010 Guest speakers, public lecture  
Westminster Canterbury  
Richmond, Virginia
- 2008 Juror (Rob)  
Annual juried show sponsored by the  
Lynchburg Art Club  
Lynchburg, Virginia
- 2006 Guest Speakers  
*Senior Seminar*  
Sweet Briar College  
Amherst, Virginia
- 2004 Guest speaker, public lecture (Rob)  
Renwick Gallery of the Smithsonian  
American Art Museum  
Washington, DC
- 2004 Roundtable discussion with other artists  
in *Sleight of Hand* (Catherine and Rob)  
McDonough Museum of Art  
Youngstown, Ohio
- 1999 Juror (Rob)  
Richmond Craft and Design Show  
Annual exhibition sponsored by the  
Hand Workshop Art Center  
Richmond, Virginia
- 1998-02 Juror (Catherine)  
Scholastic Art Awards  
Richmond, Virginia (region)
- 1997 Juror (Rob)  
Annual student exhibition  
James Madison University  
Harrisonburg, Virginia
- 1996 Guest speaker (Catherine)  
*Introduction to the Arts*  
John Tyler Community College  
Chester, Virginia

## Professional Engagements [Continued]

- 1996 Guest speakers (Catherine and Rob)  
*Out of the Stacks:*  
*Artistic Inspiration from the Library*  
Richmond Public Library  
Richmond, Virginia
- 1995 Panelists (Catherine and Rob)  
*Managing a Small Business*  
Richmond Craftsmen's Guild  
Richmond, Virginia
- 1993 Public discussion (Catherine)  
on commissioned mural  
University of Virginia Hospital  
Charlottesville, Virginia
- 1993 Guest speaker (Rob)  
(senior painting class)  
Virginia Commonwealth University  
Richmond, Virginia
- 1993 Guest artists (Catherine and Rob)  
*Three Days in March*  
(student workshops)  
Virginia Museum of Fine Arts  
Richmond, Virginia
- 1992 Gallery talk (Catherine and Rob)  
*Coloratura: Stories and Scenarios*  
Hand Workshop  
Richmond, Virginia
- 1992 Guest speaker (Catherine)  
*Introduction to the Arts*  
John Tyler Community College  
Chester, Virginia
- 1989 Guest speakers (Catherine and Rob)  
*Introduction to the Arts*  
Virginia Commonwealth University  
Richmond, Virginia

- 1988-89 Artist Workshop Program  
Virginia Museum  
Richmond, Virginia

[Selected to conduct a lecture/workshop on painted objects at seven state arts organizations affiliated with the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts]

- 1987 Gallery talk (Catherine and Rob)  
*Everything to Excess*  
Hand Workshop  
Richmond, Virginia

## Education

Catherine, BFA, Art Education, 1978  
Virginia Commonwealth University  
Richmond, Virginia

Rob, BFA, Painting and Printmaking, 1980  
Virginia Commonwealth University  
Richmond, Virginia

## Related Information

1994-97 Catherine  
Partners in the Arts Governance Board  
Richmond, Virginia

1990-96 Catherine  
Hand Workshop Board of Directors  
Richmond, Virginia

1987-02 Folk Art Society of America  
Board of Directors (founding members)

1982-85 Catherine, Assistant Coordinator  
1708 East Main Alternative Space  
Richmond, Virginia

American Craft Council Library  
Artist Registry  
Minneapolis, Minnesota