Artist CV

Mary Dondero

Professor of Art, Department of Art and Art History Internship Coordinator for the Department of Art and Art History College of Humanities and Social Sciences, Bridgewater State University, Bridgewater, MA 02325

Education

2003 MFA	University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, North Dartmouth, MA
1981 MAT	Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI
1980 BFA	Roger Williams University, Bristol, RI

Professional Teaching

Jan. 2004 – Present	Professor, Department of Art & Art History Bridgewater State University, Bridgewater, MA
1985-03	Adjunct Professor - Bridgewater State College
2002 - 03	University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth, North Dartmouth, MA
1981 - 97	Adjunct Professor Roger Williams University, Bristol, RI
1983 - 89	Rhode Island School of Design, Prov., RI Instructor: College Preparatory Drawing Youth Program
1984	Bryant University, Smithfield, RI Visiting Lecturer: Art History Survey I, II

Professional Experience | Business, Self-Employment

1987 – 2015	 Silktone: Owner/Partnership 30 Cutler Street, Warren, RI
	Graphic Design • Screen Printing • Environmental Graphics-Signs

Professional Curating - Art Exhibition

2010 - Present	Bristo	l Art Mı	ıseum,	10 Wa	ardwe	ll Street, Bristol, RI
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• Board Director and Curator of Exhibitions

• Chair of Collections

Related

2015	19 On Paper • Exhibiting Artist Member
2007-Present	Imago Foundation for the Arts (IFA) Warren, RI, 501(c)3 organization
	• 2007-14 President of the Board/Executive Committee
	• 2021-25 Board Director
2003-2010	IMAGO, A Gallery of Art and Fine Craft, Warren, RI. An artist run co-operat

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• President of the Executive Committee 2004 - 2010

RI State Grant

1990

Organizational Grant: The Rhode Island Council of the Arts
 Director of "The Studio" 1 State Street, Bristol, RI

Artist Lectures

2023	Lush Terrain Imago Foundation for the arts, Warren, RI
2022	Sound of Stars Providence Art Club, Providence Rhode Island
2019	Seeds of Inspiration Bristol Art Museum, Bristol, RI
2018	Artist Identity and Relationship to the Community Bristol Art Museum, Bristol, RI
2017	Title your art Imago Foundation for the Arts, Warren, RI
2016	Newport Art Museum, Artist Talk, Small Points in Time
2011	Art Insights Southern Utah University, Department of Art and Design, Cedar City, Utah
2003	Newport Art Museum, Photographers Guild, Newport, RI
1998	Life and art Arts Magnet School, Bristol, RI

Artist Residency

2011-Spring Internationally Competitive Artists Residency, Zion National Park, Springdale, UT

Conferences • **Presenter**

2020	• Virtual - Nov 12-15 The CritLab AltMFA, A Critical Community for Working Artists, NY, NY
2019	 Art Wynwood Art Miami represented by Atelier Newport Gallery
	• The Armory Show NYC represented by Atelier Newport Gallery
2005	• Presentation Dust Soc. of Photographic Educators Conf, George Mason Univ, Fairfax, VA
1996	• Exhibitor/Presentation <i>International Sculpture Conference</i> Providence Art Club, Providence, RI

Conference • Attendee

- Virtual 2021 | The CritLab AltMFA, A Critical Community for Working Artists, NY, NY
- Islamic Architectural Conference | Istanbul Technical University, Istanbul, Turkey

Serving as Exhibition or Program Juror

- Rhode Island Council of the Arts | Panel Judges for RI State 2024 Program Grants
 - Juror | The Essence of Water | SCA Annual Art Contest, MA
- Juror | 3rd Annual Members Exhibit | RI Center for Photographic Arts | Providence | RI
- Panel of judges member | Juror for Applicants seeking Full Artist Membership | Art League of RI
 - Wickford Art Association, Juror for Black 'n White
- Exhibition Juror | *Interpreting Brain and Spinal Fluid Disorders Through Art* | Art League of RI, at the Alpert Medical School, Brown University
- 2018 Exhibition Juror | Art League of Rhode Island | Present from the Past | Group Exhibit
 - Exhibition Juror | NY Photo Curator | Regarding the Symbolic, Concerning the Real
- Exhibition Juror | Art League of Rhode Island | Surface Tension | Group Exhibit
- **Rhode Island Council of the Arts**, Panel of Judges for RI State 2010 Fellowships
- Exhibition Judge | Bristol Community College | Fall River, MA
- 2007-09 Board of Judges | Columbia Scholastic Press Association's Critique, Columbia University, NY, NY
- 2006 Award Juror | High Art | Exhibit of Southern New England High Schools, Attleboro Museum, MA
- Board of International Judges | École Supérieure d'Arts Graphiques et d'Architecture, Penninghen et Jacques d'Andon, Académie Julian, Paris, France.
 - •Juror for graduating class of spring 2005

Visiting Portfolio Critic

- Visiting Critic | U-Mass Dartmouth Graduate MFA Ceramic Program
- Visiting Critic | Brown University Visual Arts
- 2018 & 2019 Reviewer | Providence Center for Photographic Arts | Providence | RI

Essay Publication - Author

• Dondero, Mary E. "Regarding Ballerina's Mirror." John Udvardy. Hanover and London: UPNE Book Partners, 2016. 33. Print.

Selected Bibliography - Reviews or Articles

- Herald News Staff, Fall River Herald News. (2023, February 2). "Beyond Binary" explores our sense of self at Grimshaw-Gudewicz Gallery. The Herald News, https://eu.heraldnews.com/story/entertainment/arts/2023/02/02beyond-binary-exhibit-at-bristol-ccs-grimshaw-gudewicz-gallery/69828978007/
- 9/20/17 Gray, Channing, Art, Art:'Be of Love' exhibit features eclectic mix, Providence Journal-Bulletin, Providence, RI
- 3/17/16 Gray, Channing, Art, Newport Art Museum shows hit highs, lows, Providence Journal-Bulletin, Providence, RI p. D-6
- Mar/Apr 2016 Castro, Alexander, Review: Rhode Island, Mary Dondero: Small Points in Time, Art New England, Boston, MA, USA Vol.37 Issue #2 p.66
- 3/3/16 Channing, Gray, Art- Impressive lineup at Providence Art Club, Providence Journal-Bulletin, Providence, RI p. C-6
- 3/7/13 Van Siclen, Bill, Art- 'Grand' work of local artists in Newport, Providence Journal-Bulletin, Providence, RI p. C-7
- Sept/Nov 2012 Tolnick-Champa, Judith, Art Encounters Preservation, Ceramics Art and Perception, Sheridon, Wyoming, USA Issue #89 p.46-47
- 9/6/10 McQuaid, Cate, Art Blossoms on the farm, The Boston Globe, Boston, MA p. 8G
- 9/12/06 Vanschalkwyk, Cindy, Past and present blend in work of art, Warren Times-Gazette, Warren, RI p. 5
- 12/06 Excerpts from Four Portfolios, Bridgewater Review, Volume 25, No. 2, Bridgewater State College, Bridgewater, MA.
- $\bullet \ 12/25/03 \ Van \ Siclen, \ Bill, \ Art-What \ the \ critics \ are \ saying, \ Providence \ Journal-Bulletin, \ Providence, \ RI \ p. \ L-12$
- 12/18/03 Van Siclen, Bill, Art Scene-One gallery grows, and two are born, Providence Journal-Bulletin, Providence, RI p. L-27
- 1/30/03 Van Siclen, Bill, Art Scene, Wiharso's ongoing dialogue with America, Providence Journal-Bulletin, Providence, RI p. L-8
- 3/29/96 Van Siclen, Bill, Art Wrapup Six to see in Bristol, Providence Journal-Bulletin, Providence, RI p. F-03

Publication Art Representation and Award

- 2013 The Photo Review 2012 Competition Issue / Langhorne, PA
 - Juror, Paul Roth, Senior Curator and Director, Photography and Media Arts, at the Corcoran Gallery of Art in Washington, DC.

Catalog Representation

- 2018 Rhythms | St. Botolph Club, Boston, MA | Exhibition Catalog
- 2012 Nature Vive & Nature Morte | Trustman Art Gallery | Simons College, Boston, MA | Exhibition Catalog
- 2011 Art Encounters Preservation | Wentworth Coolidge Mansion, Portsmouth, NH | Exhibition Catalog
- 2008 Naestved International Mini Print Traveling Exhibition | Naestved Print Studio for Artists, Denmark | Catalog
- 2001 Snapshot | Contemporary Museum | Baltimore | MD | Exhibition Catalog
- 1999 American Visions | Museum of Anthropology | California State University | Chico | CA | Exhibition Catalog

Collections Fine Art - Public

- Seven Hours of Devotion | Permanent Collection | RI Hospital | Providence, RI
- Parameters of Fog | Permanent Collection | Newport Art Museum | Newport, RI
- Cut Flowers | Permanent Collection | Center for Fine Art Photography | Fort Collins, CO
- Temporal Mirage | Permanent Collection | Wentworth Coolidge Mansion | Portsmouth, NH
- Virgin Throne | Zion Human History Museum | Zion National Park | Springdale, UT
- Shades and Forms | Roger Williams University | Bristol, RI
- Night Swimming | Naestved International Exhibition of Contemporary Prints | The Print Studio, Denmark

Collections Private

- Jason Pamental | Providence | RI | He is on the Rhode Island State Council on the Arts Board and Senior Director of Design & Technical Strategy at Isovera in Andover | MA
- Anonymous Collector | Board Director of the New York Ballet
- David Friend | Boston | MA Founder of Carbonite cloud backup systems and financial backer of the David Friend Hall at Yale University's Peabody Museum
- Sarah and Derek Irby | Manhattan | NY Vice President Global Marketing, Tom Ford Beauty (Estée Lauder)
- Peter Dupont | Delaware Governor and US House Representatives

Exhibition Honors

- 2024 Pastel Painters Society of Cape Cod Award for Pastels | Prov Art Club, Providence RI
 - Juror Emily Gray, Curatorial Assistant at WaterFire Providence
- 2023 -1st Place, Same But Different | NYC4PA, at Jadite Gallery, 660 10th Avenue, New York, NY
 - Juror Debra Klompching
 - -1st Place, the Edward Bannister Award | Winter Members Exhibit | Providence Art Club | Prov. | RI
 - Juror Michael Ezzell
- 2021 Parker Memorial Award | Members Summer Exhibit | Providence Art Club | Providence | RI
 - Awards Judge Sonja Czekalski
- 2019 1st Place | Ars Necronomica | Providence Art Club | Providence | RI
- 2018 Mary Barthelson Pastel Award | 62nd Regional Juried Exhibit | Mystic Museum of Art | Mystic | CT
 Juror Don Woodford
- 2015 1st Place in Prints/Pastels | Juried Members Exhibit | Newport Art Museum, RI
 - Juror Alyson Baker, Director of Aldrich Contemporary Art Museum, Ridgefield, CT
 - -The William E. Brigham Award | Earth Elements | National Juried Exhibit, Providence Art Club | Prov. | RI

 Juror Allison Newsome
 - Directors Award | EXPO 34 | BJ Spoke Gallery | Huntington | NY
 - Juror Adrienne Rooney, Curatorial Asst. of the Whitney Museum of American Art
 - **Directors Award** | *On Beauty* | Center for Fine Art Photography | Fort Collins | CO
 - Juror Kathleen Clark Director of SPOT Photo Works | LA
- 2014 3rd Place | 2014 National Exhibit | foto Gallery | Huntington | NY• Juror Judith Levey
- 2002 Photo Award | Members Exhibit | Newport Art Museum, Newport, RI | Juror: Judith Tannenbaum
- 2001 First Place | *Toxic Landscapes* | Gallery X, New Bedford, MA | Juror: Sig Haines
- 1999 **Honorable Mention** | *American Visions* | Museum of Anthropology California State University | Chico | CA
- 1996 Honorable Mention | Convergence | Providence Art Club | Providence | RI

Exhibitions Fine Art

Solo Exhibitions

- 2024 Bloom | Curator Sonja Czekalski | Roger Williams University, Bristol | RI
- 2023 Selected Works | Galerie le Domaine | 173 Waterman Street, Providence | RI
- 2022 June | The Sound of Stars | Providence Art Club, Dodge House | Providence | RI
- 2020 All is Change | Atelier Newport | Newport, Rhode Island
- 2017 The Sky was Blue | Providence Center for Photographic Arts | Providence | RI
- 2016 Small Points in Time | Solo Exhibit | Newport Art Museum | Newport, Rhode Island
- 2012 Perception, Memory and Landscape | Wallace L. Anderson Gallery &
 - The Clement C. Maxwell Library, Bridgewater State University, Bridgewater, MA
- 2011 Sky Land Sea | Zion Human History Museum, Springdale, UT
- 2011 Perception, Memory and Landscape | Zion Human History Museum, UT
- 2004 Turn Shift Fixate | Anderson Gallery, Bridgewater State College, MA
- 1996 An Acquired Mood | Anderson Gallery, Bridgewater State College, MA

Two Person & Featured Artist Exhibits

2025	Featured neo- Providence Art Club, Dodge House Providence RI
2023	Featured Lush Terrain Imago Gallery Warren, RI
2021	Featured Unconscious Equilibrium Atelier Newport Newport, Rhode Island
	Featured Spellbind Atelier Newport Newport, Rhode Island
2020	Featured The Weight of Untold Tales Atelier Newport Newport, Rhode Island
2019	Two-person Resonance, Larkin Gallery of Art, Harrisonburg, VA • Curator Kimberly Whitham
	Featured Meditations: Intuitive Explorations, Narrows Center for the Arts, Fall River, MA
	Featured Scratch Atelier Newport Newport, Rhode Island
	Featured Member Maximum Temperature Imago Foundation of the Arts, Warren, RI
2018	Featured <i>Pace of Nature</i> Atelier Newport, Newport, RI
	Featured <i>Vestiges</i> Atelier Newport, Newport, RI
	Two person Rhythms St. Botolph Club, Boston, MA • Curated by Allison Newsome
	Three person Three Draw Gallery 175, Pawtucket, RI • Curator Joan Hausrath
2012	Featured Member Perception, Memory and Landscape, Imago Foundation, Warren, RI
2010	Featured Member Transformations, Imago Foundation, Warren, RI
2009	Featured Artist Rogers Free Library, Bristol, RI
	Two-person Summer Exhibit Maxwell Library, Bridgewater State College, MA
2008	Featured Member Penumbra Imago, Gallery of Art and Fine Craft, Warren, RI
2006	Featured Member Sol Desire Imago, Gallery of Art and Fine Craft, Warren, RI
2002	Two-person Night Swimming Gallery 244, U-Mass Dartmouth, N. Dartmouth, MA
2001	Two-person Earth and Sky DeBlois Gallery, Newport, RI
1998	Two-person God, State and Beast Anderson Gallery, Bridgewater State College, MA

Selected Group Exhibitions

2003 - Present Imago Foundation for the Arts | Warren, RI, Group Exhibits, (6-7 exhibits annually) Dec 2, 2023 - May 26, 2024, *Unfinished Business* | Newport Art Museum | Newport RI

- This exhibition featured important works of art from the Museum's collection by people who identify as women. The Newport Art Museum has endeavored to increase representation of women in its permanent collection. Whereas women artists once comprised less than half of the contemporary collection, they now represent seventy-percent. These works were acquired to support the Museum's mission, which is "to share a diversity of art and experiences that spark reflection, inspiration, discovery, and connections within our Newport community and beyond.
- 2025 Growing the NetWorks | Waterfire Arts Center | Prov. | RI
 - Reign Rain Rein | National Exhibition | Attleboro Art Museum | MA Juror Gordon Wilkins
- 2024 Winter Members Exhibit | Providence Art Club | Prov. | RI
 - Summer Members Exhibit | Providence Art Club | Prov. | RI
- 2023 Summer Members Exhibit | Providence Art Club | Prov. | RI
 - Same But Different | NYC4PA, at Jadite Gallery, New York, NY Juror Debra Klompching
 - Winter Members Exhibit | Providence Art Club | Prov. | RI Juror Michael Ezzell
 - Beyond Binary | Grimshaw-Gudewicz Art Gallery | Bristol Community College, Fall River, MA
 - Curator Kathleen Hancock
 - 19 at 35 | 19 on Paper 35 Years | Bristol Art Museum | Bristol | RI
- 2022 In Honor of Earth Day | LA Photo Center | Juror Laurie Freitag
 - Terra Form | Cape Cod Art Museum | Dennis | MA | Juror James Lawton
 - Fall Members Exhibit | Providence Art Club | Providence | RI
 - Intimacies | MAPSpace | A Crit Lab Inaugural | Port Chester | NY
- 2021 In Cages with Lions | Herreshoff Museum, Bristol, RI Juror Alexander Castro
 - Flora | Gallery 263 | Cambridge | MA Juror Mark Dion
 - Unconscious Equilibrium | Atelier Newport | 200 Bellevue Ave. | Newport | RI
 - Abstract Ideas | Newport Art Museum | Features from the Permanent Coll. | Newport, RI
 - The Big Picture Show | Providence Art Club | Providence | RI
 - Summer Members' Exhibition 2021 | Providence Art Club | Providence | RI
 - o Awards Judge Sonja Czekalski

2020	 - Excavation: Layers of Meaning New Bedford Art Museum New Bedford MA - Fall Members' Exhibition 2020 Providence Art Club Providence RI - Isolation Creations Providence Art Club Providence RI - Complex Terrains Newport Art Museum, a landscape exhibit Newport, RI
2019	- 2019 Fall Members Exhibit Providence Art Club Providence RI • 1st Place Award, Ars Necronomica Providence Art Club Providence RI
2018	 Vestiges Atelier Newport Newport RI Hearths & Hideaways Atelier Newport Newport RI 62nd Regional Exhibition Mystic Museum of Art Mystic CT • Juror Don Woodford 5th All Media Grimshaw-Gudewicz Gallery, Bristol Community College Fall River MA Juror Kathrine Lovell 31st Newport Annual Members' Juried Exhibition Newport RI Juror Alex Mann, Curator of Prints & Drawings at the Smithsonian American Art Museum
	- Winter Members' Exhibition, Providence Art Club Providence RI • Juror Justine Hill
	- 31st Annual National Juried Photography Exhibition Barrett Art Center Poughkeepsie, NY • Juror E. Jason Wambsgans, 2017 Pulitzer Prize Winner for Photography, Chicago Tribune.
	 13th Annual National Photo Competition fotofoto Gallery Huntington NY Juror Ann M. Jastrab, Gallery Director, RayKo Photo Center in San Francisco
2017	- Dondero, Heydt, McKenzie, Philbrick, Maxwell Mays Gallery, Prov Art Club Providence RI - Be of Love and Other Stories, Contemporary Highlights from the Permanent Collection Newport Art Museum Newport RI - The Road Show The Curator Gallery 520 west 23rd street New York - The 30th Newport Art Museum Annual Members' Juried Exhibition • Juror Sarah Kennel, Byrne Family Curator of Photo, Peabody Essex Museum, Salem, MA.
2016	-Silent Spring Kennard Sculpture Trail Site Specific Kennard Park Newton MA • Juror, Allison Newsome
2015	 Celebrate Art, Rehoboth! Carpenter Museum Rehoboth MA Still Life International Juried Exhibit Center for Fine Art Photography Fort Collins CO Juror Rebecca Senf Director's Cut International Juried Exhibit Atlanta Photography Group Atlanta GA Juror Beth Lilly
	 Earth Elements National Juried Exhibit Providence Art Club Providence RI The William E. Brigham Award Juror Allison Newsome EXPO 34 International Juried Exhibit BJ Spoke Gallery Huntington NY
	 Juror Adrienne Rooney, Curatorial Asst. of the Whitney Museum of American Art Valdosta National 2015 Valdosta Sate University Fine Arts Gallery Valdosta GA On Beauty Center for Fine Art Photography Fort Collins CO Juror Kathleen Clark Director of SPOT Photo Works LA - Directors Award
2014	 - 2014 National Exhibit foto Gallery Huntington NY • Juror Judith Levey - 3rd Place - Periphery Cade Tompkins Projects The RI RISD Alumni Group Providence RI • Curator Cade Tompkins
2013	 Small Worlds Target Gallery Torpedo Factory, Alexandria, VA Juror, Lindsay Harris, National Gallery of Art in Washington, DC. Newport Annual Members' Juried Exhibition Newport Art Museum, Newport, RI Jurors Virginia K. Freyermuth and Nancy Frieses
2012	- Nature Vive & Nature Morte Trustman Art Gallery Simons College, Boston, MA - In The Field Warwick Art Museum, Warwick, RI
2011	 - Art Encounters Preservation Wentworth - Coolidge Mansion, Portsmouth, NH • Curator: Allison Newsome
2010	 - Agriculture Encounters Sculpture Allandale Farm, Brookline, MA • Curator: Allison Newsome -2nd Juried All Media Exhibit Grimshaw-Gudewicz Art Gallery, Fall River, MA • Juror: David B. Boyce, Curatorial Consultant for the New Bedford Art Museum

2008	- Faculty Exhibit Wallace Anderson Gallery, Bridgewater State College, MA - Naestved International Exhibition of Contemporary Mini Square Prints The Print Studio,
2005 2004 2003	Denmark - Fidelity Exhibit, National Open Media Exhibit Providence Art Club, Providence, RI - Drift in -Drift out University of Massachusetts - Dartmouth, N. Dartmouth, MA - Turn Shift Fixate Anderson Gallery, Bridgewater State College, MA - Sanctuaries Marie Louise Trichet Art Gallery, Wisdom House, Litchfield, CT • Juror: Anthony Montoya, Director of the Paul Strand Archive for Aperture - Multi Sensory: Visual Response to Memory and Synesthesia Hera Gallery, Wakefield, RI • Juror: Rachel Rosenfield Lafo, Director of Curatorial Affairs, DeCordova Museum, MA
	 Still Moving Gallery 244, U-Mass Dartmouth, N. Dartmouth, MA Unfurled Newport Art Museum, Newport, RI Glimpse Gallery 244, U-Mass, N. Dartmouth, MA Photographers Plus One Gallery 244, U-Mass, N. Dartmouth, MA Members Exhibit Newport Art Museum, Newport, RI First place in water media
2001	 - RISD - Group Alumni Exhibit Rhode Island School of Design, Sol Koffler Gallery, Providence, RI - Snapshot Contemporary Museum, Baltimore, MD • Curator: Gary Sangster - First Place Toxic Landscapes Gallery X, New Bedford, MA • Juror: Sig Haines
	 Small Works Attleboro Museum, Center for the Arts, Attleboro, MA Jurors: MJ Viano Crow, and John Crow Ph.D.
2000	 - RISD on Point Gallery 5 North, Fort Point, Boston, MA - Works on Paper Providence Art Club, Providence, RI - Small Works Exhibit DeBlois Gallery, Newport, RI
1999	 Convergence Carnegie Art Center, North Tonawanda, NY Juror: Thyrza Nichols Goodeve, Whitney Museum American Visions Museum of Anthropology, California State University, Chico, CA Honorable Mention
1998	 - Faculty Exhibit Anderson Gallery, Bridgewater State College, MA - Woman's Sacred Art Show DeBlois Gallery, Newport, RI - Works on Paper Sarah Doyle Gallery, Brown University, Providence, RI
1997	 - Interiors Providence Art Club, Providence, RI - The Figure Providence Art Club, Providence, RI - Alternative Photography Warde Nasse Gallery, Prince St. NY, NY - Woman's Sacred Art Show DeBlois Gallery, Newport, RI
1996	 - Smart Art Roger Williams University Faculty Exhibit, Bristol Art Museum, Bristol, RI - Photowork'9 6 The Barrett House Galleries, Poughkeepsie, NY • Juror: Miles Barth, Curator of Archives and Collections, The International Center for Photography, NY - Convergence Providence Art Club, Providence, RI • Honorable Mention