

Kristen A. Bishop

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Education

- 2013 - Certificate of Graduate Studies Program, New Brunswick College of Craft & Design, Fredericton, NB
- 2012 - Diploma of Fine Craft and Applied Design in Jewellery/Metal Arts, New Brunswick College of Craft & Design, Fredericton, NB
- 2010 - Certificate of Foundation Visual Arts, New Brunswick College of Craft & Design, Fredericton, NB
- 1996 - Red Seal certified Journeyman Welder

Currently

Studio Technician, Jewellery/Metal Arts, New Brunswick College of Craft & Design, Fredericton, NB, (2013-present)

Exhibitions

- 2021 - *Shorelines by Metal Six*, group exhibition, Sunbury Shores Arts and Nature Centre, St Andrews, NB
- 2019 - *Her Metal*, group exhibition, The Beaverbrook Art Gallery, Fredericton, NB
- 2018 - *Metal Six*, group exhibition, The George Fry Gallery, Fredericton, NB
- 2017 - *Persona*, group exhibition, The George Fry Gallery, Fredericton, NB
- 2016 - *Pride of Place*, group exhibition, The George Fry Gallery, Fredericton, NB, exhibition travelled to The City of Saint John Gallery, St John, NB
 - *What If*, group exhibition, City of Saint John Gallery, Saint John, NB
 - *Spectrum*, juried group exhibition, NB Craft Council Biennale, Sunbury Shores Arts & Nature Centre, Saint Andrews, NB, exhibition travelled to Government House, Fredericton, NB
- 2015 - *Artifact (re)Make*, exhibition and auction, Charlotte Street Arts Centre, Fredericton, NB
- 2014 - *Currents Under Currents*, group exhibition, The George Fry Gallery, Fredericton, NB

- 2013 - *Confluence*, group exhibition, The George Fry Gallery, Fredericton, NB
- *Techshhibition*, group exhibition, New Brunswick College of Craft & Design, Fredericton, NB
 - *Life Circles*, solo exhibition, Gallery 78, Fredericton, NB
 - *SPIRITUS*, group exhibition, The George Fry Gallery, Fredericton, NB
 - *gallery@acts*, group exhibition, Fine Craft Gallery at the Atlantic Craft Trade Show, Halifax, NS
- 2012 - *Nature of Art of Nature*, group exhibition, Nature Trust of New Brunswick, New Brunswick Museum, St John, NB, exhibition travelled to the UNB Art Centre, Fredericton, NB
- *NBCCD Group Exhibition*, Atlantic Craft Trade Show, Halifax, NS
 - *Otherworldly Exhibition*, juried group exhibition, NB Craft Council Biennale, Government House, Fredericton, NB
 - *The Melting Point*, group exhibition, The George Fry Gallery, Fredericton, NB
 - *Inspired By*, Juried National Group Exhibition, Zilberschmuck Gallery, Toronto, Ont, exhibition travelled to Terminal 1 – International Departures Lounge, Toronto Pearson International Airport, Toronto, Ontario
- 2011 - *Superstition*, Juried National Group Exhibition, Zilberschmuck Gallery, Toronto, Ont

Awards

- 2020 - Nel Oudemans Award, The Shelia Hugh Mackay Foundation
- 2018 - New Brunswick Arts Board Creation ‘C’ Grant
- 2013 - Nel Oudemans Memorial Scholarship, The Sheila Hugh Mackay Foundation
- 2012 - Nature Trust of New Brunswick, awarded 2nd place for *Sumac Paths* as part of the juried exhibition: *Art of Nature of Art*, a collaboration with the New Brunswick Museum, College of Craft and Design, Beaverbrook Art Gallery
- New Brunswick Arts Board Career Development Grant
 - Juried Member of the New Brunswick Crafts Council
 - Best in Show, award sponsored by Gallery 78, New Brunswick College of Craft & Design Gallery Show, *The Melting Point*
 - Excellence in Craftsmanship, award sponsored by Bejewel, New Brunswick College of Craft & Design Gallery Show, *The Melting Point*

- 2011 - Duffie-Crowell Award, on behalf of the New Brunswick College of Craft & Design
- New Brunswick Arts Board Student Arts Scholarship
- 2010 - New Brunswick Arts Board Student Arts Scholarship
- New Brunswick College of Craft and Design Scholarship, “Best Graduate Portfolio”

Memberships

Craft NB
 Beaverbrook Art Gallery
 Fredericton Arts Alliance

Presentations and Print

- Her Metal, Jan 2018, artist talk at the Beaverbrook Art Gallery, exhibition catalogue
- Created Here, March 2017, feature article for #100NBartist project
- Nature Trust New Brunswick, Dec. 2012, *Nature of Art of Nature*, exhibition catalogue
- Zilberschmuck Gallery, Toronto, Ontario, June 2012, *Superstition*, exhibition catalogue
- Studio. Craft and Design in Canada, Fall/Winter 2011-2012, NBCCD promotional media on back cover of magazine
- Zilberschmuck Gallery, Toronto, Ontario, June 2011, *Inspired By*, exhibition catalogue

Related Experience

- 2012 - attended SOFA Chicago along with the support of the Atlantic Craft Alliance
- 2011 - Assisted teaching edVentures workshops NBCCD, Fredericton, New Brunswick
- 2012 - Knife Making Course, Chantal Gilbert, New Brunswick College of Craft & Design, Fredericton, NB
- 2009 - Basic Silversmithing course, edVentures Fredericton, NBCCD
- 2009 - Primitive Casting Techniques course, edVentures Fredericton, NBCCD