

Rebecca Chappellear

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Education

MFA, Photography & Integrated Media, Lesley University; Cambridge, MA | 2018
BFA, Photography & Computer Imagery, Shepherd University; Shepherdstown, WV | 2014

Exhibitions & Shows

- 2024 Words & Pictures, An online exhibition hosted by the Center for Fine Art Photography, @icp / icp.org. Juror: Aline Smithson.
- 2023 Call & Response, A collaboration between WCA Carolinas & Alabama chapters. Exhibition of work at Lowe Mill Arts, Huntington, AL and UNCW's Mezzanine Gallery, Wilmington, NC.
Feminist Insight: Continuing Her Story, Fayetteville State University Rosenthal Gallery, Fayetteville, NC / Ellington-White Contemporary Gallery (online). Juror: Soni Martin.
Biennial Faculty Exhibition, UNCW's CAB Gallery, Wilmington, NC.
- 2021 Memory, SouthEast Center for Photography, Greenville, SC. Juror: Fran Foreman.
- 2019 Biennial Faculty Exhibition, UNCW's CAB Gallery, Wilmington, NC.
- 2018 Body of work, Stepfamily, exhibited in Lesley University's MFA Thesis Exhibition.
- 2017 Exhibition of selected works at local business (The Juice Union) Somerville, MA.
- 2015 Questioning Beauty: Idea vs Quality - National Juried Art Show, Cade Art Gallery, Arnold, MD. Juror: David Gariff.
- 2014 Leap Of Faith - A Community Curated Art Experience, Bunker Hill NE, Washington, DC.
Relations & Realities, Senior Capstone Exhibits, Community Club, Shepherdstown, WV.
Appalachian Photography Exhibition, Scarborough Library, Shepherdstown, WV.
- 2013 Group Exhibition, Ideo-Logical, in conjunction with Shepherd University's Art Criticism and Aesthetics course, Phase 2 Gallery, Shepherdstown, WV.
- 2012 Salvaged Art Show, Habitat for Humanity, Winchester, VA.

Publications & Features

- Alumni "Point of Pride", for Shepherd University's Department of Contemporary Art and Theater, 2021
- Frank X Walker Volume VI, Photograph: "Riverside," Anthology of Appalachian Writers, 2014

Professional Experience

- **Instructor** with the University of North Carolina Wilmington's Department of Art & Art History; August 2019 - May 2022 / January 2023 - present
- **Founding Member of the Women's Caucus for Art Carolinas**; June 2020-present. Media Chair January 2021 - December 2022
- **Graphic Designer**, SeaSide Silk Screening; February 2019 - September 2019
- **Teacher Assistant**, Lesley University; September - December 2017
- **Holiday Craft Associate**, November - December 2017. Assisted in the assembly of unique, handcrafted items for company-wide delivery
- **Creative Services Volunteer**, October 2014. Provided a range of services for non-profit organization, Every Child Fed (Washington, DC)
- **Photographer**, MoboPhoto; October 2013 - March 2014
- **Artist Market**: Shepherd University, December 2013