

# CLAIRE A. WARDEN

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## Curriculum Vitae

### Education

- 2024 MFA, Studio Art, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Illinois
- 2010 BFA, Photography, Arizona State University, Herberger Institute of Design and the Arts, Tempe, Arizona
- 2010 BA, Art History, Arizona State University, Herberger Institute of Design and the Arts, Tempe, Arizona

### Solo | Two-Person Exhibitions

- 2022 *Mimesis*, Pictura Gallery, Bloomington, Indiana
- 2019 *Ctrl+P*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, Chicago, Illinois
- 2019 *Mimesis*, Philadelphia Photo Art Center, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- 2019 *Mimesis*, Shortcut Gallery, Phoenix, Arizona
- 2018 *Mimesis*, The Art & Design Gallery, The University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas
- 2018 *Mimesis*, London Gold Gallery, Phoenix, Arizona
- 2017 *Mimesis*, Arizona Community Foundation, Phoenix, Arizona
- 2017 *Mimesis*, Stark Gallery, Phoenix, Arizona
- 2015 *Mimesis*, Colorado Photographic Arts Center, Denver, Colorado
- 2015 *PHOTOGRAPH*, an exhibition with David Emmitt Adams, Kruglak Gallery, Oceanside, California
- 2015 *Mimesis*, Center for Fine Art Photography, Fort Collins, Colorado
- 2014 *Mimesis*, Art Intersection Gallery, Gilbert, Arizona
- 2012 *SALT: Studies in Preservation and Manipulation*, Eye Lounge: contemporary art space, Phoenix, Arizona
- 2008 *In the Shadow of the Volcano*, Buzz Gallery, Phoenix, Arizona

### Selected Juried | Group Exhibitions

- 2021 f22 Gallery Pop-up, Chicago, Illinois
- 2021 *WEST: Arizona Artists of Color*, Scottsdale Public Art Gallery, Arizona
- 2020 *Upon Closer Inspection*, San Diego State University Art Gallery, California
- 2020 A Yellow Rose Project, Texas Christian University, Texas
- 2020 20/20 Eye Lounge Retrospective, Northlight Gallery, Phoenix, Arizona
- 2019 *Qualities of LIGHT*, Center for Creative Photography, Tucson, Arizona
- 2019 *One-of-a-Kind*, Obscura Gallery, Santa Fe, New Mexico
- 2019 *Memento Mori*, Step Gallery, Phoenix, Arizona
- 2019 *Inspired by History*, Chandler History Museum, Chandler, Arizona
- 2019 *The Intentional Hand*, The Bath House Cultural Center, Dallas, Texas
- 2019 *Intersections: Here/There*, Inliquid Gallery, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- 2019 *In, On, and Of Paper*, Bentley Gallery, Phoenix, Arizona
- 2019 *Director's Choice Series*, photo19 Zurich, Switzerland
- 2018 *Re/member/construct*, Filter Photo Gallery, Chicago, Illinois
- 2018 *PHX ART NOW*, Step Gallery, Phoenix, Arizona
- 2018 *Light + Metal. Unique Photographs and Objects*, photo-eye gallery, Santa Fe, New Mexico
- 2018 *Not of This World: Transcending Reality in Photography*, Rick Wester Fine Art, New York, New York
- 2018 *InSight Artist Collaboration*, New City Studio, Phoenix, Arizona
- 2017 *23<sup>rd</sup> Juried Ed Friedman Legacy Exhibition*, Griffin Museum of Photography, Winchester, Massachusetts
- 2017 *Art and Oppression*, CENTER online exhibition, Santa Fe, New Mexico
- 2017 *Call and Response: Art as Resistance*, Strange Fire, online and at Denver Month of Photography
- 2017 *Stillness: Colin Blakely, Kate Breakey, Sean-Paul Pluguez, Claire A. Warden*, Bernal Gallery, Tucson, Arizona
- 2016 *Lemniscate of Diffusion*, A Smith Gallery, Johnson City, Texas
- 2016 *Contemporary Forum Artist Grant Winners*, Phoenix Art Museum, Phoenix, Arizona
- 2016 *Flash Forward Group Exhibition*, Boston, Massachusetts
- 2016 *FotoFilmic 2015 Exhibition*, Space 22 Gallery, Gangnam-gu, Seoul, Korea

2016 *Convergence / PHX–BG*, Cultural Center Gallery, Kragujevac, Serbia, curator Maida Gruden  
 2015 *FotoFilmic 2015 Exhibition*, Burrard Arts Foundation, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada  
 2015 *Cielo, Perro-Lobo*, National Archeology Museum, Guatephoto Festival, Guatemala City, Guatemala  
 2015 *Flash Forward Exhibition*, Division Gallery, Toronto, Ontario, Canada  
 2015 *FotoFilmic 2015 Exhibition*, Sous Les Etoiles Gallery, New York City, New York  
 2015 *Nascent Site: Sight*, Northlight Gallery, Phoenix, Arizona  
 2015 *UnBound4! Exhibition*, Candela Books + Gallery, Richmond, Virginia  
 2015 *Photography Award Exhibition*, Photobook Melbourne Festival, Melbourne, Australia  
 2015 *Convergence / PHX–BG*, City Cultural Center Gallery, Belgrade, Serbia, curator Maida Gruden  
 2014 *Convergence / PHX–BG*, Combine Studios, ASU Art Museum, Phoenix, Arizona, curator Maida Gruden  
 2014 *LensCulture Emerging Talents 2014 Exhibition*, Valid Foto, Barcelona, Spain  
 2014 *20th Juried Exhibition*, Griffin Museum of Photography, Winchester, Massachusetts, juror Aline Smithson  
 2014 *Voertman’s Annual Exhibition*, West Gallery, Texas Woman’s University, Denton, Texas, juror Leigh Arnold  
 2014 *PhotoSpiva 2014 Exhibition*, Spiva Center for the Arts, Joplin, Missouri, juror Dornith Doherty  
 2014 *Emerging Focus Top 20*, photo l.a. 2014, Los Angeles, California, jurors Brian Clamp, Susan Spiritus, Peter Frank and Ken Gonzales-Day  
 2014 *Through a Different Lens: The Ordinary from a Unique Perspective*, University of Dallas Gallery, Irving, Texas  
 2013 *Selected Work: TWU Visual Arts Graduate Students*, Lillian Bradshaw Gallery, Dallas Public Library, Texas  
 2013 *La Lumière Fantastique: Brittany Shines in Baltimore*, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, Maryland  
 2013 *Alfred and Trafford Klots Summer Residency Exhibition*, Léhon, France  
 2013 *American Dream*, Mesa Contemporary Arts Center, Mesa, AZ  
 2012 *8th Annual Juried Alternative Processes Exhibition*, Soho Photo Gallery, New York City, juror Elisabeth Biondi  
 2012 *Transitive Ephemera*, THE Gallery, Be’eri, Israel  
 2012 *Menophem*, Agripas 12 Gallery, Jerusalem, Israel  
 2012 *Transitive Ephemera*, Agripas 12 Gallery, Jerusalem, Israel  
 2012 *FRESH: New Works*, Eye Lounge: A Contemporary Art Space, Phoenix, Arizona  
 2012 *New Images Photography Award*, Gallery Photographica, San Francisco, California, juror Rose Marasco  
 2012 *Illusion*, Center for Fine Art Photography, Fort Collins, Colorado, juror Terry Etherton  
 2012 *Intimacy and Voyeurism: The Public/Private Divide in Photography*, Rayko Photo Center, San Francisco, California, juror Todd Hido  
 2012 *Poetic Object: Still Life as Subject*, PhotoPlace Gallery, Middlebury, Vermont  
 2012 *A Confluence of the Uncanny and Mundane*, Northlight Gallery, Tempe, Arizona, juror Andrea Modica  
 2012 *Distance*, TEJAS Gallery, Dayton, Ohio  
 2011 *Alternative to What?*, Step Gallery, Tempe, Arizona, jurors Jim Hajicek and Carol Panaro-Smith  
 2011 *Art of Photography International Exhibition*, Lyceum Theatre Gallery, San Diego, California, juror Anne Lyden  
 2011 *Eye Candy Group Show*, Eye Lounge: A Contemporary Art Space, Phoenix, Arizona  
 2011 *Natl. Juried Exhibition*, Center for Photography, Steenbock Gallery, Madison, Wisconsin, juror Andy Adams  
 2010 *Elsewhere*, Northlight Gallery, Tempe, Arizona, jurors Robert and Shana ParkeHarrison  
 2010 *Getty Underground*, Getty Center, Los Angeles, California  
 2010 *Paradigm Shift*, BFA Thesis Exhibition, Gallery 100, Tempe, Arizona  
 2010 *An Equation of the Fanciful and Bizarre*, Northlight Gallery, Tempe, Arizona, juror Joel Meyerowitz  
 2009 *Juried Undergraduate Exhibition*, Harry Wood Gallery, Tempe, Arizona, jurors Sam Chung and Forrest Solis  
 2009 *You’re My Only Hope*, Northlight Gallery, Tempe, Arizona, juror Darius Himes  
 2009 *Without. Memory.*, Gallery 100, Tempe, Arizona

#### **Artist Residencies**

2022 Light Work, Syracuse  
 2021 ACRE Residency, Wisconsin  
 2018 LATITUDE, Chicago, Illinois  
 2016 Center for Photography at Woodstock, Woodstock, New York  
 2014 Art Intersection, Gilbert, Arizona (one year)

2013 The Alfred and Trafford Klots International Program for Artists Residency, L hon, France

### **Awards | Honors**

2021 Art for Good Grant, Phoenix, Arizona  
2021 Art Career Advancement Grant Award, Phoenix, Arizona  
2018 Clarence John Laughlin Award finalist, New Orleans Photo Alliance, Louisiana  
2018 Photography Exhibition & Competition, Philadelphia Photo Art Center, Pennsylvania, selected by Lucy Gallun  
2018 92nd Annual International Competition semifinalist, The Print Center, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania  
2017 Ed Friedman Award, Griffin Museum of Photography, Winchester, Massachusetts  
2017 Artist Research and Development Grant, Arizona Commission on the Arts, Phoenix, Arizona  
2015 Critical Mass finalist, Photolucida, Portland, Oregon  
2015 Flash Forward winner, Magenta Foundation, Toronto, Ontario  
2015 Contemporary Forum Artist Grant, Phoenix Art Museum, Phoenix, Arizona  
2015 Professional Development Grant, Arizona Commission on the Arts, Phoenix, Arizona  
2015 New York Times Portfolio Reviews, New York, New York  
2015 FotoFilmic finalist, FotoFilmic, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada  
2015 Photography Award finalist, Photobook Melbourne festival, Melbourne, Australia  
2015 30 Under 30 Women Photographers, Photo Boite, Paris, France  
2014 Top 50 Emerging Talents Award, LensCulture, Paris, France  
2014 Honorable Mention, 2014 PhotoSpiva Exhibition, Joplin, Missouri  
2014 Student Award and Scholarship, Society for Photographic Education, Baltimore, Maryland  
2013 Joyce Elaine Grant Endowment Scholarship, Texas Woman's University, Denton, Texas  
2013 Kobler Visual Arts Scholarship, Texas Woman's University, Denton, Texas  
2013 Individual Artist Grant Award, Creative Capacity Fund, San Francisco, California  
2012 Honorable Mention, Lens Culture International Exposure Awards 2012, Paris, France  
2012 Ted Decker Catalyst Fund Artist Grant, Ted Decker Art Consulting, Phoenix, Arizona  
2010 Dean's List, Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona  
2010 Getty Foundation's Multicultural Grant, Getty Center, Los Angeles, California  
2009 Western Photographic Historical Society Award, Tucson, Arizona

### **Artist Lectures | Panel Discussions**

2022 Yuma Symposium, Arizona  
2021 Artist Talk, Texas Woman's University, Denton, Texas  
2021 *Why Photography?*, Artist Conversation. Center for Creative Photography, Tucson, Arizona  
2021 *Upon Closer Inspection Panel*, San Diego State University, California  
2020 Artist Talk, A Yellow Rose Project, University of Arkansas  
2020 Race, Activism and Photography Symposium, CPW, New York  
2019 Filter Photo Festival, Chicago, Illinois  
2019 Society for Photographic Education Northwest Regional Conference, Fairbanks, Alaska  
2019 Philadelphia Photo Arts Center, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania  
2018 Oklahoma Arts Institute, Quartz Mountain, Oklahoma  
2017 Photography artist lecture, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas  
2017 "Now What?" panel discussion, Arizona State University, Phoenix, Arizona  
2017 Panel discussion, Bernal Gallery, Pima Community College, Tucson, Arizona  
2016 Visiting Artist, State University of New York, New Paltz, New York  
2016 University of North Texas, Denton, Texas  
2016 Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona  
2016 Northlight Gallery, Arizona State University, Phoenix, Arizona  
2015 Colorado Photographic Arts Center, Denver, Colorado  
2015 Kruglak Gallery, Miracosta College, Oceanside, California  
2015 Center for Fine Art Photography, Fort Collins, Colorado

- 2015 Contemporary Forum, Phoenix Art Museum, Phoenix, Arizona
- 2014 InFocus Studio Visit Series, Phoenix Art Museum, Phoenix, Arizona
- 2014 Art Intersection, Gilbert, Arizona
- 2014 Texas Woman's University, Denton, Texas
- 2014 Photography guest lecture, University of North Texas, Denton, Texas
- 2010 Panel Discussion, South Phoenix through the Eyes of Youth, ASU Museum of Anthropology, Tempe, Arizona
- 2010 Western Photographic Historical Society, Tucson, Arizona

### **Selected Bibliography | Publications**

- 2022 A Yellow Rose Project, Texas A&M Press
- 2020 Java Magazine, Creative Couples issue.
- 2020 Analog Forever Magazine, Top 40 Analog Photographs of 2019.
- 2019 Humble Arts Foundation, feature from *Mimesis*.
- 2019 Motherfstop, artist feature on *Mimesis*
- 2018 Photo-Emphasis, featured selection from *Mimesis*.
- 2018 Art + Science, Lenscratch feature.
- 2017 Der Greif Magazine, featured interview and selection from *Mimesis*.
- 2017 OURS Magazine, featured selection from *Mimesis*.
- 2016 LUEL Magazine, featured interview and selection from *Mimesis*.
- 2016 Episode 10: Claire A. Warden, Interview with Mike Sakasegawa, Keep the Channel Open podcast.
- 2015 Strange Fire Collective interview with Hamidah Glasgow, featuring *Mimesis*. Published 26 November 2015.
- 2015 Diffusion 2015 Invitational, Featured artist with selection from *Mimesis*.
- 2015 Grahame, Julie. aCurator Magazine, 30 September 2015. Selection from *Mimesis*.
- 2015 Avedon, Elizabeth. L'Oeil de la Photographie, 24 April 2015. Select images from *Mimesis*.
- 2015 Prism Magazine, Issue No. 19. Published 4 February 2015. Feature on *Mimesis*.
- 2014 Common Ground Journal, Issue No. 2. Published 31 December 2014. Feature on *Salt: Studies in Preservation and Manipulation*.
- 2014 Ross, Deborah, "Mimesis by Claire A. Warden" Online. Visual Art Source, 20 December 2014.
- 2014 Smithson, Aline. "Claire A. Warden: Mimesis" ,Online. Lenscratch, 12 December 2014.
- 2014 "LensCulture Weekly: Claire A. Warden", Online. World Photography Organization, 4 December 2014.
- 2014 The HAND Magazine, Issue No. 4. Published April 2014. Selected images from *Mimesis*.
- 2013 "What Makes My Life Real Simple", In print. Real Simple Magazine, December issue. Single image from *Salt*.
- 2013 Le Jardin de L'abbaye est Vraiment Extraordinaire. Ouest-France, July 7, 2013.
- 2012 Meyers, William. "The Past and the Land in Detail" In print. Wall Street Journal, 16 November 2012.
- 2012 Smithson, Aline. "Claire Warden" Online. Lenscratch, 1 October, 2012.
- 2012 Rabens, Tye. "Platinum, Chemistry, and Creosote in SALT at Eye Lounge" Online. Phoenix New Times, 21 February 2012.
- 2012 *Poetic Objects: Still Life as Subject*, In print. Exhibition catalogue, March 2012.
- 2011 *Art of Photography* exhibition catalogue. In print. Exhibition catalogue, August 2011.
- 2011 Eid, Kholood. "Making Platinum Prints with Claire Warden" Online. Phoenix New Times, 14 July 2011.
- 2011 Eisner-Kleyle, Jessie. "NJE Photographer: Claire Warden" Online. Steenbock CPM blog, 18 February 2011.
- 2010 Whitaker, Liz. "Photographica Digest" Western Photographic Historical Society Publication. Vol. XVII
- 2007 Tso, Susanne. "Student captures beauty, suffering in Mexico" In print. Arizona Republic, 26 September 2007.

### **Collections**

- Center for Creative Photography, Tucson, AZ
- Light Work, Syracuse, NY
- The Center for Photography at Woodstock, Samuel Dorsky Museum of Art, SUNY New Paltz, NY
- Latitude Chicago, Chicago, IL
- Archive 192, Washington D.C.
- Bank of America permanent collection, Dallas, TX

