

JENNY KETTLER

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Education

- 2020** MFA in Photography, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville (SIUE), Edwardsville, IL.
- 2005** BA, Photojournalism, University of Missouri-Columbia, MO.
- 2005** Environmental Studies Certificate, University of Missouri-Columbia, MO.

Academic Appointments

- 2023** **Interim Photography Program Coordinator**
Handled all student and facility needs for the Department of Photography, St. Louis Community College – Forest Park, St. Louis, MO
- 2023-Present** **Adjunct Professor of Photography**
St. Louis Community College, Department of Photography, Forest Park & Meramec
- Darkroom Photography 1
 - Digital Photography
 - History of Photography
- 2023-Present** **Adjunct Professor of Photography**
Maryville University, Visual Art Department, St. Louis, MO
- Commercial Photography
 - Exploratory Photography
- 2023-Present** **Adjunct Professor**
East Central College, Fine Art Department, Union, MO
- Darkroom Photography 1-2
 - Art Appreciation
- 2016-Present** **Adjunct Professor**
Lindenwood University, School of Arts and Humanities, St. Charles, MO.
(Typically 3 courses per semester online or in person)
- Digital Photography 1-3
 - Digital Photography 4 (Graduate thesis class)
 - Photoshop (6 courses)

2013-16

Adjunct Professor

Art Institute of St. Louis, Department of Photography, St. Louis, MO.

- Photojournalism (Typical course load: 2-3 courses per semester)
- Photo Essay I
- Photo Essay II
- Studio and Advanced Lighting
- Creative Photography
- Nature Photography
- Business of Photography
- Project Preparation (capstone class)
- Photoshop
- Photo Criticism
- Editorial Photography
- Exhibition Printing

Workshops & Instructor Experience

- 2023** Recruited and brought in guest artist Richard Sprengeler for a workshop in downtown St. Louis for STLCC students to learn how to photograph architecture in a major metropolitan area.
- 2023** Recruited and brought in commercial photographer Serhii Chrucky to Maryville University. Students learned about the business of high-end photography and state of the art editing practices from a photographer who's represented by a firm in New York.
- 2022** *Cyanotypes: The Magic of Alternative Photography Workshop*, International Photography Hall of Fame Museum, St. Louis, MO.
- 2020- 2022** Education and Program Director, Foundry Art Centre, St. Charles, MO.
- 2020** *Leaving an Impression*, Cyanotype Workshop, Mildred Lane Kemper Art Museum, Washington University in St. Louis, MO.
- 2019-2020** Education Program Coordinator, Laumeier Sculpture Park, St. Louis, MO.
- 2019** Photo Instructor, Photo Montages, Summer Arts Camp, SIUe
- 2018** Teaching Artist, Regional Arts Commission, St. Louis, MO.
Help students activate artistry and creative thinking with lesson plans in support of excursions to: St. Louis Art Museum, Laumeier Sculpture Park & St. Louis Symphony.
- 2018** Curator and Community Organizer, *Plastic Nation: Trashing of America*.
Responsible for: Inviting and curating artists for a community art show on plastic, secure sponsorship and donations, install exhibition and advertising/marketing for the event.
- 2018** Workshop Instructor, *Lumen Printing Process*, Montessori Workplace Forest School, St. Louis, MO (youth and adults).
- 2017** Art Teacher, Teen Apprentice Program, Intersect Arts Center, St. Louis, MO.

- 2015** Workshop Instructor, "Finding Stillness: Nature Photography at Hawn State Park," Sponsored by the Art Institute of St. Louis and REI's Outdoor School.
- 2007** Workshop Instructor, "Introduction to Photography," Kannada School, Bangalore, India.

Conference Presentations, Juror & Artist Talks

- 2023** Judge and Curator, *Shrode Photography Competition and Exhibit*, Cedarhurst Center for the Arts, Mt. Vernon, IL.
- 2023** Guest Artist, *The Midwest Women Artist Symposia*, Portfolio Reviews at Bradley University, Peoria, IL.
- 2022** Juror, *Beyond the Lens XVI show*, Framations Gallery, St. Charles, MO.
- 2019** Artist Conference Presentation: "Eco-Art and Photography: Finding Focus in a Time of Climate Change." *Communities, Collaborations and Collectives*, Society for Photographic Education Midwest Conference (SPE), Milwaukee, WI.
- 2019** Photography Mentor, "Welcome Neighbor: Portraits of Immigrant Families," Central Library in collaboration with Webster University, St. Louis, MO.
- 2018-23** Photography Judge, Fayette Festival of the Arts, Amateur and Professional Division, Fayette, MO.
- 2017** Photography Judge, Edwardsville Public Library Photo Contest, Edwardsville, IL.
- 2015** Guest Lecture, "Selling Yourself and the Business of Photography," Photography Department, University of Missouri-St. Louis (UMSL), MO.
- 2010** Guest Lecture, "The Art of Documentary Photography," Missouri School of Journalism, University of Missouri-Columbia, MO.

Solo & Group Exhibitions

- 2023** *CARE Exhibition*, Red Gate Gallery, Clayton, MO.
- 2023** *Maryville Faculty Show*, Maryville University, Town and County, MO.
- 2022** *Lindenwood Faculty Show*, Foundry Art Centre, St. Charles, MO.
- 2020** *Reclaiming Gaia*, Solo Exhibition, Stone Spiral Gallery, St. Louis, MO.
- 2020** *MFA Exhibition*, Art & Design Gallery, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, IL.
- 2020** *Women Speak 1920-2020*, Jacoby Arts Center, Group Exhibition, Alton, IL
- 2020** *Midwest Midwinter: An Exhibition of Midwest Undergraduate Photography Professor's Work*, Group Exhibition, Minneapolis College of Art and Design, Minneapolis, MN.
- 2020** *Beyond the Lens XIV: A Photography Exhibition*, Framations Gallery, St. Charles, MO.
- 2017-20** *The Annual Juried Student Group Exhibition*, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, IL.
- 2018** *Plastic Nation: The Trashing of America Exhibition*, Stone Spiral Gallery, STL, MO.
- 2018** *Hybridity*, Group Exhibition, Edwardsville Art Center, Edwardsville, IL.
- 2018** *Friends of Art Silent Auction*, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, IL.
- 2017** *The Wishing Tree*, Solo Installation, City of Maplewood, MO.

- 2016** *Before I Die, I Will Help Nature By...* Solo Installation, Ryan Hummert Park, STL, MO.
- 2011** *Listening to the Landscape*, Group Exhibition, Noumenon Gallery, Columbia, MO.
- 2009** *Visions of Earth*, Solo Exhibition, Teller's Gallery, Columbia, MO.
- 2007** *Incredible India*, Solo Exhibition, Studio E, Columbia, MO.

Awards & Grants

- 2020** A Sustaining Arts Practice Fund (ASAP Fund) from Pulitzer Arts Foundation and the Sam Fox School of Design & Visual Arts at Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2020** Member Program Grant, Mildred Lane Kemper Art Museum, Washington University in St. Louis, MO.
- 2020** Art Service Award, *The Annual Juried Student Group Exhibition*, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, IL.
- 2019** Graduate Research Grant, *Consume with Care* project, SIUE
- 2018-19** Dr. Orville Joyner Photography Digital Arts Award from SIUE.
- 2017** Digital Photographic Imagers Club Photo Award from SIUE.
- 2016** Home Depot Community Art Grant, Brentwood Home Depot, St. Louis, MO.
- 2010** 2nd Place Professional Photography, 15th Annual Visions Photography Contest, Columbia, MO.

Related Experience

- 2006-07** Photo Editor & Head Photographer, *Columbia Business Times*, *Columbia Home and Lifestyle Magazine*, *Jefferson City Magazine*, *Jefferson City Business Times*, Columbia, MO.
- 2005-06** Staff Photographer & Managing Editor, *Fayette Newspapers*, Fayette, MO.

Selected Bibliography

- 2023** [Shrode Photography Competition, Photography Judge, Sentinel Newspaper, IL.](#)
- 2018** Jean Ponzi, ["Artist Takes On Plastic Pollution and Invasive Bush Honeysuckle,"](#) *KDHX's Earthworms Podcast*. March 20, 2018. <http://earthworms.kdhxtra.org/>
- 2016** Doug Miner, ["Students install international art project in Ryan Hummert Park,"](#) *40 South News*, August 11, 2016. <http://40southnews.com/>
- 2009** David Reed, ["Visions of Earth: A travel and art photography exhibit,"](#) *Columbia Business Times*, June Edition, Columbia, MO.
- 2009** Jenny Kettler, ["Sky High Fashion,"](#) *Columbia Home and Lifestyle Magazine*, March/April
- 2008** Jenny Kettler, ["Cold Weather Couture,"](#) *Columbia Home and Lifestyle Magazine*, Dec/Jan
- 2005** Jenny Kettler, *Rural Missouri Magazine*, August Edition.
["Graceful Gliders – The Midwestern Soaring Association takes to the sky."](#)

Professional Affiliations: Society for Photographic Education (SPE) | *The Midwest Women Artist Symposia*.