

## Jesse Taylor

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### Education

Oregon College of Art and Craft, B.F.A. 2010-2014  
Portland Community College, Art Transfer. 2008-2010

### Ceramics Background

I majored in ceramics for a BFA at OCAC, and have been a ceramics tech since 2017 at Multnomah Arts Center. I do all the glaze mixing, kiln loading, as well as the firings. I help run open studios and occasionally will sub a class. We do cone 10 reduction and Raku as well. This year I built a small cross draft propane kiln in a friend's backyard. I've also done a lot of mixed media sculpture and installation.

### Employment

Multnomah Art Center Ceramics Studio Tech, Portland, OR. 2017-Present  
Bill Will Studio Assistant, Portland, OR. 2014- 2020  
NCECA booth installation for Mudshark Studios, Portland, OR. Event- 2017  
Oregon Historical Society preparator, Portland, OR. 2016  
Grand Design, installation crew, Portland, OR. 2014  
Elizabeth Spavento Curator Assistant, Portland, OR. 2014  
Emily Nachison Studio Assistant – Portland, OR. 2013

### Exhibitions

- 2023** MAC Holiday Sale  
MAC Spring Sale
- 2020** The Fresh Pot Solo Show – February  
Flux Space Group Show – Monthly
- 2019** Charity Auction for JOIN PDX – September  
6x6x2019 Rochester Contemporary Art Center – Annual Group Show  
Gallery 101 – Super Salon II Group Show  
The Side Door – January Group Show  
Warehouse 640 - Monthly Group Show
- 2018** The Big Picture Project – Online Collaboration  
Gallery Without Walls Group Public Sculpture Exhibit – 2018-20  
510 Gallery Process – August Group Show  
Side Door February - Solo Show  
Warehouse 640 - Monthly Group Show
- 2017** Warehouse 640 - Monthly Group Show May- Current
- 2016** Little Free Gallery Project  
ActivSpace – October Group Show
- 2014** Portland Building Installation Space  
Art Space – We Love Clean Rivers Charity Auction  
NE 10<sup>th</sup> and Hoyt – Juncture - OCAC Thesis Exhibition

OCAC Hoffman Gallery - Object Show  
OCAC Hoffman Gallery - Thesis Exhibition  
OCAC - Student Ceramic Exhibition  
Tool in Hand - Museum of Contemporary Craft Award  
OCAC Hoffman Gallery - Juried Student Show  
Dick Blick Student Art Exhibition – 2 Portland locations  
**2013** OCAC Hoffman Gallery - Juried Student Show

**Awards, Publication, and Commissions**

2020 Commission Bufflehead Duck Sculpture  
2019 Oregon Art Beat Season 20 Episode 9 (Lake Oswego Gallery Without Walls)  
2018 Artists Talk Gallery 510 Lake Oswego September 2018  
2015 Invisible Bear Publication- Issue #1 -Work in Publication  
2014 OCAC Thesis Artists Talk  
RACC - Portland Building Installation Space  
Museum of Contemporary Craft - Tool at Hand PDX Challenge  
OCAC Commitment to Craft Scholarship  
Niche Award Finalist – Mixed Media Category  
OCAC Deans Scholarship – Four Years