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Exhibition and Projects (past ten years; *solo and 2-person shows marked by asterisk)

- 2010 • *ScarStories, interactive online project*: <http://www.barbararitajenny.com/scar-stories/index.php>, February launch
- 2008 • *Four Views*, H Horton Jr Gallery at San Joaquin Delta College, 4-person exhibit, Stockton, CA, August 21 – September 18
• *Contemporary Collaborations: Artist and Master Printmaker*, Portland Museum of Art, Portland, ME, May 24 - August 10
- 2007 • *Sun Pictures to Mega-Pixels*, Williamsburg Art and Historical Society, Brklyn, NY, 9/22 – 11/04
• *Anthromorph*, ICA@MECA, 4-person exhibit, Portland, ME, Sept 5 – Oct 6
• *New Art Collective*, Montserrat Gallery, Beverly, MA June 8 – August 10
• *Momentum V*, George Marshall Store, York, ME, April 28 – June 3
• **Body Eclectic*: Artwork by Barbara Rita Jenny and Nita Kehoe, The Art Gallery at Western Wyoming Community College, Jan 26 - Feb 23, 2007
- 2006 • **Kaleidoskins* launch event, First Night© Portsmouth, NH—launch of interactive web art project
• Whitney Artworks, Holiday Mixer, December
• *Momentum IV*, George Marshall Store, York, ME, Spring
- 2005 • **Whitney Artworks*, 2-person show + Solo Room *installation*, Portland, ME, June 23 – July 22
• *Momentum III*, George Marshall Store, York, ME, April 30 – June 5
• *Overnight Art!*, temporary outdoor public commissions, Goodwin Park, City of Portsmouth, NH, April 1 - 17
• Grand Re-Opening Exhibit, Whitney ArtWorks, Portland, ME, April 1 - May
- 2004 • **Space Gallery Storefront Window Project: SkinCrawl!*; in conjunction with Mark Mothersbaugh *Beautiful Mutants*, Portland ME, September
• *In my Backyard*, group art event of alternative art and new media, Freeport, ME, 8/20-23
- 2003 • ICA @ MECA, Maine College of Art 2003 Alumni/ae Exhibition, jurors: Allison Ferris, William Pope L., and Angela Adams, Portland, ME Nov/Dec
• *Art and Technology*, Olin Fine Arts Center, Washington & Jefferson College, PA Nov/Dec
• *The Human Condition*, Robert A. Peck Gallery, Central Wyoming College, Oct/Nov
• Fall Juried Exhibit, Gallery at 100 Market St., Portsmouth, NH, Aug-Nov
• *In my Backyard*, group art happening of alternative and new media, Freeport, ME, 8/1
• Lassonde Annual Juried Exhibit, Robert Lincoln Levy Gallery, Portsmouth, NH
- 2002 • Biennial Art Faculty Art Exhibit, Lamont Gallery at the Frederick R. Mayer Art Center, Phillips Exeter Academy, Exeter, NH 11/1 – 12/11
• New York Independent Art Fair at the Art Cult Center >Tabakmuseum<, MuseumsQuartier, Vienna, Austria; September 9-15, 2002— *an invitational to honor U.S. Artists during the One-Year Anniversary of 9/11* (see Grants & Awards section, next page)
• *In my Backyard*, group art happening of alternative and new media, Freeport, ME, July
• Maine College of Art (MECA) MFA Thesis Exhibit, Portland, ME 5/11-6/9
• *Digital Art 2002*, Art Area, Kentucky State University, 4/22 - 5/10

- Annual Juried Exhibition of NH Artists, Currier Gallery of Art, Manchester, NH 2/1-3/3
 - **Subtle Bodies*, in conjunction with exhibit, *Digital Frontiers*, Lamont Gallery, Phillips Exeter Academy, Exeter, NH 1/7-2/9
- 2001 • *In my Backyard*, group art happening of alternative and new media, Freeport, ME, July
- 2000 • Biennial Art Faculty Show, Lamont Gallery, Phillips Exeter Academy, Exeter, NH
 • Lasonde Annual Juried Exhibit, Robert Lincoln Levy Gallery, Portsmouth, NH

Professional Residencies & Workshops

- 2010 *ArtWorks* Artist Residency at Portsmouth Middle School—two 6-class sessions: introduce students to my work and professional life, and lead a digital pattern-based project
- 2007/8/9 *Digitizing Your Portfolio*: three workshops sponsored by the NH State Council on the Arts, presented in Portsmouth and twice in Concord; designed and presented lecture and handouts for regional artists
- 2007/8/9 MECA Annual Alumni Print Session: visiting artist and facilitator for 4-day residency to assist in production of themed print suite

Public Art

- *ScarStories*, interactive online project. <http://www.barbararitajenny.com/scar-stories/index.php>
- *Kaleidoskins*, automated projection, in conjunction with the 2007 Boston CyberArts Festival, RiverRun Bookstore, Portsmouth, NH, April 27+28 – *storefront window digital projection*
- *Kaleidoskins*—interactive web art project, <http://barbararitajenny.net/kaleidoskins>
- *Overnight Art!*, temporary outdoor public commissions, Goodwin Park, City of Portsmouth, NH, April 1 – 17
- *SkinCrawl*; Space Gallery Storefront Window Project, Portland ME, September 2004
- ArtRocks!—grant-writer and facilitator for collaborative community public art projects in Portsmouth, NH
- Very Special Arts NH Public Art Project—series of murals for the Portsmouth Parking Garage, created with ten underprivileged teens and three professional artists, Summer 1995
- Waiting Room mural, Orange Memorial Hospital Orange, NJ, 1984

Selected Public & Corporate Collections and Commissions

- Hennepin County Medical Center Minneapolis, MN
- Nature Conservancy of Maine
- Jenny Engineering Corporation Springfield, NJ
- Dartmouth College Hanover, NH
- Epsilon Kappa, Dartmouth College Hanover, NH
- Portland Museum of Art Portland, ME

Grants/Awards

- 2008 Artist Entrepreneurial Grant, New Hampshire State Council on the Arts and NEA
- 2007 Artist Opportunity Grant, New Hampshire State Council on the Arts and NEA
- 2006 2006 Grant Winner, \$30,000 Artist Advancement Grant, NH Charitable Foundation-Piscataqua Region
- 2005 Finalist, 2005 Artist Advancement Grant, NH Charitable Foundation-Piscataqua Region
- 2004 2005 New Hampshire State Council on the Arts Fellow—including an unrestricted grant funded in part by the National Endowment for the Arts
- Finalist, 2004 Artist Advancement Grant, Greater Piscataqua Community Foundation of the NH Charitable Fund
- 2003 Phillips Exeter Academy Faculty Grant
- 2002 Winner, New York Independent Art Fair/Art Collectors Club of Vienna, National Emerging Artist Competition, 5/28
- 2001 Student Grant, Alfred T. Granger Student Art Trust Fund of the New Hampshire Charitable Foundation
- 1997 Artist Grant, Vermont Studio Center, Artist-in-Residence
- 1995 Mayor's award for Murals in the Parking Garage, City of Portsmouth, NH
- 1991 Earthwatch Payson Grant for Maine Artists

Selected Bibliography

- 2007 *Boston Sunday Globe*, June 24, "Systems, patterns, repetition," Visual Arts review
Portsmouth Herald, Saturday April 28, "What is That?" page A3
Portsmouth Herald, Thursday April 26, "Getting Under Your Skin," cover of "iT" section
- 2006 *New Hampshire Sunday News (Fosters)*, December 10, "SkinTight," Arts & Entertainment cover story
- Portsmouth Herald*, September 11, "An Artist on the Move," Entertainment section cover story
- 2005 *Portsmouth Herald*, April 4, "'Sidewalk Skins' grab city viewers' attention", feature
- 2004 *The Wire* October 13 "Barbara Rita Jenny: Body Shaper"
- 2002 *Maine Sunday Telegram* July 7 "Flesh with Success: MECA grad makes good"
- 1996 *The Boston Sunday Globe* February 18 "Two exhibits highlight women artists"
- 1995 *Portsmouth Weekly* July 13 local art page, photo and listing
- 1995 *The Boston Sunday Globe* July 2 "Art in the Outdoors," New Hampshire Weekly, Arts & People cover photo
- 1994 *The Boston Sunday Globe* October 9, "Up Close and Personal," New Hampshire Weekly Arts & People cover article and photo
- 1992 *Weekend, Events* January 1-3 "Pictures at an Exhibition,
Forbes Newspapers Watchung Center features New Artists"

Curatorial Experience

many exhibits curated for non-profit galleries; comprehensive list provided upon request

- 2003 curator: ***Aliens in America: Others in the USA***, participating artists include Oscar Caballero, Ása Chibás, Wenda Gu, Cyriaco Lopes, Shazia Sikander, Dragica Susanj, He Wei, Katarina Weslien, Krzysztof Wodiczko

Professional Service

- Board Member and former Director, Exeter Center for Creative Arts (ECCA), Exeter, NH
- Mayor's Blue Ribbon Committee on Arts and Culture, Portsmouth, NH—1999-2002
- Juror, Exeter Winterfest Snow Sculpture—2003, 2001, 2000, 1998
- Curator of various exhibits of contemporary art for the Lamont Gallery
- Founder and director of former not-for-profit Hanky Factory Gallery in Exeter, NH

Professional Affiliations

- New Hampshire Art Association—Juried member since March 1994
- College Art Association

Education

M.F.A.	2002	Studio Art + Critical Theory	Maine College of Art (MECA)
B.A.	1988	Visual Studies major Concentration in Film Studies; Certification in Environmental Studies	Dartmouth College
Diploma	1984	Germain Glidden Prize for Excellence in Art; High Honors	Phillips Exeter Academy

Employment

Seacoast Academy, September 2008 – present, part-time Visual Arts teacher for private middle school
Phillips Exeter Academy, 1994-2004, Instructor in Art; Interim Gallery Director 1996-1998

Personal

- born: Newark, New Jersey U.S.A. 1966
- married, two children