

## **Julia “Caroline” Youngblood**

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### **Education**

2011 Master of Fine Arts: Drawing and Painting/Louisiana Tech University/Ruston, LA  
2003 Bachelor's of Fine Arts: Drawing and Painting/Louisiana State University-Baton Rouge, LA/ Minor: French language/ Magna cum Laude  
2004-05 Master of Fine Arts: Drawing and Painting/Syracuse University-Syracuse, New York

### **Awards**

2011 Juror's Choice Award/ Second Annual Drawing Discourse/ Tucker- Cooke Gallery Asheville, North Carolina/ Juror: Alex Kavnesky  
2008- present Teaching Assistantship/Louisiana Tech University-Ruston, Louisiana  
2004-2005 Fellowship and Dean's Scholarship/ Teaching Assistantship/Syracuse University-Syracuse, New York

### **Teaching Experience**

2008-present Teaching Assistant, Louisiana Tech University- Ruston, Louisiana

- Drawing I, Winter 2011
- Figure Drawing, Fall 2010
- Advanced Drawing, Spring 2010
- Intro to Computer Design, Winter 2009-2010
- Basic Design, Fall 2009
- Drawing II, Winter 2008-09
- Color Theory, Spring 2009
- Drawing I, Fall 2008

2007 Teacher, Caldwell Parish High School - Columbia, Louisiana

- English I
- Education for Careers

2004-2005 Teaching Assistant, Syracuse University- Syracuse, New York

- Watercolor I (2004-2005) Instructor of Record

### **Professional Experience**

2007-present Gallery Committee/Louisiana Tech University/Ruston, Louisiana  
2007-present Barista/ Painter and Decorator/Starbucks Corporation/Monroe,Louisiana  
2006-2007 Gallery Assistant/Taylor Clark Gallery/Baton Rouge, Louisiana  
1998- 2005 Painter/ Balfour House/ Baton Rouge, Louisiana

### **Solo Exhibitions**

2010 Inside Indigo Alternative Exhibition Space/ Monroe, Louisiana  
Chartreuse Pear Alternative Exhibition Space/ Ruston, Louisiana

- Pearl Pumpfrey's Alternative Exhibition Space/ West Monroe, Louisiana  
Arlette Alternative Exhibition Space/ Monroe, Louisiana
- 2009      *Art Crawl/ Lu San Alternative Exhibition Space/ Monroe, Louisiana*
- Louisiana State University School Music Performance and Silent Auction*  
Dixie Center for the Performing Arts/Ruston, Louisiana
- 2008      *Recent Paintings/The Schepis Museum/Columbia, Louisiana*

## **Juried and Group Exhibitions**

- 2011**      *Second Annual Drawing Discourse/ Tucker-Cooke Gallery/ Asheville, North Carolina/Juror: Alex Kavnesky*
- 2010**      *Art Melt- The Louisiana State Museum/ Baton Rouge, Louisiana*  
Jurors: Andrea Pollan, Denny Mecham, Paul Dean  
*Art from the G.U.T/ Enterprise Center Art Gallery/ Ruston, Louisiana*  
Juror: Evelyn Pell  
*Art Crawl/ The Upstairs Gallery/Monroe, Louisiana*
- 2009**
- Equinox/Contemporary Artist Exhibition/Enterprise Center Art Gallery/Ruston, Louisiana*  
Jurors Marie Bukowski and Nicholas Bustamante
- 2010 MFA Student Show/Enterprise Center Art Gallery/Ruston, Louisiana*
- Holiday Arts Tour/Thousand Words Gallery/Ruston, Louisiana*
- Art and Folk Festival /Schepis Museum/First Place/Columbia, Louisiana*
- Art Crawl/ Mystic Gallery/Monroe, Louisiana*
- Arlette, Alternative Exhibition Space/Monroe, Louisiana*
- Gypsy's Alternative Exhibition Space/Monroe, Louisiana*
- Art Melt/ Brunner Gallery/Shaw Center for the Arts/Baton Rouge, Louisiana*  
Jurors: Dan Cameron, Brian Young, and Ann Connelly
- OX 09/Contemporary Artist Exhibition/Enterprise Center Art Gallery/Ruston, Louisiana*  
Jurors: Marie Bukowski and Nicholas Bustamante
- 2008**      *Contemplative Grounds/MFA Candidate Exhibition/Enterprise Center Art Gallery/ Ruston, Louisiana*
- 2007**      *Art Melt/Brunner Gallery/Shaw Center for the Arts/Baton Rouge, Louisiana*  
Jurors:

## **Lectures**

Lincoln Parish Elementary School's Art Lecture Series: "Quilts and Painting"  
The Enterprise Center, Ruston, Louisiana (November 8, 2008)

## **Bibliography**

Gartman, Susan "Caroline Youngblood's Art", *The Caldwell Watchman*. (June 20, 2008): page 1A

"Art Show at the Schepis", *The Monroe News-Star*. (July 1, 2008). Page 1A

"What's Hot", *The Monroe News Star*. (June 14, 2008): 2D

Armstard, Terrance "An Artsy Passion", *The Monroe News Star*. (September 21, 2009): page 1B

Temple, Stacy "Artifacts from the Past", *The Monroe News Star*. (October 11, 2009): Page 1D

## **Public collections**

"In Memory of Dr. Terry Thompson"/The Schepis Museum/ Columbia, Louisiana  
8 Private Collections

## **Community Involvement and Service**

Volunteer /The Schepis Museum/ Columbia, Louisiana

Volunteer for Food Pantry/First Methodist Church/Columbia, Louisiana

Volunteer/ KEDM 90.3, an NPR station

Volunteer/Baton Rouge Gallery- Center for Contemporary Art

Volunteer Children's Art Instructor/Baton Rouge Arts Council

Volunteer Children's Art Instructor/Shaw Center for the Arts/Baton Rouge, LA

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## **Professional Memberships**

The Schepis Museum Member/ Columbia, Louisiana

## **Skills**

Proficient with French and Cajun French languages

Proficient with Microsoft Word

Proficient with Blog Software

Experience with 35mm photography and darkroom processes