

CELESTE NEUHAUS

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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| 2018 - present | Originator and Guide
<i>Conjure Creativity</i> |
| 2015 - 2018 | Adjunct Professor
<i>Carnegie Mellon University, School of Art, Pittsburgh</i>
Concepts I: Self and the Human Being
Concepts II: Space and Time
Concepts III: Systems and Processes
Senior Studio |
| 2015 - 2018 | Art Instructor
<i>Carnegie Mellon University Pre-College Program, School of Art, Pittsburgh</i>
Concepts I: Self and the Human Being
Concepts II: Systems and Processes
Drawing
Sculpture
Workshops in: Performance Art, Land Art, and Magic in Art |
| 2014 - 2016 | Art Instructor
<i>Environmental Charter School, Mattress Factory Museum, Pittsburgh Center for the Arts, Propel Schools, Society for Contemporary Craft, Pittsburgh</i>
Eco Art
Installation Art
Performance Art
Mixed Media
Sculpture |
| 2010 - 2013 | Instructor of Record
<i>University of New Mexico, Albuquerque</i>
Interdisciplinary Foundations I
Interdisciplinary Foundations II
Drawing I |

2010 - 2013	Art Instructor Harwood Art Center, Escuela Del Sol, Albuquerque Color Theory Drawing Mixed Media Painting Performance Art Sculpture
2005-2010	Chicago Public Schools with After School Matters, Marwen, Old Town School of Folk Music, Chicago Drawing Filmmaking Painting Performance Art Printmaking Sculpture Video Art

EDUCATION

Post Graduate Certification in Ecopsychology 2025 Pacifica Graduate School

MFA 2013 University of New Mexico, Albuquerque

BFA 2003 University of Illinois at Chicago (cum laude)

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS / PERFORMANCES / SCREENINGS

2026	<i>Four Fields</i> , Tree Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA
2026	<i>*Mothering the Exile</i> , In Observance Performance Series, Center for PostNatural History, Pittsburgh, PA
2026	<i>*Hatching the Plot</i> , In Observance Performance Series, Center for PostNatural History, Pittsburgh, PA
2026	<i>*STATE CHANGE</i> , Bunker Projects, Pittsburgh, PA
2026	<i>Spring Show</i> , Erie Museum of Art, Erie, PA
2026	<i>*Licking The Wound</i> , In Observance Performance Series, Center for PostNatural History, Pittsburgh, PA
2025	<i>*Angel of Mercy</i> , The Courts, Pittsburgh, PA
2025	<i>Where's the Fruit?</i> , Submersive HQ, Baltimore, MD
2025	<i>*Mother of Exiles</i> , Center for PostNatural History, Pittsburgh, PA
2025	<i>Samhain</i> , Bantha Tea Bar, Pittsburgh PA
2025	<i>***Poems for Tax Day</i> , Glitterbox Theater, Homestead PA

2025 *Beltaine*, Bantha Tea Bar, Pittsburgh PA

2024 **Medicine Cabinet*, Bittner Distributors Warehouse, Pittsburgh, PA

2024 *Creative Call to Action for Pgh Artists to Unite in Support of a Permanent Ceasefire and an end to Palestinian Genocide*, Navushouse, Pittsburgh, PA

2024 *Materia Prima*, Society's Cliff, Pittsburgh PA

2024 *Ablution*, Bantha Tea Bar, Pittsburgh, PA

2023 ****Lovely Wonder Super Show*, Bantha, Pittsburgh, PA

2023 *Alchemical Imagination*, Golden Dome School, online exhibition

2023 *Queer Ecology Hanky Project*, Quarter Gallery at Regis Center for Art at University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN

2022 ****Clearing The Air*, Telephone, Pittsburgh, PA

2022 *Currency, Cosmology, and Culture*, Goggleworks Center For The Arts, Reading, PA

2022 ***CONFLUX*, Explorer River Boat, Pittsburgh, PA

2022 *Queer Ecology Hanky Project*, Zygote Press, Cleveland OH

2021 *Queer Ecology Hanky Project*, Women's Studio Workshop, Rosendale, NY

2021 *Swan Song*, Phosphor Project Space, Pittsburgh, PA

2021 *(s)mother*, Bethany Arts Center, Bethany, NY

2020 ***Watching the Witness Observe*, Center for PostNatural History, Pittsburgh, PA

2020 *Queer Ecology Hanky Project*, Irma Freeman Center, Pittsburgh, PA

2020 **through our tears the spectrum appears*, small mall, Pittsburgh, PA

2019 *Root Spells*, White Page Gallery, Minneapolis, MN

2019 **RELEASE*, Phosphor Project Space, Pittsburgh, PA

2019 *Ten Futures*, Cultural Trust 937 Gallery, Pittsburgh, PA

2018 ****Venus Goes Rx*, 3577 Studios, Pittsburgh, PA

2018 **RAGE*, Bunker Projects, Pittsburgh, PA

2018 *Sagittarium Annual Art Show*, Golden Thread Temple, Pittsburgh, PA

2018 **I'll*, Herron School of Art and Design, Indiana University, Indianapolis, IN

2018 *Intimate Subjects*, Carnegie Museum of Art, Pittsburgh, PA

2018 *Clitorcocks*, Glitter Box, Pittsburgh, PA

2018 *Boundless*, Community Forge, Pittsburgh, PA

2017 *Sagittarium Annual Art Show*, Golden Thread Temple, Pittsburgh, PA

2017 ***Sputter: or The Domestication of Earth Energy*, Studio for Creative Inquiry, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA

2017 ***Wild Little Things That Shine Obstinate*ly, Sanitary Tortilla Factory, Albuquerque, NM

2017 *Fermentation*, Glitter Box, Pittsburgh, PA

2016 *Krampusnacht*, Co-Prosperity Sphere, Chicago, IL

2016 *Lightlab 15*, Wood Street Galleries, Pittsburgh, PA

2016 *Reimagining Magical Realism- A Look Beyond the Fantastic*, Jask Gallery, Pittsburgh, PA

2016 *CSA PGH s(mall)*, SPACE, Pittsburgh, PA

2016 *ReMIX Melee*, Sweetwater Center for the Arts, Sewickley, PA

2016 *Sound/Video*, Comfort Station, Chicago, IL

2016 *John Riegert*, SPACE, Pittsburgh, PA

2016 *Destroy to Create*, The Make Space, Harrisburg, PA

2016 *The Long Song*, Public Performance, Pittsburgh, PA

2016 *Performance Art Festival '16*, SPACE Pittsburgh, PA

2016	<i>Memory 4</i> , New Hazlett Theater, Pittsburgh, PA
2016	<i>Clear Boundaries</i> , The School House, Munhall, PA
2016	** <i>Compliance/Resistance</i> , Neu Kirche Contemporary Art Center, Pittsburgh, PA
2015	<i>Non-Grata International Performance Art Festival</i> , Temple Ov Thee Holy Whore, Pittsburgh, PA
2015	<i>Humanimalands</i> , School of Visual Art, New York, NY
2015	<i>Pure Aqua Show</i> , P.A.A.J., Los Angeles, CA
2015	<i>Krampusnacht</i> , Co-Prosperity Sphere, Chicago, IL
2015	<i>Six Flags</i> , Floor Length and Tux, Chicago, IL
2015	** <i>Memory 4</i> , Wood Street Galleries, Pittsburgh, PA
2015	<i>Pneuma</i> , Babyland, Pittsburgh, PA
2015	** <i>Memory 4</i> , Alloy Theater, Pittsburgh, PA
2015	<i>Smoke and Mirrors</i> , 6 x Ate, Mattress Factory, Pittsburgh, PA
2015	<i>A Gathering</i> , Comfort Station, Chicago, IL
2014	<i>Pittsburgh Biennial</i> , Miller Gallery, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA
2013	*To: <i>Cosmos From: Chaos</i> , Albuquerque Contemporary Art Center, Albuquerque, NM
2012	<i>Trade Winds Revival</i> , International Symposium for Electronic Art, Albuquerque, NM
2011	<i>Land Arts</i> , SCA Contemporary, Albuquerque, NM
2011	*Dia de los Muertos , Centro del Arte, El Paso, TX
2011	<i>In Your Ear</i> , collaboration with Neighborhood Public Radio, Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles, CA
2011	<i>Cabin-Specific</i> , Albuquerque Press Club, Albuquerque, PA
2011	<i>Fading or Epitaph for my Heart</i> , Strangelight, Chicago, IL
2010	<i>At First Sight</i> , Albuquerque Contemporary Art Center, Albuquerque, NM
2010	*Falling Into Place , Nightingale, Chicago, IL

* Indicates solo shows and performances

** indicates two-person shows and performances

*** indicates curatorial projects

COLLECTIONS

Center for Art + Environment, Nevada Museum of Art, Reno, NV

Site Santa Fe, Santa Fe, New Mexico

University of Illinois Chicago, Chicago, IL

ARTIST IN RESIDENCE/ VISITING ARTIST

2026	Four Fields , Tree Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh PA
2026	Rhoneymeade Festival , State College, PA
2026	Center for PostNatural History , Pittsburgh, PA
2019	CDCP , small mall, Pittsburgh, PA
2019	Eastern Carolina University , Greenville, NC
2018	Herron School of Art and Design , Indiana University, Indianapolis, IN
2017	Franke Ratchye Studio for Creative Inquiry , Carnegie Mellon University , Pittsburgh, PA
2015	Gateway to the Arts , Hookstown, PA
2014	ACRE Residency , Steuben, WI
2013	Harold Arts Residency , Chesterhill, OH
2011	Harold Arts Residency , Chesterhill, OH

LECTURES / PRESENTATIONS / PANELS

2026	Artist Talk with Celeste Neuhaus and Fred Blauth led by Jeffrey Dorsey , Bunker Project Space, Pittsburgh, PA
2021	(S)mother Midrun Conversation: Grief, Care in a Time of Crisis, and the Village , Bethany Arts Center, Bethany, New York
2019	Wild Human Talk Back , Carnegie Museum of Art, Pittsburgh, PA
2019	Photography Guild Visiting Artist Lecture Series , Eastern Carolina University, Greenville, NC
2018	Herron Speaker Series , Herron School of Art and Design, Indiana University, Indianapolis, IN
2016	Reimagining Magical Realism- A Look Beyond the Fantastic , Jask Gallery, Pittsburgh
2015	Smoke and Mirrors , 6 x Ate, Mattress Factory, Pittsburgh
2015	COMMLVLS 2 , Mine Factory, Pittsburgh
2014	ACRE Residency , Steuben, WI
2013	To: Cosmos From: Chaos , Albuquerque Contemporary Art Center, Albuquerque

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Pittsburgh Creative Corps

International Sculpture Center

Creatives for Climate

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