

Beth Lo



Beth Lo was born in Lafayette, Indiana, to parents who had recently immigrated from China. She studied under Rudy Autio and assumed his job as Professor of Ceramics at the University of Montana when he retired in 1985. She has exhibited her work internationally, and has received numerous awards including The University of Montana Provost's Distinguished Lecturer Award in 2006, a National Endowment for the Arts Visual Artist Fellowship Grant in 1994, the Montana Arts Council Individual Artist Fellowship in 1989, and an American Craft Museum Design Award in 1986.

Lo's work in ceramics and mixed media collage revolves primarily around issues of family and her Asian-American background; key elements are cultural marginality and blending, tradition and Westernization, and language and translation. Lo's work investigates, celebrates, and sometimes satirizes traditional Asian aesthetics.

Education

- 1974 MFA, Ceramics, University of Montana
- 1971 BGS, General Studies, University of Michigan
- 1972 Ceramics, Eastern Michigan University

Selected Exhibitions

- 2026 Duane Reed Gallery, St. Louis, MO
- 2025 Lucy Lacoste Gallery, Concord, MA
- 2024 Radius Gallery, Missoula, MT
- Sherry Leedy Gallery, Kansas City, MO
- Akar Gallery
- 2023 Ferrin Gallery, Lenox, MA
- Ruth Chandler Williamson Gallery, Claremont, CA
- NCECA Invitational, Cincinnati, OH
- Lucy Lacoste Gallery, Concord, MA
- 2022 Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA
- Tandem Gallery, Bakersville, NC
- Radius Gallery, Missoula, MT
- 2021 Beyond the Blue, Macao, China
- Tandem Gallery, Bakersville, NC
- Akar Gallery
- Lucy Lacoste Gallery, Concord, MA
- Western Carolina Museum of Art
- 2020 Red Lodge Clay Center, Red Lodge, MT
- Radius Gallery, Missoula, MT
- Sherry Leedy Gallery, Kansas City, MO

Selected Collections and Public Works

- Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA
- Mint Museum, Charlotte, NC
- Missoula Art Museum, Missoula, MT
- Harborview Medical Center, Seattle, WA
- Microsoft Corporation, WA
- Schein-Joseph International Museum of Ceramic Art, Alfred, NY
- The International Museum of Dinnerware Design, Kingston, NY
- Sara and David Lieberman



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