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b. 1971 Indianapolis, Indiana

EDUCATION

2001-02 Katazome stencil carving courses with John Marshall, Boulder, CO
1994 BS, Textile Design, 4.0/4.0 GPA, University of Wisconsin – Madison

UPCOMING EXHIBITIONS

2009 **Solo Exhibition: Beyond Katagami**, Longmont Museum, Longmont, CO – January - March 2009
Web and Flow, Textile Center of Minnesota and NBO, Minneapolis, MN – March/April 2009
Solo Exhibition, Illinois Central College, Peoria, IL – Fall 2009
2010 **Solo Exhibition**, Springfield Art Museum, Springfield, MO – Fall 2010

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2008 **Contemporary Katagami: Works by Jennifer Falck Linssen**, Craft and Folk Art Museum, Los Angeles, CA
Drawing with a Knife, Mesa State College, Grand Junction, CO
2007 **How to See the Forest through the Trees**, Arts Incubator, Kansas City, MO

TWO PERSON EXHIBITIONS

2008 **Cervini Haas Gallery**, Scottsdale, AZ

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2008 **The Shape of Things: Paper Traditions and Transformations**, Museum of Craft & Folk Art, San Francisco, CA
New Directions in Fiber, Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA
Interweave: Innovations in Contemporary Basketry, Salt Lake Art Center, Salt Lake City, Utah
Summer Spectacular, Cervini Haas Gallery, Scottsdale, AZ
S.O.F.A. – NY 2008 New York City, NY (Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA)
2008-2005 **S.O.F.A.-Chicago**, Chicago, IL (del Mano Gallery, Los Angeles, CA)
2007 **Baskets as Architecture**, Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA
All Things Considered IV, Arrowmont, National Basketry Organization, Gatlinburg, TN (Curator: JoAnn Kelly Catsos and Flo Hoppe)
Mystery Contained: Contemporary Sculptural Basketry, Craft Alliance, St. Louis, MO (Curator: Kate Anderson)
Beyond the Basket, del Mano Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
Connected: 2007 Invitational Exhibition of Fiber and Basketry, Cervini Haas Gallery, Scottsdale, AZ
Selected Works 2007, del Mano Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
2007-2005 **The Teapot Redefined**, Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA
2006 **S.O.F.A. - NY 2006** New York City, NY (Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA)
Creative Spaces 2006, Lincoln Center, Fort Collins, CO
Contemporary Baskets & Fiber Sculpture 2006, del Mano Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
Grand Convergence, Grand Gallery, Grand Rapids, MI
Celebrating the Necklace 2006, Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA
ARTscottsdale, Scottsdale, AZ (del Mano Gallery, Los Angeles, CA)
Selected Works, A Curated Exhibition of Work in Wood & Fiber, del Mano Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
Crafts National 2006, Lancaster Museum of Art, Lancaster, PA (Juror: Gretchen Keyworth, Director and Chief Curator at the Fuller Craft Museum, MA)

- 2005 **Beyond Fiber: New Forms**, The Eleanor Bliss Center for the Arts, Steamboat Springs, CO (Juror: Alice Zrebiec, consulting curator of Textile Art at the Denver Art Museum)
Fiber Directions 2005, The Wichita Center for the Arts, Wichita, KS (Juror: Jason Pollen)
Fiber Celebrated 2005, Durango Arts Center, IWC, Durango, CO (Juror: Linda Ligon)
Showcase 2005, HGB, Longmont, CO (Juror: Tom Lundberg)
National Bead & Fiber Exhibit, The Delaplaine Visual Arts Education Center, Frederick, MD (Juror: Jane Sauer & Joyce Scott)
La Petite XIII, Alder Gallery, Coburg, OR (Jurors: Ellen Tykeson, Hattie Mae Nixon, Dena E. Brown)
The Art & Nature of Fiber, Tri-Lakes Center for the Arts, Palmer Lake, CO (Juror: Jeanne Schenk Steiner & Barbara Broshous)
- 2004 **Fish Follies 2005**, Cordova Museum, Cordova, AK (Juror: Ray Troll)
Contemporary Directions in Fiber, Reed Gallery, Denver, CO
Don't Fence Me In – Containing the West, Colorado Convention Center, HGA Convergence 2004, Denver, CO (Juror: Kevin Wallace)
Trail Mix, Colorado Convention Center, HGA Convergence 2004, Denver, CO (Juror: John Garrett)
Interlaced, Interwoven, Interlocked, Shuttles, Spindles, & Skeins, Boulder, CO (Juror: Sara Lamb)
Lines into Shapes, Art Center of Estes Park, Estes Park, CO (Jurors: Kathy Andrews, Debrah Courtney, Tom Katsimpalis)

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- Linssen, Jennifer. Creative Process, "Contemporary Katagami: Stencils made Sculptural", Fiberarts, April/May, 2008. *photo repro*
- Linssen, Jennifer. "Kiri-e, Katagami, & Jian zhi", Complex Weavers, Japanese Textiles Study Group, April, 2008.
- Staff. Datebook/Museums, AmericanStyle, April, 2008. *photo repro*
- Lion, Lea. "Cutting-Edge Visions Take Shape On Paper", Los Angeles Times, January 31, 2008. *photo repro*
- Staff. Arts & Antiques, "Paper Thin", California Home + Design, February, 2008. *photo repro*
- Staff. "Contemporary Katagami Works of Jennifer Falck Linssen", Shuttle, Spindle, & Dyepot, Winter 2007/2008. *photo repro*
- Fauntleroy, Gussie. The Innovators, "Jennifer Falck Linssen - Paper Like You've Never Seen It", Southwest Art, December, 2007. *photo repro*
- Staff. "Off the Grid", 2009 International Surface Design Association Conference brochures & advertisements featured image, 2007-9. *photo repro*
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- Staff. Gallery, American Craft, June/July, 2007. *photo repro*
- Staff. Current & Coming, Fiberarts, Summer 2007. *photo repro*
- Staff. "How to See the Forest through the Trees", Review magazine, Kansas City, June, 2007. *photo repro*
- Pollen, Jason. "SDA – 30 Years! An Introspective Retrospective" lecture, SDA Mind & Body Conference, 2007, *slides*
- Woods, Karen. "Review of 500 Baskets, A Celebration of the Basketmaker's Art", Shuttle, Spindle, & Dyepot, Spring 2007.
- Linssen, Jennifer. "Ap-ply-ed Shifu", Complex Weavers, Japanese Textiles Study Group, April, 2007.
- Peters, Jan. 500 Baskets, Lark Books, 2006. *photo repro*
- Staff. "Breaking New Ground", Surface Design Journal, Gallery Issue, Fall 2006. *photo repro*
- Staff. "Mind + Body", 2007 International Surface Design Association Conference brochure, Fall 2006, *photo repro*
- Staff. Gallery, American Craft, June/July, 2006. *photo repro*
- Linssen, Jennifer. "Adventures in Shifu", Complex Weavers, Japanese Textiles Study Group, April, 2006
- Bess, Nancy Moore. "International Contemporary Basketry/Sculpture: Looking East, Looking West for Influences" lecture, SOFA-Chicago, October, 2005. *slides*
- Linssen, Jennifer. "Paper Threads: for the Shifu lover in you", Complex Weavers, Japanese Textiles Study Group, April, 2005.

Staff. Colorado Basketmaker's Guild, Profile, January, 2005. *photo repro*

Wallace, Kevin. "Don't Fence Me In – Containing the West", Shuttle, Spindle, & Dye, Fall 2004. *photo repro*

Staff. Denver Gallery Guide, HGA Convergence, Summer, 2004. *photo repro*

EXHIBITION CATALOGS

Contemporary Katagami: Works by Jennifer Falck Linssen, Craft and Folk Art Museum, Los Angeles, CA, 2008. *solo exhibition*

Mystery Contained: Contemporary Sculptural Basketry, Craft Alliance, St. Louis, MO, 2007. *group exhibition; Cover image*

All Things Considered IV, Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts, National Basketry Organization, Gatlinburg, TN, 2007. *group exhibition*

Beyond the Basket, del Mano Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, 2007. *group exhibition*

Selected Works, A Curated Exhibition of Work in Wood & Fiber, del Mano Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, 2007. *group exhibition*

Contemporary Baskets & Fiber Sculpture, del Mano Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, 2006. *group exhibition*

Selected Works, A Curated Exhibition of Work in Wood & Fiber, del Mano Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, 2006. *group exhibition*

UPCOMING LECTURES

Handweavers Guild of Boulder, Boulder, CO – January 2009

Longmont Museum, Longmont, CO – January 2009

AWARDS, LECTURES, & RELATED ACTIVITIES

Lecture: S.O.F.A.-Chicago, sponsored by Friends of Fiberart International, 2008, Chicago, IL

Lecture & Portfolio Class: Mesa State College, 2008, Grand Junction, CO

Asian Art Association board member, Director-at-large, Denver Art Museum, 2008-2010, Denver, CO

Lecture: Contemporary Katagami, Craft and Folk Art Museum, 2008, Los Angeles, CA

Carol Strickler Scholarship, Handweavers Guild of Boulder, 2008, Boulder, CO

Lecture: art preparation, Rocky Mountain Weaver's Guild, 2007, Denver, CO

Rosmarie Amstein Scholarship, Rocky Mountain Weaver's Guild, 2006, Denver, CO

IWC Tony Hacker Award for Excellence in Craftsmanship & New Use of Materials, **Fiber Celebrated 2005**, Durango Arts Center, Durango, CO (Juror: Linda Ligon)

Best in Sculpture, **Follies 2005**, Cordova Museum, Cordova, AK (Juror: Ray Troll)

Merit Award, **The Art & Nature of Fiber**, Tri-Lakes Center for the Arts, 2005, Palmer Lake, CO (Juror: Jeanne Schenk Steiner & Barbara Broshous)

Best in Basketry & Three Dimensional Pieces, **Interlaced, Interwoven, Interlocked**, Shuttles, Spindles, & Skeins, 2004, Boulder, CO (Juror: Sara Lamb)

Third Place, **Don't Fence Me In – Containing the West**, Colorado Convention Center, HGA Convergence 2004, Denver, CO (Juror: Kevin Wallace)

Third Place, **Trail Mix**, Colorado Convention Center, HGA Convergence 2004, Denver, CO (Juror: John Garrett)

EXPERIENCE

1994-98 Mastercraft Fabrics, *Textile Designer*, Spindale, NC

- Jacquard designer for residential upholstery fabric including color & trend forecasting
- Designs featured in numerous showrooms including Bernhardt, Century, and Crate&Barrel, print advertising, and television spots

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Staff. "Kick-Back Casual", Home Depot's Style Ideas, Fall/Winter, 1999. *photo repro*

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Rush, Amy Joyce. "Broyhill Goes All Out For Hues Thrust", Home Furnishing News, May 11, 1998. *photo repro*

Staff. Home Textiles Today, Newport advertisement, April 27, 1998. *photo repro*

Staff. Home Furnishing News, Fiber/Fabric report, Bernhardt, April 7, 1997. *photo repro*

Staff. Home Furnishing News, High Point Market Special Report, Bernhardt, April, 1997. *photo repro*

Staff. "Rivalry Hot for Top-of-the-Bed", Home Furnishing News, December 11, 1995. *photo repro*

GALLERY REPRESENTATION

del Mano Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

Mobilia Gallery, Cambridge, MA

Cervini Haas Gallery, Scottsdale, AZ

Telluride Gallery of Fine Art, Telluride, CO

American Art Co., Tacoma, WA