## **EDUCATION**

Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA, BFA 1981

#### PERSONAL EXHIBITIONS

Natura, MASSONIART, Chestertown, MD 2019

The Feminine in Gold, Artist Proof Gallery, Washington, DC

Taking Wing, Ellsworth Gallery, Santa Fe, NM June-August, 2017

Fine Art Associates, Boulder, CO January- May 2015

Anima Mundi, Chaney and Martino Galleries, Maryland Hall for the Creative Arts, Annapolis, MD, 2013

Mysterium , Darnell Fine Art, Santa Fe, NM, 2011

Preludes, International Visons Gallery, Washington, DC, 2010

Fragments, Darnell Fine Art, Santa Fe, NM 2010

Touching the Earth: Muses and Initiates, Darnell Fine Art, Santa Fe, NM, 2009

Claire McArdle Sculpture w Frank Sampson Painting, Canyon Gallery, Boulder, CO 2009

Myth and Mystery, Darnell Fine Art, Santa Fe, NM, 2008

Myth and Mystery: Sculpture and Drawings", Old Firehouse Art Center, Longmont, CO 2008

Spirits Rising: An Evening of Dance / Sculpture / Poetry, Word Dance Theater, choreography by Ruth St.

Denis, Isadora Duncan, Cynthia Word, Sculpture by Claire McArdle, poetry by Sappho and Dance with

Ingrid Zimmer, Historic Dumbarton Church, Washington, DC, 2007

Featured Sculpture, Harbor Square Gallery, Rockland, ME 2007

The Horse, International Visions Gallery, Washington, DC 2006

Passages, MassoniArt Gallery, Chestertown, MD 2004

New Work: Musica Ricercata, MassoniArt Gallery, Chestertown, MD 2003

Fire and Earth", International Visions Gallery, Washington, DC 2000

Keith Lipert Gallery, Washington, DC 1997

Ludmilla Baczynsky, Gallery, New York, NY 1996

Ira Pinto Gallery, Annapolis, MD 1997

West Annapolis Gallery, Annapolis, MD 1995

Claire McArdle Gallery, Galleries 1054, Washington, DC 1995,1994, 1993,1992

Zenith Gallery, Washington, DC 1992

# SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

2021

McArdle: Goddesses, Gallery ESTELLA, New Orleans, LA NARRATIVES: A show of Stories in Ceramic Art, Denver CO Holiday Exhibition, MassoniArt Gallery, Chestertown, MD interplay, ART + OPERA, BRDG Project, Denver, CO Gallery artists, Gallery Estella, New Orleans, LA Hamptons Fine Art Fair, Stafford Gallery, Hamptons, NY Finding Light I, MassoniArt Gallery, Chestertown, MD Finding Light II, MassoniArt Gallery, Chestertown, MD

## 2020

WILD, BRDG Project, Denver, CO Earth and Sky, Windsor Fine Art, New Orleans, LA MassoniArt Gallery, Chestertown, MD

# 2019

Windsor Fine Art, New Orleans, LA Stafford Gallery, Healdsburg, CA Artist Proof Gallery, Washington, DC Gardner Colby Gallery, Naples, FL Anthology, Ellsworth Gallery, Santa Fe, NM MassoniArt Gallery, Chestertown, MD

## 2018

Rodin and the Contemporary Figurative Tradition, Frederik Meijer Gardens and Sculpture Park, Grand Rapids, MI

Taking Wing, Ellsworth Gallery, Santa Fe, NM

Gardner Colby Gallery, Naples, FL

Artist Proof Gallery, Washington, DC

Stafford Gallery, Healdsburg, CA

#### 2017

LA Art Show, Los Angeles, CA, January, 2017 Artist Choice, Ellsworth Gallery, Santa Fe, NM Artist Proof Gallery, Washington, DC MassoniArt Gallery, Chestertown, MD

## 2016

Mountain Standard Clay, Foothills Art Center, Golden, CO Menagerie, Baltimore Clayworks, Baltimore, MD Wintertide, MassoniArt Gallery, Chestertown, MD

#### 2015

Winter Exhibition, Artist Proof Gallery, Washington, DC

Far Reaches, Claire McArdle, Kathyrn Stedham, Elise Ansel, Ellsworth Gallery, Santa Fe, NM

Summer Sizzle, MassoniArt Gallery, Chestertown, MD

Sculpture on the Blue, Breckenridge, CO

Sanctuary, Joan Hisaoka Healing Arts Gallery at the Smith Center, Washington, DC

Body // Water, Carla Massoni Gallery, Chestertown, MD

New Works, Gardner Colby Gallery, Naples, FL

On the Brink, Ellsworth Gallery, Santa Fe, NM

Artist Proof Gallery, Washington, DC

Worrell Gallery, Santa Fe, NM

Martin Gallery, Charleston, SC

### 2014

L < M, less is more: small works in a great space, The Mitchell Gallery

St. John's College Annapolis, MD

Colorado Clay 2014, Foothills Art Center, Golden, CO Best in Show

Coors Western Art Show, National Western Stock Show, Denver, CO

Figures and Fantasies, Gardner Colby Gallery, Naples, FL

# 2013

Coors Western Art Show, National Western Stock Show, Denver, CO

In House, Annual Artists-in-Residence Exhibit, Chaney Gallery, 2nd floor, Maryland Hall for the Creative Arts, Annapolis, MD

Ancient Ways, Gardner Colby Gallery, Naples, FL

# 2012

Gardner Colby Gallery, Naples, FL

Fifteen, International Visions Gallery, Washington, DC

Shaw Cramer Gallery, Martha's Vineyard, MA

Martin Gallery, Charleston, SC

MassoniArt Gallery, Chestertown, MD

Coors Western Art Exhibit, Denver, CO

AIR, Maryland Hall for the Creative Arts, Annapolis, MD

## 2011

Spring Exhibition, MassoniArt Gallery, Chestertown, MD

Gallery Artists "Small Works", International Visions, Washington, DC

Gallery Artists, Thomas Deans Fine Art, Atlanta, GA

Gallery Artisits, Martin Gallery, Charleston, SC

### 2010

Fall into Summer, , Carla Massoin Gallery, Chestertown, MD Into the Light, Carla Massoni Gallery, Chestertown, MD Gallery Artists group show, International Visions, Washington, DC Gallery Artist, Thomas Deans Fine Art, Atlanta, GA

#### 2009

Gallery Artists, International Visions Gallery, Washington, DC Everchanging, Carla Massoni Gallery, Chestertown, MD Gallery Artists, Martin Gallery, Charleston, SC

#### 2008

24/7 The Creative Challenge, Carla Massoni Gallery, Chestertown, MD Gallery Artists, Darnell Fine Art, Santa Fe, NM Gallery Artists, Telluride Gallery of Fine Art, Telluride, CO Gallery Artists, International Visions-The Gallery, Washington, DC Sculpture on the Blue, Breckenridge, CO Gallery Artists, Martin Gallery, Charleston, SC

#### 2007

Ten, International Visions Gallery, Washington, DC Dwell, Carla Massoni Gallery, Chestertown, MD Lifelines: Vessels, Carla Massoni Gallery, Chestertown, MD Sculpture on the Blue, Public Art, Breckenridge, CO Gallery Artists, Martin Gallery, Charleston, SC Gallery Artists, Telluride Gallery of Art, Telluride, CO

#### 2006

Gallery Artists, Telluride Gallery of Fine Art, Telluride, CO Sculpture on the Blue, Public Art, Breckenridge, CO Best in Show Award Sequences and Consequences, Carla Massoni Gallery, Chestertown, MD Hermandades Escultoricas Museo de Arte Contemporaneo Atenea de Yucatan, Merida, Mexico Gallery Artists, Martin Gallery, Charleston, SC Gallery Artists, Harbor Square Gallery, Rockland, ME

### 2005

Particles and Passions: The Art of Clay, Academy Art Museum, Easton, MD Other Dimensions, Carla Massoni Gallery, Chestertown, MD Gallery Artists, Martin Gallery, Charleston, SC Gallery Artists, Harbor Square Gallery, Rockland, ME

# 2004

Faces and Figures, International Visions Gallery, Washington, DC Gallery Artists, Martin Gallery, Charleston, SC Gallery Artists, Harbor Square Gallery, Rockland, ME

## 2003

Art and Dance, International Visions Gallery, Washington, DC Gallery Artists, Martin Gallery, Charleston, SC Gallery Artists, Harbor Square Gallery, Rockland, ME Gallery Artists, Carla Massoni Gallery, Chestertown, MD 10 th Anniversary, Carla Massoni Gallery, Chestertown, MD Collection 2001, International Visions Gallery, Washington, DC Gallery Artists, Martin Gallery, Charleston, SC Gallery Artists, Harbor Square Gallery, Rockland, ME

### 2000

Landscapes 2000, Carla Massoni Gallery, Chestertown, MD Gallery Artists, Martin Gallery, Charleston, SC Gallery Artists, Harbor Square Gallery, Rockland, ME

## 1999

Ireland in Washington, 7 Artists, International Visions Gallery, Washington, DC

Gallery Artists, Carla Massoni Gallery, Chestertown, MD

Gallery Artists, Martin Gallery, Charleston, SC

Gallery Artists' Harbor Square Gallery, Rockland, ME

## 1998

Gallery Artists, International Visions Gallery, Washington, DC

Gallery Artists, Harbor Square Gallery, Rockland, ME

Galerie fur Gegenwartskunst, Bonstetten, Switzerland

## 1997

Gallery Artists, Yellow Dog Gallery, Charleston, SC

Gallery Artists, Harbor Square Gallery, Rockland, ME

Sculptors' Plans, Drawings, Maquettes, 505 Gallery, Washington, DC

Sculpture Now", Cade Gallery, Annapolis, MD

Wilhelmina's Art Gallery, Seneca Falls, NY

Unite Chicago, Washington, DC

Sculpture Now '98, Washington Square, Washington, DC

Ira Pinto Gallery, Annapolis, MD

Gregory Gallery, New York, NY

#### 1996

Mine Cultural Center, Mine, Japan

Gregory Gallery, New York, NY

Michele Rosenfeld Gallery, New York, NY

1994

International Women in Art, The World Bank, Washington, DC

Across Borders, The Art Museum of the Americas, Washington, DC

Gallery Mack, Seattle, WA

The Gallery Garden, Campbell & Ferrara, Alexandria, VA 1991

Gardens of Art, Bellingham, WA

Washington Horticultural Society, NW Stone Sculptors, Seattle, WA

Women Sculptors in Italy, Livorno, Italy

'L Grup, La Galleria d'Arte Contemporania, Colonnata, Italy

# PUBLIC/CORPORATE COLLECTIONS

RB Properties Inc., Lombardy Hotel, Washington, DC 2006, 2007, 2008,2010

Spring Hill College, Mobile, Alabama, 2004, 2005

Saint Bede Church, Williamsburg, VA, 2003

Marian House, Baltimore, MD, 2002

The Lombardy Hotel, Washington, DC

The Potomac Group, Washington, DC

Mine City, Mine, Japan

Mino City Ceramics Collection, Mino Japan

Applied Planning International, Annapolis, MD

TKF Foundation, Annapolis, MD

The Kerns Group Architects, Arlington, VA

Lucas and Associates, AIA, Baltimore, MD

Yashiro City, "Stellar Park", Yashiro, Japan

Huneke & Associates, Seattle, WA

Fortune Design, Seattle, WA

A.G. Edwards, Edmonds, WA

Ouiet Waters Park, Annapolis, MD

Morgan/Gerard, Annapolis, MD

# **COMMISSIONS Private/Public**

RESA, with Atist Proof Gallery, Washington, DC, 2018 Nancy and David Hughart, Seattle, WA 2010 ABODE/ Fern Santini, Austin, Texas, 2009 John and Mary Lou Barter, Kiawha Island, SC 2001 The Holton-Arms School, Bethesda, MD, 2000 Holy Trinity Church, Washington, DC, 1999 Holy Redeemer College, Washington, DC 1997

## LECTURES/VISITING ARTIST/TEACHING EXPERIENCE /SYMPOSIA

St. Francis of Assisi School, Seattle, WA 1985-89 Wrote Art Curriculum K-8

Studio Arts Boulder, Longmont, CO Workshops and Classes, 2019, 2020, 2021 MD Hall for the Creative Arts, Annapolis, MD-Artist in Residence, 2011, 2012, 2013 Preludes, an evening of sculpture and dance, International Visons Gallery, Washington, DC 2011 Terra cotta, terra sigilatta, MD Hall for the Creative Arts, Annapolis, MD Dances with Muses with Word Dance Theater, Santa Fe, NM 2009 Blessed Sacrament School, Chevy Chase, MD 2007 Spirit in Stone: A Sculptor's Vision, Spring Hill College, Mobile, AL 2005 The Spirit Within, The Academy of the Holy Cross, Kensington, MD 2004 The National Museum for Women in the Arts, Washington, DC 2001 Holton-Arms School, Persephone, Myth and Mystery, Bethesda, MD 2000 Howard County Public Schools, Columbia, MD 1997,1996 Sally Nash, Workspace for Choreographers, Sperryville, VA, 1997 Mine City, Mine, Japan 1996 Four Women Sculptors, Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington, DC 1995 Inner City/Inner Ĉhild" Washington, DC 1993-97 Stellar Park, Yahiro, Japan 1993

### MEDIA BIOGRAPHY

Kevin B. Beaty, Interplay, Brdge Project, Denverite, 2021

Jon Carver, Visual Arts Source, Artists Choice, Santa Fe, NM 2018

Allison Gwinn, "Know Your Art: Sculptor Claire McArdle, Denver Life Magazine, 2017

Carol Dewey, ART FORM One Sculptor's Creative Journey, Annapolis Lifestyle, 2013

Michael Abatemarco , "Ancient and of the Moment, Sculpture by Claire McArdle,", Pasatiempo, Santa Fe New Mexican, 2012

Exhibitionism, Pasatiempo, Santa Fe New Mexican, November 2011

Exhibitionism, Pasatiempo, Santa Fe New Mexican, July 2010

Mike Zolnik,"Fragments", Santa Fe Reporter, July 2010

Exhibition Detail, ARTslant, Santa Fe, July 2010

Analiese Scott, "A Storied Landscape", Chesapeake Home, May 2010

Southwest Art, "Sculpture of the Rockies: 97 Contemporary and Traditional Artists, 2009

Bonnie Ganglehoff, Southwest Arts, July 2006

Marcia Christensen, Juror Profile, Sculptural Pursuit, 2007

Quinton Young, DAY & NIGHT, The Times Call, October, 2008

Quinton Young, "Beautiful Dreams", feature DAY & NIGHT, The Times Call, September 12, 2008

Merida de Yucatan Ciudad de la Escultura, CORME Grupo Impresor, Chalo, Mexico, July 2006

El Macay en La Cultura, "Los Huespedes Primero, Diariode Yucatan, May 4, 2005

John Bennett, "McArdle Lecture Rites of Passage artist delivers lecture on art in the community", The Sringhillian, Vol. 83, No. 12, Feb 3, 2005

"AHC Alumna Captivates Discussion for Women", Tartan News, Vol.4, Issue 3, Spring 2004

Melody Simmons, "Marian House: Towering Strength for Women in Need", Urbanite Magazine, March/April 2004

Magazine insert, "St. Bede: New Church", Va Gazette, May 31, 2003

Justine Allen Cowen, "The Spirit Within", Holy Cross Magazine, Winter/Spring 2002

S. Kathleen Feeley, "New Hope, inspiration for Waverly", City Diary, The Baltimore Sun, June 20, 2001

Ed Guntz, "Message in Marble, "The Baltimore Sun ,June 20,2001

Rachel Mansour, "Marian House's Statues Give Residents a Goal", The Daily Record June 22, 2001

Rachel Richmond, "Giving Hope to Women", The Catholic Review, June 21, 2001

Ferdinand Protzman, The Washington Post, March 11,1999

"Mine International Marble Sculpture Symposium", catalogue, 1996

Linda Gosman, "Coming into Their Own", Annapolis Quarterly, Fall 1997

David D. Downie, "Rock of Ages", Orient Express, Vo. 14, N.1, 1997

Mary Grace Gallagher," It's All An Act", The Capital, February 16, 1997

Mary Grace Gallagher, "Contemporary Gallery Carves a Niche", The Capital, Lifestyle, January 12, 1997.

"Mine Marble Symposium", The Yamaguchi Shibun, Japan, August 25, 1996

Leslie Gross, "Romancing The Stone", The Capital, April 28, 1995

Toni Marshall, About Town, The Washington Post, June 22, 1994

Across Borders, Catalogue of Sculptors, The Art Museum of the Americas, Washington, DC, 1994

Toni Marshall, "About Town", Metropolitan Times, June 22, 1994

Mary McCoy, "Galleries", The Washington Post, May 28, 1994

Dorothy La Padula, "The Young at Art", Washington Life, April, 1994, p14

Colleen Grewing, "The Shape of Things: Five on the Rise", WHERE, July, 1993

Hiroyoshi Kokawa,"American Sculptor", The Kobe Shinbun, Japan, May, 1993

Yoshi Yoshimura, "Twelve International Sculptors", The Asahi Shinbun, May, 1993

Watanabe Monument Company, "The Zodiac and the Artistic Imagination, 12

International Sculptors, Osaka, Japan, Catalogue and Video, May, 1993

Diane Beale, KOAN, Claire McArdle: International Artist as Missionary, January, 1993

Michael Welzenbach, "Galleries", The Washington Post, December 12, 1992

Ruth Palombo, "Sculptress McArdle Creates with Elegant Carrara Marble", Potomac Gazette, February 6, 1992

GQ, Reproduction of "La Bambina", FILA ad, May 1991

Rolling Stone, Reproduction of La Bambina, FILA ad, May 1991

L'Grup Galleria Contemoporanea, Catalogue Gallery Artists, Carrara, Italy 1991

Blueprint for Architecture / ARCADE, Design Awards, Fall, 1988