

Erika Pazmandine Hagen

Sculptor, Ceramic Artist, Art Educator

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Fine Artist specializing in large scale clay sculptures, and teaching ceramics for 15 years. Skilled in handbuilding, wheel throwing, electric/raku kiln firing, glazing and educating different age groups. Equipped with excellent work ethic and communication skills.



Work Experience:

2016 - 2025 - Working Artist and Owner of Ceramic Studio/Showroom: HagenClay in Vallejo, CA, USA

2013 - 2016 - Owner of Home Based Clay Business in San Carlos, CA, USA and Vallejo, CA,

Exhibiting artist:

2023 - Academy of Art University - Spring Show

2022 - Mirada Art Gallery, Half Moon Bay, CA,

2010 - 2018 Festival Vendor: Crocker Art Museum, Sacramento, CA; Hungarian Heritage Festivals, Belmont, CA, USA; Auction Participant: City of Hayward, CA

Art Teaching Experience in the USA:

2016 - 2024 Ceramics Teacher - St. Patrick St. Vincent High School, Vallejo, CA
Building a new ceramics department at SPSV High School, Vallejo, CA

2011- 2015 Clay Instructor - Belmont Parks and Recreation, CA, USA
Clay Instructor - San Carlos School District, CA, USA - SMART-E

2011 - 2013 Art Instructor - Young Rembrandts - San Mateo County

2008 - 2012 Instructional Aide - PAUSD Lucille Nixon Elementary School, Palo Alto, CA

Other Teaching Experience in the USA:

2016 - 2020 Hungarian Teacher 2017 - Principal of Education (Oktatasvezeto) - East Bay
Hungarian Educational Group, Walnut Creek

Other Teaching Experience outside of the USA:

1988 - 1991 History Teacher (Humanities) - Vocational school - Orkeny, Hungary
History Teacher (Humanities) - Evening School for Adults to obtain a High School

diploma

Education:

2022 - 2025 MA in Sculpture - Academy of Art University, San Francisco, CA, USA

1984 - 1988 Bachelor's Degree in History and Hungarian Language and Literature, and the
teaching thereof, from a regionally accredited institution - Bessenyei Gyorgy Teacher Training University -
Hungary