

Julia C R Gray

b. 1960 Los Angeles California

Education

- 2022 Cyanotypes workshop with Oriana Poindexter La Jolla California
- 2015 Glass Casting/Sculpture Palomar College San Marcos California
- 2014 Bachelor of Fine Arts with Academic Honors Sculpture major San Francisco Art Institute San Francisco California
- 2014 Study Abroad: Artists Constructing Memory Buenos Aires Argentina
- 2009–12 Ceramics/Sculpture/Drawing/Painting Mira Costa College Oceanside California
- 2009 Ceramic workshop with Adrian Arleo San Diego California
- 2006 Foundry Techniques/Sculpture Palomar College San Marcos California
- 1997–98 Painting Printmaking Mira Costa College Oceanside California
- 1982 Ceramics Sierra Nevada College Incline Village Lake Tahoe Nevada
- 1979 Drawing Painting Fullerton Community College California
- 1973 Oil Paint training private studio La Palma California

Solo Exhibitions

- 2025 Cracks Let The Light In Duo Installation Session Art Encinitas California
- 2024 SHE Portal Duo Exhibition Once Upon A Frame Solana Beach California
- 2024 Story Torsos Fallbrook Library Fallbrook California
- 2022 Luscious Punch Featured Sculptor Cusp Gallery Provincetown Massachusetts
- 2017 Encinitas Civic Gallery Encinitas California
- 2014 Graduate Exhibition San Francisco Art Institute San Francisco California
- 2011 Julia C R Gray Lassen County Arts Council Gallery Susanville California
- 2010 Art & Science with Dr. Judi Holt San Diego Botanical Gardens Encinitas California
- 2007 Exhibition Invitational Eagle Idaho
- 2006 Julia C R Gray Bridge Street Gallery Cambria California
- 2000 Matters of the Heart Rhino Art Gallery Solana Beach California

Museum Exhibitions

- 2024 AWA—Expanding Horizons Loveland Museum Loveland Colorado
- 2023 Folklore Fakelore Personal Myths narratives Bonita Museum Bonita California
- 2023 Miniature Monumental Bristol Art Museum Bristol Rhode Island
- 2022 National Sculpture Society in California Bonita Museum Bonita California
- 2022 Breaking Through: The Rise of American Women Artist Customs House Museum Clarksville Tennessee
- 2022 Artist Alliance Biennial Oceanside Museum of Art Oceanside California
- 2021 Twenty Women Artists: NOW Oceanside Museum of Art Oceanside California
- 2020 CA Sculpture Slam San Luis Obispo Museum of Art San Luis Obispo California
- 2019 San Diego Museum of Art Artists Guild Balboa Park San Diego California

2017	Oceanside Museum of Art Artists Alliance at the Museum Oceanside Museum of Art Oceanside California
2012	Kilnopening.edu Juried Exhibition American Museum of Ceramic Pomona California
2011	Celebrating Giants: The Truth of Sojourner Women's Museum of California San Diego
2005	Wildlife Juried and Invitational Natural History Museum San Diego California

Selected Group Exhibitions

2025	9th Annual Sculpture Exhibition: A Celebration of Form Fallbrook Art Center Fallbrook California
2025	Save The Ocean 5 Front Porch Gallery Carlsbad California
2025	Super Fine Art Fair Fort Mason San Francisco California
2024	Ebb + Flow UCSD Geisel Library Gallery La Jolla California
2024	Save The Ocean 4 Front Porch Gallery Carlsbad California
2024	WILD! By Create Magazine & PXP Contemporary Paradigm Gallery Philadelphia Pennsylvania
2023	Artist On Fire Worcester Center for Crafts Worcester Massachusetts
2023	ARTSD San Diego Convention Center San Diego California
2023	SIP Art Space San Marcos California
2023	Surfing Madonna 3rd Annual Save The Ocean Escondido Municipal Gallery Escondido California
2022	ART San Diego San Diego Convention Center San Diego California
2021	Surfing Madonna Save the Ocean Escondido Municipal Gallery Escondido California
2020	Rebecca Molayem Gallery Los Angeles California
2019	In Gold We Trust Ashton Gallery Art on 30th San Diego California
2018	27th Juried Art Exhibition Athenaeum Music & Arts Library La Jolla California
2015	Oceanside Museum of Art Artists Alliance Juried Exhibition OMA/Herbert B Turner Galleries Del Mar California
2014	Memory Under Construction Diego Rivera Gallery San Francisco Art Institute San Francisco California
2013	PERPLEXION Invitational L Street Fine Art Gallery San Diego California
2012	Kilnopening.edu Juried Exhibition American Museum of Ceramic Pomona California
2010	Alexander Salazar Gallery San Diego California
2009	We Hang Together Encinitas Civic Arts Gallery Encinitas California
2008	Featured Artist ArtWalk Little Italy San Diego California
2007	Colors To Life Beautiful Invitational Gallery 626 Los Angeles California
2006	Timeless Goddess Banning Center for the Arts California

Grants and Awards

2023	1st Place Contemporary Art: Folklore Fakelore Personal Myths narratives Bonita Museum Bonita California
2023	Best of Show Surfing Madonna 3rd Annual Save The Ocean Escondido Municipal Gallery Escondido California
2023	Spotlight Program ARTSD San Diego California
2023	Best Sculpture Award ARTSD San Diego California

2023 2nd Place Surfing Madonna Ocean-Earth-Air Poway Center for the Performing Arts California

2023 Best of Show Escondido Arts Association Escondido California

2022 1st Place Selection curator Amanda Kidd-Kestler DARKNESS exhibition Juniper Rag Massachusetts

2021 Third Place 1st International Environmental Art Biennial Compatibility Issues Curator Tomas Lagnavicius

2021 Honorable Mention Surfing Madonna Save the Ocean Escondido Municipal Gallery Escondido California

2021 Third Place Juried Exhibition Front Porch Gallery Carlsbad California

2020 Rising Arts Leaders San Diego Supplies for Artists Grant

2018 Members Choice Award 27th Juried Art Exhibition Athenaeum Music & Arts Library La Jolla California

2014 Davis Projects For Peace 10000 Grant Bali Environmental Art project

2012–14 Presidential Portfolio Scholarship 20000 Award San Francisco Art Institute San Francisco California

2012 Best of Show Kruglak Gallery Mira Costa College Oceanside California