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SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2026 *74 Days*, 3S Artspace, Portsmouth, NH (forthcoming)
- 2026 *Bawdy*, Governors State University, University Park, IL
- 2025-2026 *Carnival*, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
- 2025 *Cavities and Heights*, Arts + Literature Laboratory, Madison, WI
- 2025 *Topsy-Turvy*, Lawrence Arts Center, Lawrence, KS
- 2025 *Floss Wagon*, Compound Yellow, Oak Park, IL
- 2019-2020 *Field Anatomy*, OS Projects, Racine, WI
- 2017 *Morphology of Cyclic Phenomena*, Greymatter Gallery, Milwaukee, WI
- 2016 *Foreign Bodies*, The Delaware Contemporary, Wilmington, DE
- 2016 *The Oval Portrait: 16 Case Studies of the Grattan Osteoclast*, International Museum of Surgical Science, Chicago, IL
- 2016 *Foreign Bodies*, Metro Gallery at Reno City Hall, City of Reno Art Galleries, Reno, NV
- 2015 *Foreign Bodies*, Packer Schopf Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2013-2015 *Vesna Jovanovic*, International Museum of Surgical Science, Chicago, IL
- 2013 *Tender Anatomy*, Packer Schopf Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2010 *Vesna Jovanovic: Ceramic Sculpture and Drawing*, Contemporary Art Center of Peoria, IL
- 2010 *Paintings and Ceramics by Vesna Jovanovic*, Galesburg Civic Art Center, Galesburg, IL
- 2010 *Pareidolia: Inkspill Drawings*, Freeark Gallery, Riverside Arts Center, Riverside, IL
- 2009 *Vesna Jovanovic: Ceramic Vessels*, Ralph Arnold Gallery, Loyola University Chicago, IL
- 2009 *Pareidolia: Inkspill Drawings*, International Museum of Surgical Science, Chicago, IL
- 2009 *Flux: Images of Transience*, University of Wisconsin Memorial Union, Madison, WI
- 2009 *Science in Art: The Drawings of Vesna Jovanovic*, GCIS Atrium, University of Chicago, IL
- 2009 *Formation: Inkspill Drawings and Ceramic Vessels*, ARC Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2008 *Pareidolia: Inkspill Drawings by Vesna Jovanovic*, Ebling Library, Health Sciences Learning Center, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI

DUO EXHIBITIONS

- 2026 *Taffy Pull*, Heaven Gallery, Chicago, IL (forthcoming)
- 2024 *Breeches for Headgear*, Roots & Culture Contemporary Art Center, Chicago, IL
- 2015 *4th Floor North: A History Lab*, International Museum of Surgical Science, Chicago, IL
- 2014 *The Body Politic*, Beatrice M. Haggerty Gallery, University of Dallas, Irving, TX
- 2013 *Sara J. Northerner and Vesna Jovanovic*, New Harmony Gallery of Contemporary Art, University of Southern Indiana, New Harmony, IN
- 2009 *Fluxliminal*, Crown Center Gallery, Loyola University Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 2005 *Amy Casey and Vesna Jovanovic*, ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, OH

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 *Palpable*, O'Connor Art Gallery, Dominican University, River Forest, IL
- 2025 *Byproduct & Prototype*, CoCA, Seattle, WA
- 2023 *Time and Beauty: ChaNorth Alumni*, Chashama Gallery, New York, NY
- 2021 *Winter Garden*, collaboration with Kyle H Davison, GAG, Chicago, IL
- 2019 *Alternative Space: A Simulated Art Fair*, Heaven Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2019 *ROY Family Reunion*, ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, OH
- 2019 *Siblings*, The Condo Association, Chicago, IL
- 2018 *Saturnalia*, Slow, Chicago, IL
- 2018 *Gødbottom*, NYC Inferno (underground sex club), New York, NY
- 2017 *Manicured Nature*, Var Gallery, Milwaukee, WI
- 2017 *Art and the Body*, Diablo Valley College Art Gallery, Pleasant Hill, CA
- 2017 *Another Body*, Spartanburg Art Museum, Spartanburg, SC
- 2017 *EXPO Chicago*, Spudnik Press Cooperative Booth, Chicago, IL
- 2017 *Without Power, No Cookies*, Slow, Chicago, IL
- 2016 *ID Show*, Koehline Museum of Art, Des Plaines, IL
- 2016 *Resurrection*, Aron Packer Projects at Co-Prosperity Sphere, Chicago, IL
- 2016 *Chicago Paints*, Ohio University Art Gallery, Ohio University, Athens, OH
- 2015 *Unveil*, Post Contemporary, Troy, NY
- 2015 *Ten x Ten Release Concert and Exhibition*, Elastic Arts, Chicago, IL
- 2014 *Memento*, The College of New Rochelle, New Rochelle, NY
- 2013 *The Key of the Cellular Song Is the Key to the Cell*, CBCRP symposium, Costa Mesa, CA
- 2013 *ArtMix* Invitational Exhibition and Auction, BMoCA, Boulder, CO
- 2013 *Anatomy for Life*, Nuffield Health Brighton Hospital, East Sussex, United Kingdom
- 2013 *Of the Land*, Chashama Gallery, New York, NY
- 2012 *Locked Up*, UIC Queers & Allies in Medicine, High Concept Laboratories, Chicago, IL
- 2012 *Inosculation*, Urban Arts Space, Columbus, OH
- 2012 *Mirror Images*, Kreft Center for the Arts, Concordia University, Ann Arbor, MI
- 2011 *The Art of Pathology*, US & Canadian Academy of Pathology Meeting, San Antonio, TX
- 2010 *Flesh and Bone*, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
- 2010 *With/Drawn*, The Drawing Room HU, Budapest, Hungary
- 2010 *The New Antiquarians*, Stevens Square Center for the Arts, Minneapolis, MN
- 2008 *Science in Art*, Gordon Center for Integrative Science Atrium, University of Chicago, IL
- 2007 *Stalna Postavka*, Galerija Sue Ryder, Herceg-Novi, Montenegro
- 2006 *Body of Work*, Positive Focus Inc., Pochron Studios, DUMBO, Brooklyn, NY

SELECTED GRANTS

- 2025 Creative Accelerator Fund, Illinois Arts Council
- 2023 Individual Artist Support Initiative, Illinois Arts Council
- 2013 Individual Artists Program, City of Chicago DCASE and the Illinois Arts Council
- 2013 Individual Artist Support Initiative, Illinois Arts Council
- 2012 CAAP Grant, City of Chicago DCASE and the Illinois Arts Council
- 2011 Individual Artist Support Initiative, Illinois Arts Council
- 2007 CAAP Grant, City of Chicago DCASE and the Illinois Arts Council

RESIDENCIES

2026	Kimmel Harding Nelson Center for the Arts, Nebraska City, NE (forthcoming)
2023	The Studios at MASS MoCA, North Adams, MA
2023	Virginia Center for the Creative Arts, Amherst, VA
2022	Ucross Foundation, Ucross, WY
2022	VCCA France, Moulin à Nef Studio Center, Auvillar, France
2022	ChaNorth, managed by Chashama, Pine Plains, NY
2019	Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
2019	The Studios at MASS MoCA, North Adams, MA
2018	VCCA France, Moulin à Nef Studio Center, Auvillar, France
2017	Jentel Foundation, Banner, WY
2017	Virginia Center for the Creative Arts, Amherst, VA
2016	Virginia Center for the Creative Arts, Amherst, VA
2013-2015	International Museum of Surgical Science, Chicago, IL
2014	Ucross Foundation, Ucross, WY
2013	Santa Fe Art Institute, Santa Fe, NM
2012	ChaNorth, managed by Chashama, Pine Plains, NY
2012	Contemporary Artists Center at Woodside, Troy, NY
2011	Santa Fe Art Institute, Santa Fe, NM

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center, Cincinnati, OH
 International Museum of Surgical Science, Chicago, IL
 Koehline Museum of Art, Des Plaines, IL

SELECTED PRESS / MEDIA

2026	"Expanding Stillness" <i>Kinbaku Society of Berlin Magazine</i> . Print.
2025	Esme Graham. "Vesna Jovanovic: Carnival." <i>Whitehot Magazine</i> . Web.
2025	Lucas Gómez-Doyle. "In Plain Sight: Vesna Jovanovic at HPAC." <i>Hyde Park Herald</i> . Print.
2025	Max Blaisdell. "Fall Museums Guide: Art Across Hyde Park." <i>Hyde Park Herald</i> . Print.
2025	EC Brown. "Schismogenesis." <i>Botanical Readiness</i> . Vol. 4. Web.
2024	Ray Pride. "Today In Culture, Friday, November 8, 2024..." <i>Newcity</i> . Web.
2023	Mark Ballogg. <i>Making Space</i> . Ballogg Photography Inc., 2023. Print.
2021	"Art by Vesna Jovanovic." <i>Lover's Eye Press</i> . Web.
2021	Lori Waxman. "60wrd/min COVID Edition." <i>Newcity</i> . Web.
2020	Sharon Loudon. "Vesna Jovanovic." <i>Foundwork</i> . sec. Guest Curators. Web.
2019	Noa/h Fields. "Siblings Has a Kindling Feeling." <i>New Art Examiner</i> . Print.
2019	Alice Fleecrackers. "Creators–Vesna Jovanovic." <i>Polyfield Magazine</i> . Web.
2019	S. Nicole Lane. "Intimate Justice: Vesna Jovanovic." <i>Sixty Inches From Center</i> . Web.
2018	Roger Brown. "Art & Life with Vesna Jovanovic." <i>Voyage Chicago</i> . Web.
2018	Chester Alamo-Costello. "Foreign Bodies & Visual Prompts." <i>The COMP Magazine</i> . Web.
2018	<i>Medical Humanities: From Campus to Communities</i> . Columbus, OH. Print.
2017	Steve Johnson. "Object Lessons..." <i>Chicago Tribune</i> . Print.
2017	"MEDinART." <i>Athens Science Festival 2017</i> , Technopolis, Athens, Greece. Video.
2016	Michael Chichi. "Morphology of Cyclic Phenomena." <i>Synaptic Stimuli</i> . Web.

- 2016 "Episode 540: Vesna Jovanovic." Interview by Duncan MacKenzie. *Bad at Sports*. Podcast.
- 2015 "Finding Art in Human Anatomy." Interview by Ben Marcus. *Illinois Science Council*. Web.
- 2015 Sia Lenaburg. "Exhibition: Medical Glass Takes Center Stage..." *Glass Quarterly*. Web.
- 2015 Marielle Shaw. "Weird Science: Obscura Society Takes Us Into Surgery." *Chicagoist*. Web.
- 2015 Peter Margasak. "Ten x Ten." *Chicago Reader*. Print.
- 2015 Maria Girgenti. "Portrait of the Artist: Vesna Jovanovic." *Newcity*. Print.
- 2015 Carrie McGath. "A Studied Intimacy: Vesna Jovanovic and Michael Tegland at Packer Schopf Gallery." *Chicagoist*. Web.
- 2015 B. David Zarley. "Insert Here." *New American Paintings*. Web.
- 2015 Robin Dluzen. "Vesna Jovanovic." *Visual Art Source*. Web.
- 2015 Carrie McGath. "Five Friday Art Openings Worth Battling the Cold to See." *Chicagoist*. Web.
- 2014 Linda Smith. "Exhibition Embraces Subjectivity, Dissimilarity." *The University News* [Irving]. Print.
- 2014 Sid Perkins. "Surgery Museum Holds Wonders for the Brave." *Science News*. Print.
- 2014 "MEDinART." *Fabrica Vitae* exhibition, *Vesalius Continuum*. Zakynthos, Greece. Video.
- 2014 Suzanne Hood. "Inside Out: The Art of Vesna Jovanovic." *Art and Science Journal*. Web.
- 2013 "Santa Fe Pareidolia." *Composite Arts Magazine No. 13: Corporeal*. Web.
- 2013 *Abaton: Des Moines University Literary Review* 7 (2013): front cover. Print.
- 2013 "Art Beat: May 17, 2013." *Art Beat*. The Voice of Santa Fe. KVSF 101.5, Santa Fe. Radio.
- 2013 Bridget Esangga. "Seeing Things." *Alumni ENews*. The School of the Art Institute of Chicago.
- 2012 Sarah Charley. "Feature Article: Fermilab Brings Energy into Art." *Fermilab Today*. Web.
- 2011 Kerry Erdman. "Anatomically Correct." *XOJ 2* [New Delhi, India]. Print.
- 2010 Vesna Jovanovic. "Pareidolia." *Hektoen International*. Web.
- 2010 Paulette Thenhaus. "Vesna Jovanovic: Drawing & Clay." *The Zephyr* [Galesburg]. Print.
- 2010 "Artists at Work Forum: Studio As Lab." *Community Partners Events*. CAN TV. Television.
- 2009 Dehlia Hannah. "Hybrids." *Art:21 Magazine*. Web.
- 2009 Phil Plait. "Pareidolia Inside of Us." *Slate Magazine*. Web.
- 2009 Lauren Davis. "The Art That Lives Inside of Us." *io9*. Web.
- 2009 Claudine Ise. "Review: Vesna Jovanovic / IMSS." *Newcity*. Print.
- 2009 "Critics' Picks." *Time Out Chicago*. Print.
- 2009 Amy B. Puma. "Art in Science." *University of Chicago Magazine*. Print.
- 2009 "Timekeeper." *Chicago Reader*. Print.
- 2008 Chelsea Vail. "Gordon Center Exhibit Weds the Academic and the Aesthetic" *The Chicago Maroon*. Print.
- 2008 Lauren Kolodziej. "Science in Art at the University of Chicago." *The Imprint*. Print.
- 2007 "Vesna Jovanovic." *ART Trends Magazine* [Edmonton, Canada]. front cover & feature. Print.
- 2006 Francesca de Filippi. "Genius & Madness/Genio & Follia." *Exibart*, Tribunale di Firenze. Web.
- 2006 Vito Caiati. "Arte Moderna tra Genio e Follia a Lecce." *Bari Sera* [Bari, Italy]. Print.
- 2006 Daria Ricci. "Una Settimana Ricca di Appuntamenti d'Arte: Tra Lecce e Galatina" *Cittá Magazine*. Print.

SELECTED LECTURES / WORKSHOPS / PANELS

- 2026 Artist Talk, *Bawdy*, Governors State University, University Park, IL
- 2026 Lecture and Exhibition Tour funded by SAIC, *Research Studio II: Queer Color* course, School of the Art Institute of Chicago and Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL
- 2025 Artist Talk, *Palpable*, O'Connor Art Gallery, Dominican University, River Forest, IL
- 2025 Workshop, *Poured Ink Experiments*, Campfire Printing Press, Chicago, IL

- 2025 Lecture and Workshop funded by the School of Medicine, *Drawing and Observation in Medicine* course, University of California, Davis, CA (online)
- 2025 Panel, "Drawing Observations in Medicine," *Health Humanities Consortium Conference*, Philadelphia, PA
- 2024 Lecture and Workshop funded by the School of Medicine, *Drawing and Observation in Medicine* course, University of California, Davis, CA (online)
- 2017 Lecture, Workshop, and Graduate and Undergraduate Critiques funded by the School of Art & Design, Ohio University, Athens, OH
- 2017 Lecture funded by SAIC, *Scientific Illustration* course, The Field Museum, Chicago, IL
- 2016 Visiting Artist Critiques, High Concept Labs at Mana Contemporary, Chicago, IL
- 2016 Lecture funded by SAIC, *Scientific Illustration* course, The Field Museum, Chicago, IL
- 2016 Lecture and Workshop, Willson Memorial Lecture Series, University of Nebraska Omaha, NE
- 2016 Workshop, Graduate Critiques, and Lecture funded by the School of Art and Design, Northern Illinois University, De Kalb, IL
- 2015 Panel, *4th Floor North*, International Museum of Surgical Science, Chicago, IL
- 2015 Lecture funded by MAPS, St. Louis Regional Arts Commission, St. Louis, MO
- 2015 Workshop funded by MAPS, The Enamel Project space, St. Louis, MO
- 2015 Lecture funded by SAIC, *Culturam Viventem: Archive, Response, and Interpretation* seminar, International Museum of Surgical Science, Chicago, IL
- 2015 Workshop funded by the Chicago Academy for the Arts *Prodigy Institute* program, International Museum of Surgical Science, Chicago, IL
- 2014 Lecture funded by SAIC, *Scientific Illustration* course, The Field Museum, Chicago, IL
- 2014 Panel, *Professional Artist Development Series*, RAM's Charles A. Wustum Museum of Fine Arts, Racine Art Museum, Racine, WI
- 2014 Lecture, Haggerty Art History Auditorium, University of Dallas, Irving, TX
- 2014 Panel, *A Conversation Between the Curator and Artist-in-Residence*, International Museum of Surgical Science, Chicago, IL
- 2014 Lecture funded by the Smart Museum of Art, *Visual Art and Medicine* course, Knapp Center for Biomedical Discovery, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 2014 Lecture funded by SAIC, *Scientific Illustration* course, The Field Museum, Chicago, IL
- 2013 Lecture funded by the International Studies program, *Local Bodies, Global Capital* course, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 2013 Workshop, Marshall and Doris Holleb Family Special Exhibits Gallery, Oriental Institute Museum, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 2012 Panel, *Inosculation*, Urban Arts Space, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH
- 2012 Presentation, "Architecture and the Body," *Urban Anatomy: (Re)Animating Chicago*, International Museum of Surgical Science, Chicago, IL
- 2010 Panel, "When Science Meets Art," *137 Films: Science Fair*, The Viaduct Theater, Chicago, IL
- 2010 Panel, "Studio as Lab," *Artists at Work Forum*, Chicago Cultural Center, Chicago, IL
- 2010 Presentation and Endnote Panel, *Everyday Matters: Embodied Life and Experience* anthropology conference, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL

EDUCATION

- 2005 MFA, Visual Arts, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH (full stipend)
- 2003 BFA, Studio Art, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 2000 BS, Chemistry, Loyola University Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 2000 BA, Fine Arts, Loyola University Chicago, Chicago, IL