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Artist Statement

I explore the intersection between jewelry that engages with the body and the formal and conceptual solutions that make them into works of art. The tactile nature of my pieces lures the viewer in, helping to construct an intense personal relationship with each piece. By focusing on the relationship between jewelry and the body I challenge myself to design both visually seductive and highly technical work. There is something in the way it feels to solve these problems that gives me a passionate fulfillment. My recent works facilitate a wide range of interpretations because of their uniquely abstract nature. Through exploration of the intersection of form and technique and by emphasizing balance, I seek to create a harmonious aesthetic that is both unique and visually seductive.

<u>Title</u>	<u>Media</u>
Figure 1: Fertility Vessel	Raised Copper, Brass Rim (2.75 in x 3 in)
Figure 2: Fertility Vessel Detail	Raised Copper, Brass Rim (2.75 in x 3 in)
Figure 3: Tea Strainer	Sterling Silver, Brass
Figure 4: Tea Strainer Detail	Sterling Silver, Brass
Figure 5: Shell Reliquary	Chased and Reposed Copper
Figure 6: Shell Reliquary Detail	Chased and Reposed Copper
Figure 7: Self-Similar Necklace	Piqué-a-Jour Enamel, Fine Silver
Figure 8: Self-Similar Necklace Detail	Piqué-a-Jour Enamel, Fine Silver
Figure 9: Cast Ring	Cast Sterling Silver
Figure 10: Bubbles Rings	Copper
Figure 11: The Ballsy Necklace	Enameled Copper, Sterling and Fine Silver
Figure 12: The Ballsy Necklace Detail	Enameled Copper, Sterling and Fine Silver, Pre Fab Clasp
Figure 13: The Ballsy Necklace 2 Detail	Enameled Copper, Sterling and Fine Silver
Figure 14: The Ballsy Necklace 2	Enameled Copper, Sterling and Fine Silver, Pre Fab Clasp
Figure 15: The Ballsy Rings	Sterling Silver
Figure 16: The Sirens Seduction	Chased and Reposed Copper, Sterling Silver, Garnets
Figure 17: The Sirens Seduction Detail 1	Chased and Reposed Copper, Sterling Silver, Garnets
Figure 18: The Sirens Seduction Detail 2	Chased and Reposed Copper, Sterling Silver, Garnets
Figure 19: Self-Similar Ear cuff	Sterling Silver
Figure 20: Abstract Necklace	Cast Sterling Silver



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Figure 13: The Ballys Necklace 2 Detail.



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Figure 15: The Ballsy Rings.



Figure 16: The Sirens Seduction.



Figure 17: The Sirens Seduction Detail 1.



Figure 18: The Sirens Seduction Detial 2.



Figure 19: Self-Similar Ear cuff.



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