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### **Selected Group Exhibitions**

- 2012 North Carolina Gourd Society Gourd Art Competition, Raleigh, NC
- 2010 California Gourd Society Gourd Art Competition, Fallbrook, CA
- 2007 California Gourd Society Gourd Art Competition, Fallbrook, CA
- 2007 Oceanside Public Library, Oceanside, CA
- 2006 Vine to Glass, Oceanside, CA
- 2005 "Roxbury Open Studios," Roxbury Center for the Arts, Roxbury, MA
- 2005 "Women on Top," juried exhibition, San Diego Women's History Museum, San Diego, CA
- 2004 "Oceanside Museum of Art Artist Alliance Bank of America," Oceanside, CA
- 2004 "Gourd Pizzazz 2004," Artists Gallery, Escondido, CA
- 2004 "Figure That," juried exhibition, Escondido Municipal Gallery, Escondido, CA

### **Auctions**

- 2012 Live & Give 2012 Community Support Campaign Online Auction, Wells Fargo, Charlotte, NC
- 2004 "Panache," Escondido Municipal Gallery, Escondido, CA
- 2004 Vista Village Business Association Art Auction, Vista, CA

### **Awards**

- 2012 First Place (Wearables: Hat), North Carolina Gourd Society Gourd Art Competition, Raleigh, NC
- 2012 First Place (Wearables: Purse), North Carolina Gourd Society Gourd Art Competition, Raleigh, NC
- 2012 First Place (Wearables: Jewelry), North Carolina Gourd Society Gourd Art Competition, Raleigh, NC
- 2012 First Place (Wearables: Other), North Carolina Gourd Society Gourd Art Competition, Raleigh, NC
- 2012 First Place (Toys: Dolls), North Carolina Gourd Society Gourd Art Competition, Raleigh, NC
- 2012 First Place (Display: Fine Art Display), North Carolina Gourd Society Gourd Art Competition, Raleigh, NC
- 2012 First Place (Special Talents: Mask), North Carolina Gourd Society Gourd Art Competition, Raleigh, NC
- 2012 Second Place (Toys: Toy), North Carolina Gourd Society Gourd Art Competition, Raleigh, NC
- 2012 Second Place (Miscellaneous: Ethnic), North Carolina Gourd Society Gourd Art Competition, Raleigh, NC
- 2012 Honorable Mention (Holiday: Other), North Carolina Gourd Society Gourd Art Competition, Raleigh, NC
- 2010 First Place (Wearable Gourd Accessory), California Gourd Society Gourd Art Competition, Fallbrook, CA
- 2010 Judge's Choice (Wearable Gourd Accessory), California Gourd Society Art Competition, Fallbrook, CA
- 2010 First Place (Gilded Gourd), California Gourd Society Art Competition, Fallbrook, CA
- 2007 Second Place (Jewelry), California Gourd Society Art Competition, Fallbrook, CA
- 2007 Second Place (Dolls/Human Figures), California Gourd Society Art Competition, Fallbrook, CA

### **Publications**

- "Inspirations: What Inspires Sala Faruq" by Kira Withers-Jones, *Making Jewellery*, Issue 14, May 2010
- "The Gourdeous Path" by Sala Faruq, *The Golden Gourd*, Spring 2007

### **Education**

- Master of Arts, The American University, Washington, DC - 1983
- Bachelor of Fine Arts, Howard University, Washington, DC - 1976

### **Teaching**

- Instructor, The Shepherdess, San Diego, CA - 2010

### **Membership**

- North Carolina Gourd Society