

PRESIDENTS' GOOD STEWARD AWARD



Judith Follo *New Hampshire Institute of Art*

Judith joined the faculty of New Hampshire Institute of Art in 2014 teaching Biology and Human Health. Since that time she has been a committed and collaborative member of the Liberal Arts department and Faculty Senate. From the beginning, she has improved our students learning experience and endeavors to raise awareness, increase understanding, and motivate action for sustainability. She has been an enthusiastic member of the Faculty senate, leading the Teaching and Learning Committee and serving as the adjunct-at-large, representing their interests to the senate.

Judith has embraced the community within and outside of NHIA. In one example of many community projects, she established a working relationship with the City of Manchester Department of Public Works Our students to design and stenciled storm drains around our urban campus to raise awareness of where the water drains. One student was so touched she brought the concepts and ideas back to her hometown to implement and educate their community over the summer break. Judith coordinated students from the Art Education department to serve as judges in PTA Reflections Art Program (2016 and 2017) for elementary and middle schools of Derry, NH.

She continues her civic engagement in and around her hometown as a 4H Leader in Sandown, NH and the current PTA Reflections Art Program Coordinator for East Derry Memorial Elementary and West Running Brook Middle Schools in Derry, NH. Judith also served as Chair of Derry Go Green Committee (2012-2016), which works under the Derry Conservation Commission focusing on public engagement with our conservation lands and sustainability.