

MSU Faculty and Staff:

It is with a sad heart that we communicate to our campus that Adam Yungbluth, Visiting Assistant Professor of Ceramics in the MSU Department of Art and Design, suddenly passed away on June 12.

Adam was born in Mason, Ohio, in 1981, the son of John and Joy Yungbluth. He is survived by his wife Melissa, instructor of art and design and director of the Golding-Yang Art Gallery, parents, sister Amanda, his pets Jet, Kendrick and Sonar, and many friends, colleagues, and students.

He earned a bachelor's degree at Miami University of Ohio and an MFA from the University of Mississippi, and had taught in the Department of Art and Design at MSU since August 2016. Adam had exhibited his ceramic work in numerous national juried exhibits. He will also be remembered for his work in the classroom, mentoring students and helping them find ways to be creative. Many individuals knew him as compassionate and caring, and he was well respected among colleagues and students. Arrangements are pending.

Please keep Melissa and the family in your thoughts.