

# ***Jessamyn Lovell***

## **Biography**

Jessamyn Lovell, BFA Rochester Institute of Technology, MFA California College of the Arts is an artist and teacher living in the San Francisco Bay Area. Lovell continues work on *Catastrophe, Crisis, and Other Family Traditions*, a long-term photography project about her family in Syracuse, NY where she grew up. The photographs from this project have been exhibited nationally, including at SF Camerawork, New Langton Arts, the Richmond Art Center, Southern Exposure and Photo New York. Her work has been published in Camerawork, Kitchen Sink magazine, Shots, and Contact Sheet. Lovell teaches full time at Diablo Valley College and has taught at Sonoma State University, CSU East Bay and California College of the Arts. She also works with several Bay Area non-profits teaching art and writing to marginalized youth.