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- Demonstrates inspiration in both form and glaze application/pattern from a Contemporary ceramic artist from Oregon Potters Association: at <http://www.ceramicshowcase.com/>  
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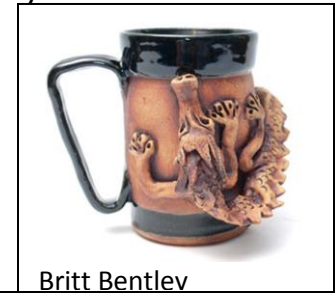
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