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EDUCATION

ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY	2008-2011	MFA Painting
LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY	2007-2008	MFA Candidate
NORTHERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY	2002-2007	BFA

COLLEGE LEVEL TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2015 - ◇	RED ROCKS COMMUNITY COLLEGE / Full Time Art Faculty PAINTING / DRAWING / WATERCOLOR / COLOR THEORY / 2D DESIGN / MURAL PAINTING / FIGURE DRAWING / ART APPRECIATION
2013 - 14	NORMANDALE COMMUNITY COLLEGE / Visiting Artist PAINTING I / PAINTING II / DRAWING I / WATERCOLOR
2011 - 13	NORTHERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY / Adjunct Instructor PAINTING I / DRAWING I
2008 - 11	ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY / Instructor of Record DRAWING I
2007 - 08	LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY / Teaching Assistant DRAWING I / COMPOSITION
2006	NORTHERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY / Teaching Assistant DRAWING II

OTHER TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2015	THE PAINTING LIFE WORKSHOP / Appalachian Center for Craft Instructor / OIL PAINTING WORKSHOP HIGH SCHOOL ART CLASSES / K12 Art Center Instructor / 2D FOUNDATIONS & PORTRAIT PAINTING
2014	HIGHSCHOOL ART DAY / Normandale Community College High School Outreach Instructor / WATERCOLOR PAINTING
2009 - 10	HERBERGER INSTITUTE FOR THE ARTS COMMUNITY SCHOOL AT LARGE / Instructor / High School Painting Camp / Drawing I / Drawing II
2006 - 07	UPTOWN ARTS / Assistant Teacher / 2nd - 5th Grade Students

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2018 *Where The Body Sits and Learns* / DAIRY ARTS CENTER Boulder CO
- 2014 *Critique of Pure Reason* / SOO VISUAL ARTS CENTER Minneapolis MN
On the Vanguard of Grand Delusion / PURDUE UNIVERSITY West Lafayette IN
- 2011 *Indecisive Moments* / ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY Tempe AZ

TWO & THREE PERSON EXHIBITIONS

- 2018 *Literally Figurative* w/Nik Chapleski & Catie Comitor/
11th St. GALLERY Denver CO
- 2013 *Face Time* w/Lazare Rottach / FINE ARTS GALLERY Bloomington MN
NORMANDALE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
- 2012 *Into the World* w/David Carpenter / CLARA M EAGLE GALLERY Murray KY
MURRAY STATE UNIVERSITY

JURIED EXHIBITIONS

- 2017 *Young Painter's Competition* / MIAMI UNIVERSITY Oxford OH
- 2016 *Drawing Never Dies* / REDLINE ART CENTER Denver CO
Williams Prize in Drawing / UNIVERSITY OF HARTFORD West Hartford CT
Rocky Mountain National Watermedia Competition / Golden CO
FOOT HILLS ART CENTER
- 2011 *MFA Exhibition* / FIRST STREET GALLERY New York NY
Master Pieces / MANIFEST GALLERY Cincinnati OH
- 2010 *Juried Summer Exhibition* / HARRY WOOD GALLERY Tempe AZ
Little Things / THE PROJECT LODGE Madison WI
- 2009 *Printstravaganza* / Gallery 100 / ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY Tempe AZ
- 2008 *NKU Alumni Exhibition* / NORTHERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY Highland Heights KY
- 2007 *University Open* / ARTS PLACE DOWNTOWN ART CENTER Lexington KY
Juried Student Exhibition / NORTHERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY Highland Heights KY
NSAL Annual Art Competition / LEXINGTON OPERA HOUSE Lexington KY
- 2006 *Juried Student Exhibition* / NORTHERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY Highland Heights KY
- 2005 *Juried Student Exhibition* / NORTHERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY Highland Heights KY
- 2003 *Juried Student Exhibition* / NORTHERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY Highland Heights KY

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2019 *Suburban* / LAWRENCE ARTS CENTER / University of Kansas Lawrence KS
Painting the Psalms / PARK CHURCH Denver CO
Faculty Exhibition / RED ROCKS COMMUNITY COLLEGE Lakewood CO
- 2017 *Suburban* / STAMP GALLERY / University of Maryland College Park MD
Crate Digger 2 / GABBA GALLERY Los Angeles CA
Painting the Psalms / PARK CHURCH Denver CO
Faculty Exhibition / RED ROCKS COMMUNITY COLLEGE Lakewood CO
- 2016 *60 Americans* / MAKESHIFT MUSEUM Los Angeles CA
Love, SooVAC / SOO VISUAL ART CENTER Minneapolis MN
Painting the Psalms / PARK CHURCH Denver CO
Faculty Exhibition / RED ROCKS COMMUNITY COLLEGE Lakewood CO
- 2015 *Plein Airs* / INDIANAPOLIS ART CENTER Indianapolis IN
Faculty Exhibition / RED ROCKS COMMUNITY COLLEGE Lakewood CO
- 2014 *Observe(ed)* / K12 TEJAS GALLERY Dayton OH
- 2011 *10 Cameras Project* / ART SPACE Scottsdale AZ
- 2010 *Cacophonous* / BENTLEY PROJECTS Phoenix AZ
Nathan Cummings Fellowship Show / HARRY WOOD GALLERY Tempe AZ
The State of Things / NIGHT GALLERY Tempe AZ
- 2008 *Graduate Painters Exhibition* / LOUISIANA ARCHIVES Baton Rouge LA
- 2007 *Graduate Student Exhibition* / LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY Baton Rouge LA
My Habitual Nature / NORTHERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY Highland Heights KY
- 2006 *Summer Fair Emerging Artists Exhibition* / ESSEX GALLERY Cincinnati OH
- 2005 *Metamorphosis* / NORTHERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY Highland Heights KY
None Actually / GREAT SCOTT Cincinnati OH
Fringe Festival / SIXTH STREET & SYCAMORE GALLERY Cincinnati OH
Resemblance / ALCHEMIZE Cincinnati OH
- 2004 *Installations and Performances* / CARNEGIE ART CENTER Covington KY

BIBLIOGRAPHY

- 2020 CREATE! MAGAZINE/ Featured Artist / Issue #19
- 2017 60 AMERICANS / Exhibition Catalogue
- 2015 ARTVOICES MAGAZINE / Featured Artist / Issue #38 COVER
- 2014 SOUTHWEST JOURNAL / *Three Young Painters* / Review / COVER
Article by Dylan Thomas
FRESH PAINT MAGAZINE / Featured Artist / Issue #2 COVER

- 2012 NEW AMERICAN PAINTINGS / Featured Artist / Issue #99 COVER
 THE ART OUT THERE / Art Blog / May
 SITE 95 / Art Journal & Online Feature / February
- 2011 MASTERPIECES / Exhibition Catalogue from Manifest Gallery
- 2008 CITY BEAT / NKU Alumni Show / Review / Article by Tamara Muentel
- 2007 THE LICKING RIVER REVIEW / Featured Artist
 UNIVERSITY OPEN / Exhibition Catalogue from ArtsPlace Gallery
 MY HABITUAL NATURE / Self Published Exhibition Catalogue
- 2006 THE LICKING RIVER REVIEW / Featured Artist

ASSORTED PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

- 2018 Artist Lecture for *Where the Body Sits and Learns* / DAIRY ARTS CENTER / Boulder CO
- 2018 Designer for Ephesians Series / PARK CHURCH / Denver CO
- 2018 Commission of Grandmasters / NOVA MENTE ACADEMY / Englewood CO
- 2017 Commission of Grandmasters / ACADEMY OF BRAZILIAN JIU JITSU ARVADA / Arvada CO
- 2016 Juror for *Art of the Mind* / 40 WEST ARTS / Lakewood CO
- 2015 Artist for *Art Off* Fundraiser / K12 TEJAS GALLERY / Dayton OH
- 2014 Exhibiting Artist Lecture / PURDUE UNIVERSITY / West Lafayette IN
- 2014 Design Finalist / ART SPACE NEWPORT AQUARIUM MURAL / Newport KY
- 2014 Juror for *Regional High School Art Show* / NORMANDEALE COMMUNITY COLLEGE / Bloomington MN
- 2013 Visiting Artist Lecture / NORMANDEALE COMMUNITY COLLEGE / Bloomington MN
- 2012 Exhibiting Artist Lecture for *Into the World* / MURRAY STATE UNIVERSITY / Murray KY
- 2012 Artist Lecture for Adv ART/ HOLY CROSS HIGH SCHOOL / Latonia KY
- 2011 Artist Lecture for Art Club/ ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY / Tempe AZ

AWARDS & DISTINCTIONS

- 2018 Non-Provisional Faculty Promotion
- 2018 Semi Finalist for Endowed Teaching Chair Award
- 2017 William and Dorothy Yeck Award Finalist
- 2016 Williams Prize for Drawing Finalist
- 2015 Puffin Foundation Fellowship Awardee

- 2010 Benjamin Fie Wong Scholarship Award to Arizona State University
- 2008 Special Talent Award Scholarship to Arizona State University
- 2008 - 11 Graduate Teaching Assistantship to Arizona State University
- 2008 Full Graduate Assistantship to Louisiana State University
- 2007 Northern Kentucky University Art Department / Most Outstanding Graduating Sr.
Northern Kentucky University Art Department Full Tuition Scholarship
3rd Place Winner National Society of Arts and Letters Annual Competition /
Lexington Opera House / Jurors Janie M. Welker & Jim Cantrell

PUBLIC ART PROJECTS

- 2020 RED ROCKS COMMUNITY COLLEGE LAKEWOOD CAMPUS / Mural Painting Class
- 2019 RED ROCKS COMMUNITY COLLEGE ARVADA CAMPUS / Mural Painting Class
- 2015 CHRISTIAN MORLEIN BREWERY MURAL / Teaching Artist / **ArtWorks** Cincinnati
- 2014 NEWPORT AQUARIUM MURAL / Design Finalist / **ArtWorks** Cincinnati
- 2014 NORMANDALE COMMUNITY COLLEGE / Library Mural / Project Leader
- 2005 NORTHERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY / Mural in the Herrmann Science Center /
Participated in the Production of the Mural by Kevin Munte