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Education

- 2014** **Master of Fine Arts**, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA
2012 **Co-Prosperity School**, Artist Run School and Seminar, Chicago, IL
 Artist run seminar, lecturers included Lane Relyea, Michelle Grabner, and James Elkins.
- 2007** **Bachelor of Fine Arts in Painting**, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
2007 **Certificate - Liberal Arts and Management Program (LAMP)**, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
 LAMP is an intensive writing management program built with the Kelley School of Business.
- 2007** **Minor in Art History**, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
2007 **Minor in History**, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
2005 **Indiana University Florence Art & Art History Program**, Florence, Italy

Work Experience

- 2014 - Present** **Studio Technician / Printer** - The Fabric Workshop and Museum, Philadelphia, PA
Support artist in residence and project managers by testing materials, print processes, researching and problem-solving fabrication challenges. Work in a variety of media to construct, build, print, and paint projects for artists in residence and screen print production runs of yardage for the shop's inventory.
- 2014 - Present** **Adjunct Lecturer - Drawing, Printmaking, and Design** - Drexel University, Philadelphia PA
Teaching Introductory Drawing courses with an emphasis on perceptual drawing skills. Have also taught Introduction to Screen Printing covering processes from CMYK printing to bookmaking and Design II – Color Theory which mixes analogue and digital approaches to color. Student reviews are excellent.
- Spring 2014** **Fine Arts Lecturer - Introduction to Painting Practices** - University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA
Taught the basic precepts of perceptual painting along with an introduction to the history and techniques of the medium. Class crosslisted with Painting 2 which covered more rigorous topics.
- Fall 2012 - 13** **Teaching Assistant** - University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA
Assisted in teaching Digital Design Practices, Drawing 1, and Intro to Painting Practices. Aided students in their work and professors with instruction, grading, class set up, and critique.
- Fall 2012 - 14** **Print Shop Technician** - University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA
Assisted students in printing after hours, sold supplies, and maintained shop. In workshops, assisted in demonstrations of Electro-Luminescent printing techniques with Orkan Telhan and Matt Neff.
- 2008 - 2012** **Inside Sales Manger** - Digiop Inc, Indianapolis, IN and Chicago, IL
Used strong communication skills to advocate for customers by coordinating between engineering, marketing, technical support, outside sales force, and finance department. Responsible for a million dollar book of domestic sales and managed two direct reports. Digiop is a small Midwestern CCTV manufacture.

Other Relevant Experience

- 2015 – Present** **Co-Director of FJORD Gallery** – Philadelphia, PA
Fjord Gallery is an artist run space in Philadelphia dedicated to showing emerging artists and young curators.
- 2013 - 2014** **PhotoUPenn Social Media Research Assistant** - University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA
Maintained a weekly e-mail and the Photo department's social media through a blog and Facebook page.

Other Skills - Proficient in Adobe and Microsoft Office Suites. Strong understanding of order entry and inventory systems, including QuickBooks. Good with sales analytics and using excel to parse data. Excellent communication and people skills.

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Exhibitions

- 2016** Made In Paint 2016, group show exhibition of 2015 Golden Foundation residents, New Berlin, NY
Rabbit, Rabbit, Rabbit, staff group show, The Fabric Workshop and Museum, Philadelphia, PA
- 2015** Aim at What You See, group show, NAPOLEON Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
Pool Rules, group show and installation at Satellite Artist Run Hotel Fair with FJORD Gallery, Miami, FL
2419, group show, FJORD Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
Open Field, group show curated by Andrea Landau, August, Tiger Strikes Astroid, Philadelphia, PA
- 2014** Blind Handshake, group show curated by Natessa Amin, October, FJORD Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
99 Break Ups, creator/performer in Pig Iron Theatre Company production, PAFA Museum, Philadelphia, PA
An Ocean In-Between the Waves, group show curated by Roland Schoeny, June, Franz Josefs Kai 3, Vienna, Austria
5 into 1, juried group sculpture show, June, Moore College of Art and Design, Philadelphia, PA
To Labor With Love, group show curated by Elisa Gabor, May, FJORD Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
The World Moves Faster Than You Do, solo show, March, Nelson Gallery, Lexington, VA
Bringing Down The Stars, group show, February, Maas, Philadelphia, PA
- 2013** Well Behaved, MFA group show, Charles Addams Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
Unplugged: Painting at the University of Pennsylvania, Charles Addams Gallery, Philadelphia PA
Through the Window, two person show, Physical Lab, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA
Galerie im Alcatraz, Collaborative painting show with Daniel Rappitsh and Kyle Joseph, Salzburg, Austria
First Annual MFA/MA Mid-Atlantic Juried Show, group show, Nelson Gallery, Lexington, VA
Thank you, Thank you, MFA group show, Charles Addams Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
- 2012** Star Lounge, solo show, Chicago IL
SIP, solo show, Chicago IL
- 2011** The Red Wagon, group show, Poseyville IN
US, collaborative group show, Ben Russell Gallery, Chicago, IL
Wishbone, solo show, Chicago, IL
- 2010** Melting Point, juried group show, Work Studio, Chicago, IL
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- 2009** Wishbone, solo show, Chicago, IL
Ravenswood Art Walk, participant in group show, Chicago, IL
First In Line, IDADA benefit group benefit show, Harrison Center, Indianapolis, IN
Henry's on East Street, solo show, Indianapolis, IN
Brown Paper Packages, Harrison Center group show sponsored by UPS, Indianapolis, IN
- 2008** Harrison Center, group show, Indianapolis, IN
Art vs Art, Primary Colors, Harrison Center, Indianapolis, IN
- 2007** Timelapse, juried group installation show, SoFA Gallery, Bloomington, IN
BFA Thesis Show, SoFA Gallery, Bloomington, IN

Scholarships, Awards, and Residencies

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| 2016 Wassaic Projects Artist Residency (upcoming) | 2013 Christopher Lyon Memorial Scholarship |
| 2015 Golden Foundation Painting Residency | 2013 Salzburg Summer Academy Tuition Scholarship |
| 2014 The Fabric Workshop Fall Apprenticeship Program | 2013 Best in Show, MFA Juried Show, Nelson Gallery |
| 2014 Pig Iron Theatre Group - Two Week Residency | 2007 Hutton Honors Research Grant |
| 2014 Dedalus Foundation Award Nominee | 2006 Hutton Honors Creative Activities Grant |
| 2014 University of Pennsylvania - Extended Studio Program | 2006 Harry Engel Scholarship |