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EDUCATION

- 2007-2011 **University of Florida.** College of Fine Art, Gainesville, FL.
Master of Fine Arts, Photography.
- 1996-2000 **Rhode Island School of Design.** Providence, RI.
Bachelor of Fine Arts, Photography.

PUBLICATIONS / PUBLISHED WORK

- 2023 **The Orlando Magazine.** Interviewed and featured in an 8-page spread. January 2023 Edition. Orlando, FL.
- 2022 **Tampa University.** Interviewed for the Tampa University student publication. Tampa, FL.
- 2021 **Flora & Fauna.** South x Southeast Gallery and SXSE Magazine. Molena, GA. Selected collective exhibition and publication.
- 2020 **Index, hu.** “The Paradoxical Relationship Between Humans and Animals”. Interview and photography featured in the largest news website in Hungary.
OtherPeoplesPixels Artist Blog, OtherPeoplesPixels Facebook, and OtherPeoplesPixels Instagram. Interview and photography featured.
- 2018 **Of One and The Other.** Self-published a first edition 136-page artist book of my 5 year photography series, “Of One and The Other”, which included an essay by Scholar Stephanie Turner and an interview with Veganes Magazine contreculturel.
- 2017 **Véganes, magazine contreculturel.** “Beyond the Wall of the Species”. Montréal, Canada, distribution Canada and Europe. Interview and photography featured.
GEO WISSEN Magazine. “A Stoke to the Wilderness”. German Science Magazine. NR.60. Interview and photography featured.
Edge of Humanity Magazine. “From Lifesaving to Exploitation-The Human Factor in the Animal’s Life”. Interview and photography featured.
- 2016 **LENSCRATCH.** “RERUNS: Jayanti Seiler: Of One and The Other”. Fine Art Photography Daily. Interview and photography featured.
Vision Magazine. “Of One and The Other”. Beijing. Interview and photography featured.
LIFE FORCE Magazine. UK. Interview and photography featured in July 2016 Issue.
- 2016 **Muybridge’s Horse Photography Blog + Art Index.** “Of One and The Other”. Interview and photography featured.
LENSCRATCH. Fine Art Photography Daily. Interview and photography featured.
Bird in Flight Magazine. “Golden Cage”. Ukraine. Interview and photography featured.
- 2015 **The New York Times LENS.** “Humans and Animals: A Complicated Bond”. New York, NY. Interview and photography featured.

- 2014 **The Daily Telegraph.** Telegraph Media Group. London, UK. “You make my heart sing”, Culture and Art Photography June 14, 2014 Issue, pg. 20-21. Interview/photography featured.
- 2011 **Muse Magazine.** University of Florida, College of Fine Arts. Gainesville, FL. Designed Spring Cover image.
- 2010 **Photographer’s Forum Magazine.** Santa Barbara, CA.
ArtBuzz 2010 Collection, Dunedin, FL. 2nd Place, ArtBuzz Publishing.
Ego Bruise Magazine. Issue 3: January-February 2010, Issuu Publishing.
- 2009 **Possibilities Gallery.** Gainesville, FL. “Skewed”. Curated the exhibition.
Creative Quarterly: The Journal for Art & Design. New York, NY. Web based gallery/ publication, “Environ’s” series, Issue 18: 2009, 3X3 Publishing.
- 2009 **Is Now Following You.** 2009 National Graduate Photography Survey Book, Philadelphia, PA. Oculus Photographic Arts Group.

EXHIBITIONS

- 2024-25 **Life Framer Edition X Winners Exhibition.** FotoZA Gallery in Johannesburg, South Africa and Photography Stronghold Gallery in Tokyo. Also exhibited in online gallery beginning in 2024.
- 2024 **Midwest Center for Photography.** Wichita, KS. “2024 Midwest Center for Photography Juried Exhibition”. Photographs featured in gallery and online. 1st Place 2024 Midwest Center for Photography Director’s Choice Award for the Documentary Category including cash award.
- 2022 **Florida Museum of Photographic Arts (FMoPA).** Tampa, FL. “The Company We Keep, Photographs of Our Complex Relationships with Animals”. Solo Show. Curator, Selina Roman.
- 2021-22 **NJC Fine Art Gallery.** News Journal Center, Daytona Beach, FL. “DSC Faculty and Staff Studio Arts Exhibition”. Collective exhibition.
- 2021 **South x Southeast Gallery.** Molena, GA. “Flora & Fauna”. Selected collective exhibition Curator, Nancy McCrary.
- 2018 **WORKSPACE Gallery.** Lincoln, NE. “Of One and The Other”. Solo Exhibition and Artist Talk. Curators, Larry Gawel & Dana Fritz.
Southeast Museum of Photography. Daytona Beach, FL. “Art Speaks: Voices from the Community.” Solo Exhibition, Book Launch, and Artist Talk. Curator, James Pearson.
- 2017 **Chiang Mai University Art Museum.** Thailand. “Collective Experiences”. Collective international exhibition at the Chiang Mai Photography Festival. Curator, Patricia Lois Nuss.
- 2017 & 2016 **The von Liebig Art Center.** Naples Art Association Camera USA 2016 and 2017 National Photography Exhibition. Naples, FL. Selected collective exhibition featuring work from the series, “Of One and The Other”. Curator, Jack O’Brien.
- 2016 **Southeast Museum of Photography.** Daytona Beach, FL. “Faculty Focus”. Collective exhibition featuring work from the series, “Of One and The Other”. Curator, Juliana Romnes.
- 2015 **Frame of Mind Gallery,** Ormond Beach, FL. “Black and White Photography”. Collective exhibition.
- 2014 **Southeast Museum of Photography.** Daytona Beach, FL. “Of One and The Other”. Solo exhibition. Curator, Kevin Miller.
Big Cat Rescue TV. Film “Mickey Cougar Rescue”. Tampa, FL. Film featured on Discovery Animalist Revision 3 Roku Channel (August) and Big Cat Rescue TV Roku Channel “2014 Best Big Cat Videos”.

- 2013 **Southeast Center for Photographic Studies, Gallery 202.** “Converge”. Daytona Beach, FL. Selected collective exhibition featuring work from the installation, “Docket”.
- 2011 **The Center for Government and International Studies, Concourse Gallery, Harvard University.** Cambridge, MA. “Remember Then: An Exhibition on the Photography of Memory”. Selected collective exhibition featuring work from “Environ’s”. Curators, Scott Patrick Weiner and Regina Mamou.
- 2011 **Pride Community Center of North Central Florida (PCCNCF).** Gainesville, FL. Film “Docket”. Public Screening and Artist Talk.
- University Gallery, University of Florida.** Gainesville, FL. MFA Thesis Exhibition of the installation, “Docket”.
- 2010 **Washington State University, Gallery II and Gallery Gray.** Pullman, WA. “Shifting Ground: Video Exhibition”. Curator, B. Colby Jennings.
- University of Florida, Focus Gallery.** “Wind Between States”. Gainesville, FL.
- 2009 **Samuel P. Harn Museum of Art.** “Wind Between Two Cities”. Gainesville, FL.
- MOCA GA, Jackson Fine Art Gallery.** “Crossroads”. Atlanta, GA. Society for Photographic Education Southeast Regional Conference. Selected collective exhibition featuring work from “Environ’s”. Juror, Anna Walker Skillman.
- University of Florida, WARPhaus Gallery.** “Memento Mori”. Gainesville, FL.
- University of Florida, WARPhaus Gallery.** “Cirque Des Arts”. Gainesville, FL.
- The Story House.** “Visceral Movements.” Gainesville, FL.
- 2008 **Florida State University, 621 Gallery; University of South Florida, Cigar Factory Gallery; and University of Florida WARPhaus Gallery.** “The Florida Consortium of Art Schools (FloCAS)”. 3 month traveling collective exhibition. Juror, Bonnie Clearwater, MOCA Miami.

PERMANENT COLLECTIONS

- 2018 **University of Colorado Boulder.** Boulder, CO. Self-Published book, “Of One and The Other”, acquired by the special collections library.
- The Southeast Museum of Photography.** Daytona Beach, FL. Self-Published book, “Of One and The Other”, acquired by the museum bookstore.
- 2014 **The Southeast Museum of Photography.** Daytona Beach, FL. Print from, “Of One and The Other”, acquired by the museum.
- 1999 **Rhode Islanders Taking Action Gallery.** Providence, RI. Solo Exhibition of series, “Living with AIDS” on permanent display.

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2023 **New York Book Festival.** New York NY. 1st Place Award.
- 2007-2011 **Alumni Graduate Scholarship.** School of Art and Art History, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL. 2007-2001 Award Recipient of \$48,000 Fellowship.
- 2008 **Dennis & Colette Campay Scholarship Fund.** School of Art and Art History University of Florida, Gainesville, FL. 2008 Award Recipient.
- 2004 **Fine Art of Photography.** Art Center Sarasota, FL. 1st Place Award.
- 1999 **T.C. Colley Award & Scholarship.** Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI. Best Junior Photography Major Award Recipient.

ARTIST LECTURES / JUROR

- 2022 **SNAP! Orlando** Portfolio Reviewer. Orlando, FL.
- 2022 **Treasure Coast Photography Center.** *From the Heart Juried Photography Exhibition*, Honored Juror. Port St. Lucie, FL.
- The Casements Cultural Center.** Ormond Beach, FL. “Of One and The Other” Artist Talk.
- 2022 **The Casements Cultural Center.** *29th Ebony and Ivory Show*. Ormond Beach, FL. Honored Juror.
- 2021 **A.E. Bachus Museum & Gallery.** *Through the Eye of The Camera*. Fort Pierce, FL. Honored Juror.
- 2020 **RISD Alumni Club of Miami.** *The Anti-Social Social*. Miami, FL. Presenter.
- 12th Annual Academic Excellence Symposium.** “FINDING OUR FIRE: Igniting Our Passion to Teach” series. Daytona State College, Daytona Beach, FL. Presenter.
- Orlando Camera Club.** Orlando, FL. Photography Contest Juror.
- 2021 Society for Photographic Education (SPE) Media Festival** (26th Annual Women’s Film & Video Festival, Multi-Cultural Caucus, and LGBTQ Caucus Media Fest). Elected Juror.
- 2019 **24th Annual Society for Photographic Education (SPE) Women's Film & Video Festival** (Multi-Cultural Caucus and LGBTQ Caucus Media Fest). Elected Juror.
- 2018 & 2014 **The Southeast Museum of Photography.** Daytona Beach, FL. “Of One and The Other”. Artist Lecture.
- 2017 **Jacksonville Camera Club.** Honored Juror for the 4th Quarterly Print Competition. Jacksonville, FL.
- 2012 **Society for Photographic Education,** Southeast Regional Conference. Daytona Beach, FL. Conference Presenter, “Clemency Raptor” series.
- 2011 **Southeast Center for Photographic Studies.** Daytona State College. Daytona Beach, FL. “Art and Commerce”. Panel presenter.
- 2007 **Artists Emerge.** *Chiaroscuro*. Juror.

PHOTOGRAPHY FIELD

- 2023 **FOTOFEST Reviews.**
- 2019 **2020 Winterthur Plat(t)form Nomination.** Fotomuseum. Winterthur, Switzerland. Nominated by world renowned photographer Arno Minkinen for the 2020 Winterthur Plat(t)form.
- 2017-2018 **JayantiPictures, LLC.** Founded organization to promote, fund and produce artist works that increase understanding for the fair treatment of animals.
- 2015 **Adobe Digital Imaging Education Summit.** Denver, CO. Representative for the Southeast Center of Photographic Education at an intensive weeklong workshop with Adobe.
- 2007-2010 **Seiler Photography.** Commercial photography business. Creator and owner.
- 2009-2010 **Max Becher & Andrea Robbins.** Gainesville, FL. Personal Studio Assistant & Printer.
- 2009 **Samuel P. Harn Museum of Art, JEMA Annex Project.** Gainesville, FL. *Seiler Photography* client.
- 2008 **Herald-Tribune.** Sarasota & Venice, FL. Freelance Photographer.
- Sarasota Educational Museum.** Sarasota, FL. *Seiler Photography* client.
- Safe Place & Rape Crisis Center, Inc (SPARCC).** Sarasota, FL. *Seiler Photography* client.
- 2007-2008 **Sarasota-Manatee Jewish Federation.** Sarasota, FL. *Seiler Photography* client.

- 2006 **Jewish Family & Children’s Service of Sarasota-Manatee, Inc.** Sarasota, FL. *Seiler Photography*.
- 2002-2003 **Beall’s, Inc.** Bradenton, FL. Digital Studio Photographer.
- 2001-2002 **Spectrum Labs and Bill Le Pete Photography.** Boston, MA. Custom Photography Printer.
- 2000-2001 **Museum of Modern Art.** New York, NY. **Luna Imaging, Inc.** Venice, CA. Museum of Modern Art Architecture & Digital Design Collection *Andrew W. Mellon Project*. Studio Photographer.
- 2000 **Glen Turner Studio.** Providence, RI. First Assistant.
- 2000 **Polaroid 20 x 24 Studio and Jill Greenburg Studio.** New York, NY. Photo Assistant/Intern.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2024-present **The Department of Juvenile Justice in the Department of Talent, Leadership and Culture.** Tallahassee, FL. Instructional Systems Designer. eLearning Instructor.
- 2011-2023 **Daytona State College, Southeast Center for Photographic Studies.** Daytona Beach, FL. Assistant Chair and Professor of Photography.
- 2009-2011 **University of Florida,** College of Fine Art, School of Art & Art History. Gainesville, FL. Lead Instructor and Graduate Teaching Assistant.
- 2003-2008 **Professionally Certified Florida Arts Educator (K-12).** Florida School District. Sarasota, FL.
- 2007-2008 **Art Center Sarasota,** Sarasota, FL. Creative Teen Art Workshops, Art Instructor.
- 2006-2008 **Temple Beth Sholom Schools.** Goldie Feldman Academy (PreK-8). Sarasota, FL. Art Instructor.
- 2005-2006 **Brookside Middle School.** Sarasota, FL. Art Instructor.
- 2004-2005 **Ringling School of Art & Design, Continuing Studies & Special Programs Department.** Sarasota, FL. Authored a course and taught several photography classes.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS/CERTIFICATIONS

- 2022-Present **Certified as an Entrepreneurial Mindset Facilitator with The Entrepreneurial Learning Initiative (Eli).** Daytona State College, Florida.
- 2021-Present **Black Magic DeVinici Design Certified Educator.** Daytona State College, Florida.
- 2019-Present **Society for Photographic Education (SPE) Women’s Caucus.**
- 2009-Present **Society for Photographic Education (SPE).**
- 2012-Present **Florida Professional Photographer’s Florida School of Photography.**
- 2010-2011 **Guardian ad Litem Program,** Gainesville, FL. Court appointed advocate for children in foster care.