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EDUCATION

Future Tutors Programme, Royal School of Needlework, UK	2016
MFA, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Sculpture Department	2012
Certificate in Technical Hand Embroidery, Royal School of Needlework, UK	2010
BA, Macalester College, Studio Art Major, Hispanic Studies Minor	2008

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT San Francisco School of Needlework and Design (SNAD)	May 2018 - Present
INSTRUCTOR Royal School of Needlework, Certificate Courses, Day Classes, and Summer School	2015 - Present
INSTRUCTOR San Francisco School of Needlework and Design, beginner through advanced courses	2016 - Present
Projects with the Contemporary Jewish Museum (San Francisco) and SNAD: designing a hands-on embroidery activity for the <i>Textile Lab</i> to accompany the exhibition <i>Veiled Meanings</i> and organization of stitching events including a "Goldwork Embroidery Circle" and "Crafternoons"	2018 - Present
GUEST LECTURER Milwaukee Institute of Art & Design, Studio Principals: Textile	2019
COMMUNITY OUTREACH COORDINATOR San Francisco School of Needlework and Design	2016 - 2018
Gallery Talk, <i>Goldwork Embroidery</i> , Contemporary Jewish Museum, San Francisco, in conjunction with the exhibition <i>Veiled Meanings</i>	2018
Job training program for Rothy's Shoes at SNAD, organized and ran a training program for Rothy's teaching stitchers how to hand monogram shoes	2018
Job training program for HSH Interiors at SNAD, organized and ran a training program teaching stitchers how to hand embroider cashmere sweaters	2018

ASSISTANT TEXTILE CONSERVATOR Forever Embroidery Studio, San Francisco	2014 - 2016
EMBROIDERY CONSULTANT AND INSTRUCTOR KAYU Design, teaching new immigrant women the skill of hand monogramming at the San Francisco YMCA as part of KAYU's initiative to provide them with practical training and an alternative source of income	2015 - 2016
Lecture, <i>Embroidered Portraits</i> , Filoli, CA	2016
INSTRUCTOR AND LECTURER Forever Embroidery Studio Seminar on the Queen Mary, CA	2015
VISITING ARTIST AND INSTRUCTOR Ixchel Museum of Indigenous Textiles and Clothing, Guatemala	2015
ASSISTANT INSTRUCTOR Royal School of Needlework	2013 - 2014
UPHOLSTERY APPRENTICE Mandan Designs, San Francisco	2013
TEACHING ASSISTANT Mold Making and Casting with Steve Reber, School of the Art Institute of Chicago	2011
VOLUNTEER Graphic design, Macalester-Groveland Seniors Living at Home/Block Nurse Program, St. Paul, MN	2006 - 2009
VOLUNTEER Art Therapy, Baan Nontapum Home for Children with Disabilities, Bangkok, Thailand	2005

SPECIAL PROJECTS

Liz Harvey's <i>The Lost Ones</i> , Master Embroidery Teacher during performances: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • de Young Museum, San Francisco • Conceptual Craft Exhibition at Artemis Gallery, San Francisco • Yerba Buena Night, San Francisco 	2015 - 2016
Embroidery Project for Ixchel Museum of Indigenous Textiles and Clothing, Guatemala, designing embroidery kits based on pieces in the museum collection, to be sold in the museum store and also used to facilitate the teaching of embroidery classes at the museum	2016
Cornelia Parker's <i>Magna Carta (An Embroidery)</i> , part of the Royal School of Needlework team who helped to embroider and piece together this project	2015

HONORS

Royal School of Needlework Clothworkers' Award for Top Student	2015
Eldon Danhausen Sculpture Fellowship	2012
Graduated Cum Laude with Departmental Honors, Macalester College	2008
Freeman Grant – Student/Faculty Collaboration with Ceramics Professor Gary Erickson of Macalester College, traveled to Jingdezhen, China to study traditional porcelain tile making techniques	2007

EXHIBITIONS

<i>In Remembrance: People, Times, & Places</i> , San Francisco Center for the Book	2017
<i>Stories in Stitch</i> , Royal School of Needlework, UK	2016
<i>Stitched in Time: A Needlework Exhibit</i> , Filoli, CA	2016
<i>Black, White, and Colour</i> , Cumberland Lodge, UK	2014
<i>truck pillow</i> , Ford's Truck Plant in the Rouge Complex, Dearborn, MI	2013
SAIC MFA Graduate Exhibition, Sullivan Galleries, Chicago	2012
Solo Exhibition, <i>...to a company that made something</i> , Gallery Uno, Chicago	2012
<i>Weddings/Proms/Corporate Events/Beauty Pageants/Bar Mitzvahs/Quinceañeras/</i> , Zhou B Art Center, Chicago	2011
<i>No People, Pets, or Flowers: A One-Night Exhibition Exploring the Sentimental, the Personal, and the Domestic in Contemporary Art</i> , Chicago	2010
<i>Exhibition of Student Work</i> , Royal School of Needlework, UK	2010
<i>Minnesota State Fair Fine Arts Exhibition</i> , juried	2009
<i>Custom Toy Contest</i> , APW Gallery, Long Island City, NY	2009
<i>Interrobang</i> , Macalester College Senior Art Exhibition	2008
<i>Annual Macalester College Student Exhibition</i> , juried	2005 - 2008

RESIDENCIES

<i>Entre</i> , Guatemala City, Guatemala	2015
Sanbao Ceramic Art Institute, Jingdezhen, China	2007