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EDUCATION

Hunter College, MFA in Integrated Media Arts, 2007

Tufts University and School of the Museum of Fine Arts, BFA, 1996

NYC Certified Visual Arts Teacher

SELECT GROUP EXHIBITIONS

Brea Gallery, *Made in California*, Brea, CA, 2021

Art Fluent, *FEMME*, *Online Exhibition*, 2021

Sergio Gomez Curates, *Isolation Chronicles*, *Virtual Exhibition Experience*, 2021

Los Angeles Art Association, *Indistinct Chatter*, Los Angeles, CA, 2020

I Like Your Work Summer Online Exhibition, *Congruence* (Juror: Bridgette Meyer), 2020

ShockBoxx Gallery, *GO! Figure, Figurative Art Show*, Hermosa Beach, CA, 2020

Site:Brooklyn Gallery, *Drawing Lines Across Mediums*, Brooklyn, NY

(Juror: Olga Tetkowsky, The Drawing Center, NY, NY), 2016

A.I.R. Gallery, *A.I.R. Gallery's 11th Biennial Exhibition: Making and Taking: Pictures Reconsidered*, Brooklyn, NY (Juror: Nancy Princenthal), 2015

TEACHING AND GRAPHIC DESIGN EXPERIENCE

ArtEsteem, LLC

New York, NY, 2013-2017

Founder and Educator at ArtEsteem: a customizable program that utilizes The Arts to promote art achievement and portfolio development for teens and young adults.

Art Department Chair and Art Teacher

New Explorations into Science, Technology and Math, New York, NY, 2007-2013

Studio Art, Grades 6-8, Digital Arts, Grades 10-12

Digital Photography and Studio Art Teacher

Hunter College High School, New York, NY, Grades K-12, 2006-2007 (Sabbatical)

Multimedia Designer

Gender Equity Project, <http://www.hunter.cuny.edu/genderequity>

Research Foundation of the City University of New York, NY, 2004-2008

Graphic Artist

American Management Association, New York, NY, 2000-2004

<http://www.amanet.org>

Ceramics and Studio Art Teacher

Clarkstown High School, New City, NY, Grades 9-12, 1999-2000

Visual Arts Teacher

Springfield Middle School, Springfield, PA, 1997-1999

MEMBERSHIPS/RECOGNITION

Member of the Los Angeles Art Association, 2018-present

ArtSlant Prize Showcase Winner – Mixed Media Category, ArtSlant, (NY online publication) 2014

Speaker on Best Practices in Teaching Digital Media Arts,
National Art Education Association Conference, New York City, 2012

Honored for Outstanding Student Work, New York City PS ART Exhibition, 2007-2013

Awarded for exemplary work by Scholastic Art Awards, 2008, 2009, 2011, 2012

Honored by New York City Council at City Hall, NYC 2030 Art Exhibition, 2007

Nominated for and participated in the Hunter College Public Leadership Program, 2006

American Management Association, Award of Distinction for Team Excellence, Graphic Artist, 2003