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## **EDUCATION**

**Master of Fine Arts in Painting + Drawing, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2021**

**Visual Arts Management Certificate, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2021**

(Studied with John Sabraw, Julie Dummermuth, David LaPalombara, Melissa Haviland, Duane McDiarmid)

**Bachelor of Fine Arts in Painting, University of Texas, Arlington, Texas, 2012**

(Studied with Sedrick Huckaby, Stephen Lapthisophon, Marilyn Jolly, John Hartley)

## **AWARDS AND HONORS**

**Graduate Recruitment Scholarship, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2018-2021**

**Graduate Assistantship, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2018-2021**

**Expo 2017 Recipient Award, 500X Gallery, Dallas, Texas, 2017**

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Art Dallas Inc.** Dallas, Texas. 2022-Present

Design

Installation

Fabrication

**Artworks of Kansas City**, Kansas City, Missouri, 2021-2022

Art Handling.

Fabrication of Crates, Slip Cases, Custom Boxes.

Crating of Artwork

Installation/Deinstallation

Box Truck Experience

**Painting + Drawing Mentorship Program**, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2019-2021

Mentor to Painting + Drawing Undergraduates.

Assisted and provided studio visits to undergrads under my mentorship.

**Exhibition Fabricator**, Kennedy Museum of Art, Athens, Ohio, 2019

“Reflective Objects: Collectors and Their Collections.”

Fabrication of Plinths, Tables, Pedestals.

Art installation, Art handling

**Studio Assistant to John Sabraw**, Athens, Ohio, 2019

Assisted in the production of artwork.

Prep, Setup, and distribution of pigments onto canvas.

**Gallery Assistant**, Ohio University Art Gallery, Athens, Ohio, 2018-2019

Art Installation, Art Handling, Packaging, Storage of Artwork.

**Gallery Assistant**, Cris Worley Fine Arts, Dallas, Texas, 2017-2018

Art installation, Art Handling, Packaging, Acquisitions.

Assisted in the sale of artworks.

Provided additional assistance during the Dallas Art Fair to Cris Worley Fine Arts.

**Studio Assistant to Simeen Farhat**, Dallas, Texas, 2017-2018

Bookkeeping and Records, Organization of tools and materials.

Assemblage and installation of artwork.

**Gallery Attendant**, Ft. Worth Modern Museum of Art, 2015-2018

Observed public interactions with the collections of the Ft. Worth Modern Art Museum.

Provided security detail in relation to collections during events, parties, exhibitions.

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE (Instructor of Record)**

**Beginning Drawing:** Texas Christian University, Ft. Worth, Texas, 2022

Develops fundamental skills and techniques in drawing with emphasis on creative expression, perception, and composition.

**Beginning Painting: Color, Theory, Form, Content**, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2020-21

Develops fundamental skills and techniques in painting with emphasis on creative expression, perception, and composition.

**Beginning Drawing: Theory, Form, Content**, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2020

Develops fundamental skills and techniques in drawing with emphasis on creative expression, perception, and composition.

**Visual Art in Practice and Theory: Critical Perspectives**, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2019  
Emphasizes the historical and theoretical contexts and approaches that inform the production and analysis of visual culture.

### **OTHER TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

**Art Instructor**, Ft. Worth Independent School District, Ft. Worth, Texas, 2017

Grade Level: Middle School 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>

Implementation of Art Lessons, Classroom Management, Block Scheduling.

**Substitute Art Instructor**, Arlington Independent School District, Arlington, Texas, 2016-2017

Grade Level: Elementary through High School K-12<sup>th</sup>

Implementation of Art Lessons, Classroom Management, Block Scheduling.

### **EXHIBITIONS (Solo shows)**

Death, Death, Death, Trisolini Gallery, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2021

### **EXHIBITIONS (Group shows)**

Chaos, Ro2 Gallery, Dallas, Texas, 2022

Refuge, The MAC, Dallas, Texas, 2022

Acid Mine Drainage Invitational, Majestic Gallery, Nelsonville, Ohio, 2022

Run, Run Quiet, Plug Gallery, Kansas City, Missouri, 2021

A Painting Exhibition, December Online Show, The In Art Gallery, 2020

13<sup>th</sup> National Exhibition, Majestic Gallery, Nelsonville, Ohio, 2020

Twist-Ties, Weld House Gallery, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2019

Fourteen Seconds, OU Art Gallery, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, 2019

12<sup>th</sup> National Exhibition, Majestic Gallery, Nelsonville, Ohio, 2019

First of All, Trisolini Gallery, Athens, Ohio, 2019

Expo Show, 500X Gallery, Dallas, Texas, 2017

A/T/M, GDT Art Gallery, Ft. Worth, Texas, 2017

Soda Heads, Grackle Art Gallery, Ft. Worth, Texas, 2017

Good Bones, GDT Art Gallery, Ft. Worth, Texas, 2017

OPEN, GDT Art Gallery, Ft. Worth, Texas, 2016

100 For 100, Shipping and Receiving, Ft. Worth, Texas, 2016

Twenty Something, Gallery 414, Ft Worth, Texas, 2015

The Exhibitionists, Shipping and Receiving, Ft. Worth, Texas, 2015

For The Love of Artists, Kettle Art Gallery, Dallas, Texas, 2014

For The Love of Kettle, Kettle Art Gallery, Dallas, Texas, 2014

Holiday Presence, Kettle Art Gallery, Dallas, Texas, 2014  
Senior Exhibition, UTA Gallery, University of Texas at Arlington, Texas, 2012  
Occupy Painting, Gallery West, University of Texas at Arlington, Texas, 2012  
Figuratively Speaking, Gallery West, University of Texas at Arlington, Texas, 2011

## **BIBLIOGRAPHY**

Studio Visit Magazine, Vol. #39, The Open Studio Press

## **SKILLS**

### **Power Tools**

Miter Saw, Drill, Impact Drill, Palm Grip Sander, Drill Press, Nail Gun, Band Saw, Table Saw, Circular Hand Saw

### **Carpentry**

Advanced Skill Set.

### **Fabrication**

Plinths, Tables, Pedestals, Stretcher Bars, Crates, Slip Cases, Custom Boxes

### **Art handling/installation**

Advanced Skill Set

### **Microsoft Office**

### **Outlook**

### **Adobe Premiere**

### **Adobe Photoshop**

### **Blackboard**

### **Reason (Music Software)**