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EDUCATION

- 2015 **School of the Art Institute of Chicago**, Chicago, IL.
Master of Fine Arts Degree in Printmedia.
- 2012 **University of Wyoming**, Laramie, WY.
Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree
- 2005 **Regis University**, Denver, CO.
Bachelor of Arts with Honors. Majors: Sociology & Philosophy.
- 2006-2008 **University of California - San Diego**, San Diego, CA.
PhD coursework in Sociology with emphasis in Science Studies.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2020-present **Visiting Assistant Professor**
University of Wyoming - Department of Visual & Literary Arts
Courses: Drawing I, Foundation 2D, Foundation 3D, Foundation Color, Art Education: Practicum, Art Education: Philosophy, Theory and Issues, Contemporary Art: Theory & Practice, Painting - Outdoor Studio (Summer 2023), Painting I (Fall 2023)
- 2019-2020 **Temporary Lecturer**
University of Wyoming - Department of Visual & Literary Arts
Courses: Foundation Color, Foundation 2D
- 2015 **Instructor of Record (TA-B)**
School of the Art Institute of Chicago - Printmedia Department
Course: Introduction to Printmaking
- 2013-2015 **Graduate Teaching Assistant - Printmedia Department**
School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Courses: Introduction to Etching, Introduction to Lithography, Artist Books I, Advanced Artist Books, Advanced Lithography
- 2013-2015 **Writing Fellow**
School of the Art Institute of Chicago Writing Center
Courses: Advanced Printmaking, Introduction to Visual Communication Design
- 2012-2013 **Ann Simpson Artmobile Curator of Education**
University of Wyoming Art Museum

EXHIBITION RECORD

- 2021 UW Art Department Faculty Exhibition. University of Wyoming Art Museum. Laramie, WY.
- 2021 *Creative Collectives*. Gallery 321 through Laramie Artists Project. Casper, WY.
- 2020 *Touchstone 2020*. Laramie Artists Project. Laramie, WY. (online exhibition)
- 2019 *Chautauqua School of Art Student & Emerging Artists Exhibition*. Fowler-Kellogg Art Center. Chautauqua, NY.
- 2018 *Outpost - Comedy, Power, Print*. University of Wyoming Mid America Print Conference. Laramie, WY.
Not Somewhere Else But Here. University of Wyoming Mid America Print Conference. Laramie, WY.
Justin Cloud, Tessa Dallarosa, Nyla Hurley, Mike Hurley, Chris Parmelee, Will Ross.
Spudnik Press Cooperative Chicago Print Crawl. free range Gallery. Chicago, IL.
- 2017 *Over, Under & Through*. 2-person show with Diana Baumbach. Pop-Up Art Walk. Laramie, WY.
Moving Targets & Shots in the Dark. Youngers Art Gallery. Northeastern Junior College. Sterling, CO.
Diana Baumbach, Tessa Dallarosa, Cullen Faber, Chris Parmelee, Oli Watt.
Oli Watt: Motor On. Faber & Faber Gallery. Chicago, IL.
- 2016 *Speak Softly & Carry A Big Stick*. free range Gallery. Chicago, IL.
- 2015 *Graduate Thesis Exhibition*. Sullivan Gallery. School of the Art Institute of Chicago. Chicago, IL.
- 2012 *Visual Poetry*. L.H. Horton Jr. Gallery, Delta College, Stockton, CA.
BFA Student Exhibition, Visual Arts Gallery, University of Wyoming. Laramie, WY.
- 2011 *Monumental Ideas in Miniature Books II*. Two Year Traveling Exhibition. Curated by Hui-Chu Ying, Professor of Printmaking. Myers School of Art, University of Akron, OH.
University of Ohio, Emily Davis Gallery, Akron, OH.
Savannah College of Art & Design, Alexander Gallery, Savannah, GA.
University of Colorado, Printmaking Gallery, Boulder, CO.
National Taiwan University of Art, Banciao City Taipei, Taiwan.
University of Mount Union, Crandall Gallery, Alliance, OH.
Texas A&M, The Ben Bailey Gallery, Kingsville, TX.
- 2011 *Laramie: A Gem City Atlas*. One Year Traveling Exhibition. Curated by Rebecca Solnit.
University of Wyoming Art Museum, Laramie, WY.
University of Wyoming William R. Coe Library, Laramie, WY.
California Institute of Integral Studies, Minna Gallery, San Francisco, CA.
36th Annual Student Juried Show. University of Wyoming Art Museum, Laramie, WY.

- 2010 *Emergent Properties*. University of Wyoming UP Gallery. Laramie, WY.
Rabble Rousers: Tales of the West, University of Wyoming UP Gallery, Laramie, WY.
35th Annual Student Juried Show. University of Wyoming Art Museum, Laramie, WY.
- 2007 *Tracing the Traceur*. UCSD Film Festival, University of California-San Diego La Jolla, CA.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

University of Wyoming Visual & Literary Arts Department

- Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Committee - Member (2021-present), Co-Chair (AY 2023-24)
- Laramie Community Arts Internship - Faculty Sponsor (Spring 2023)
- Student Art League Trip to Neltje Center, Banner WY - Faculty Co-Sponsor (Spring 2023)
- Freshman Interest Group (FIG) - Faculty Sponsor (2022-present)
- Foundations/Portfolio Review Committee - Member (2022-present)
- BFA in Studio Committee - Member (2022-present)
- Art Education Capstone Committee - Member (2021-present)
- BFA in Studio Art & Honors Capstone Advisor - Ki Radcliffe (AY 2022-23)
- High School Art Intensive - Foundations Faculty Representative (Fall 2022)
- Provided extensive feedback to NASAD Review Committee
- Co-host for Art and Art History Program Visiting Artist, Lauren Cross (Fall 2023)
- Host for Art and Art History Program Visiting Artist, Jen Delos-Reyes (Spring 2023)
- Host for Visiting Artist, Diana Guerrero-Maciá (Spring 2021)
- Host for Visiting Artist, Juan Ortiz-Apuy (Fall 2020)

PAPERS PRESENTED, PANELS FACILITATED, VISITING ARTIST LECTURES & WORKSHOPS

- 2019 Visiting Artist. *Reading (Text)iles: Pattern and Repetition*. University of Wyoming Department Visual & Literary Arts. Laramie, WY.
Visiting Artist. *University of Wyoming Student Art League Alumni Speaker Series*. University of Wyoming, Laramie, WY.
- 2018 Moderator & Panelist. *Art, Humor and the Art of Political Subtlety*. Mid America Print Conference. University of Wyoming, Laramie, WY.
Visiting Artist. "Not Somewhere Else But Here." ArtConnect Gallery. Laramie, WY.
- 2017 Visiting Artist. "Moving Targets & Shots in the Dark." Northeastern Junior College. Department of

Visual Art. Sterling, CO.

- 2014 Artist Talk. MFA Noontime Lecture. School of the Art Institute of Chicago. Chicago, IL.
2013. Artist Talk + Workshop. *Community Binding*. North Branch Projects. Chicago, IL.
- 2012 Panelist. National Network for Educational Renewal Conference. *Art as the Means for Exploring Identity, Culture and Viewpoint*. Denver, CO.
- 2005 Undergraduate Honors Thesis Defense. Regis, University. Denver, CO.
- Panelist. 9th Annual Community-Campus Partnerships for Health. *Stories of Researching Together: Community Residents, Students and Professors*. Minneapolis, MN.
- 2004 Panelist. *Student Activism in the United States*. World Social Forum. Mumbai, India.

SHOWS CURATED

- 2022 "Department of Visual & Literary Arts Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Committee: Tessa Dallarosa, Brandon Gellis, Mark Ritchie & Bailey Russel: Identity." UW Art Museum Pat Guthrie Special Exhibitions Teaching Gallery, August 22 - December 10, 2022.
- "ART 4010: Contemporary Art: Theory & Practice." UW Art Museum Pat Guthrie Special Exhibitions Teaching Gallery January 15 - May 14, 2022.
- 2012 "What's That? Investigating Abstract Art." University of Wyoming Art Museum. Ann Simpson Artmobile Statewide Traveling Exhibit. Laramie, WY.

AWARDS, GRANTS & SCHOLARSHIPS

- 2021 Promoting Intellectual Engagement in First Year Students (**PIE Award**). University of Wyoming. Laramie, WY.
- 2019 Robbins/Kardos Family Scholarship. Visual Arts at Chautauqua Institution. Chautauqua, NY.
- Partners Art Scholarship. Visual Arts at Chautauqua Institution. Chautauqua, NY.
- 2016 Vermont Studio Center Residency Fellowship Grant. Johnson, VT.
- 2013 School of the Art Institute of Chicago Printmedia Dean's Scholarship. Chicago, IL.
- 2011 Margaret Murdock Social Justice Award. University of Wyoming Student Juried Exhibition. Laramie, WY.
- Ann Simpson Family Award, University of Wyoming Juried Student Exhibition. Laramie, WY.
- Fell-Oskins Scholarship. University of Wyoming Art Department Scholarship. Laramie, WY.
- 2010 Robert Coe Fine Arts Scholarship, University of Wyoming. Laramie, WY.

- Cheney Scholarship for Excellence in Study Abroad to Turkey. University of Wyoming. Laramie, WY.
- 2009 UniWyo Federal Credit Union Study Abroad Scholarship. University of Wyoming.
- 2005 Frances Malecek, S.J., Award for Excellence in Philosophy. Regis University. Denver, CO.
- 2003 *Alpha Sigma Nu* Scholarship, Regis University Jesuit Honor Society. Denver, CO.
- Elaine Perry Leadership Scholarship. Regis University. Denver, CO.
- 2001 Governor's Opportunity Scholarship. Regis University. Denver, CO.
- Board of Trustees Scholarship. Regis University. Denver, CO.

RESIDENCIES

- 2019 Visual Arts at Chautauqua Institution. Chautauqua, NY.
- 2016 Vermont Studio Center. Johnson, VT.

COLLECTIONS

- 2014 Joan Flasch Artist Book Collection. Chicago, IL
- 2011 Rebecca Solnit, San Francisco, CA

CONTINUED EDUCATION

- 2023 *Begin the World Over: A Solidarity Book Club*. Hosted monthly by Latham Zearfoss & Jen Delos-Reyes.
- 2022 *DIE D.E.I: A Discussion on the Horrors of Institutional Inclusion*. Zoom October 31, 2022.
- Diversity Equity & Inclusion (Certification & Badge Program)*. Ellbogen Center for Teaching & Learning, University of Wyoming, Laramie, WY.
- Critical and Creative Thinking (Certification & Badge Program)*. Ellbogen Center for Teaching & Learning, University of Wyoming, Laramie, WY.
- 2021 *UW Black Studies Center Summer Book Club: How to be Anti-Racist by Ibram X. Kendi*. University of Wyoming. Laramie, WY.
- 2020 *Digital Teaching and Learning Workshop*. Ellbogen Center for Teaching & Learning, University of Wyoming, Laramie, WY.
- 2005 *Boulder Safe House 12-week Training in Anti-Racism & Non-Violence*. Boulder, CO.

FEATURED ARTICLES

- 2022 Jones, Emma. "Two New Exhibitions Installed at UW Art Museum." UW Branding Iron. Jan. 29, 2022.

<http://www.uwbrandingiron.com/2022/01/29/two-new-exhibitions-installed-in-art-museum/>

- 2019 Bishop, Eleanor. "Social Sculpture Connects School of Art with Natural Resources." *Chautauqua Daily Newspaper*, Chautauqua, NY. <https://chqdaily.com/2019/08/social-sculpture-project-connects-school-of-art-with-natural-resources/>
- 2017 "Art Exhibit Plays the Jester's Role." *Sterling Journal Advocate*. Sept. 4, 2017. <https://www.journal-advocate.com/2017/09/04/art-exhibit-plays-the-jesters-role/>
- 2016 "TOP V. WEEKEND PICKS (12/8-12/14)." *Visualist Chicago*. Dec. 8, 2016. <http://badatsports.com/2016/top-v-weekend-picks-128-1214/>
- 2012 Kelly, Chavawn. "Laramie: A Gem City Reveals an Uncharted West." *Terrain.org*. Spring/Summer 2012. <https://www.terrain.org/articles/29/kelley.htm>

SKILLS

Printmaking: stone & photoplate lithography, intaglio, relief, screen printing, repeat pattern block printing, print for fabric and alternative surfaces • **Painting:** outdoor studio, oil, acrylic, spray paint, fabric as paint, stretching canvas • **Drawing:** traditional observational drawing, abstract/experimental techniques, drawing with scissors, liquid and abrasive media • **Textiles:** digital printing on fabric, surface design, pattern design, machine sewing (repair/maintenance), weaving, quilting, felting, natural and synthetic dyes, • **Digital:** Procreate, Adobe Creative Suite & Gimp, laser cutting • **Other:** collage, book binding, zine making, basic wood working • **Teaching:** differentiated instruction, curriculum development, history of K-12 art education, approaches to approaches to K-12 art education, contemporary issues in art education, art education advocacy • **Online Teaching:** Canvas, VidGrid, Padlet, Miro

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

College Art Association (CAA)
Foundations in Art: Theory and Education (FATE)
National Art Education Association (NAEA)
Wyoming Art Education Association (WYAEA)
Mid America Print Council (MAPC)
Southern Graphics Council (SGC) (2009-2014)
Society for the Social Study of Science (2005-2007)

UNDERGRADUATE HONORS THESIS

- 2005 "Nietzsche's Ontology of Becoming: 'Science from the Perspective of the Artist' and 'Art from the Perspective of Life.'" Regis University, Undergraduate Honors Thesis. Denver, CO.

VOLUNTEER WORK & ADDITIONAL EMPLOYMENT

- 2007-2019 Prairie Monarch Bison Ranch. Laramie, WY.
- 2018 Wyoming Democratic Party. Laramie, WY.
- 2013-2015 Milk Handmade, Chicago, IL.
- 2004-2005 Marycrest Women and Children's Home Tutor. Denver, CO.
- 2003-2005 32nd Avenue Jubilee Center. English as a Second Language Tutor. Denver, CO.