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Education

2005 – Present date:	West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV	Master of Fine Arts Candi- date: Printmaking
2001 – 2005	Slippery Rock University, Slippery Rock, PA Printmaking Drawing	Bachelor of Fine Arts
2004 gram:	Poznan Academy of Art, Poznan, Poland	Graphics Immersion Pro- gram: Printmaking Painting Drawing

Work Experience

2002 – Present Artist Image Resource Shop Manager, Pittsburgh PA

Served as a liaison to Edinboro University’s Egress Press acting as Exchange Printer
Collaborative printer on works completed by resident artists using various printing methods, including screen, digital, intaglio, and lithograph
Instruct interns on printing methodologies, safety, and organization, as well as provide assistance on their own works
Prepare materials and demonstrate research projects for individual and large group educational programs
Develop internships, mentoring programs, and courses with local universities and museums

2006 Pace Editions Shop Intern, New York NY

Assisted various artists, preparing and organizing materials for printing
Printed, proofed, and delivered several artists’ digital projects.
Demonstrated knowledge in the technique of operating the Iris printer

2006 Gramlee Press West Virginia University Associate Printer, Morgantown WV

Proof and complete editions of four color wood, steel, and polymer blocks
Organize and catalog block sets

2004 -2005 Pittsburgh Children’s Museum Printmaking Specialist, Pittsburgh PA

Directed and advised mono-typing programs and collage/youth instruction
Trained floor staff on usage and safety of intaglio press
Assisted in providing technique support for various programs within the museum

2001-2004 Gallery 164 and Martha Gault Gallery Gallery Technician, Slippery Rock, PA

Arranged show plans with artists, including exhibition assemblage and publicity efforts
Installed and dismantled various shows and provided security
Prepared artwork for shipment/storage and performed general gallery maintenance operations

2003 The Andy Warhol Museum Weekend Factory Educator, Pittsburgh PA

Conducted instructional tours, monitored security, and served as informant to visitors
Demonstrated screen-printing techniques at the weekend factory programs

Teaching Experience

2006 West Virginia University Printmaking Department
 Morgantown, WV

2D Visual Foundations Instructor
Advanced Printmaking Master Recorder
 -Lithography
Drawing 111 Instructor

2007
2D Visual Foundations Instructor
 -Color Theory

Demonstrations & Workshops

2006 Edinboro University of Pennsylvania Transfer Demonstration
 Pittsburgh University, Pittsburgh PA Intaglio Transfer Demonstration
2005-06 Mattress Factory Museum, Pittsburgh PA Educational Workshop Program
 Artists Image Resource, Pittsburgh PA Printmaking Mentoring Workshop Program
2005 Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania Pronto Plate Demonstrations
 Edinboro University of Pennsylvania Pronto Plate Demonstrations

Guest Speaker

MACP (Mid Atlantic Print Conference) Forging Connections
Opportunities for Artists in Residency & Internship Programs,
Panel talk 2006
Ohio University, Athens, Ohio.

Collections

Iowa State University Print Society, Iowa City IA
Arizona State University, Tempe AZ
Artists Image Resource, Pittsburgh PA

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, Edinboro PA

Exchange Prints

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, "Something evil this way comes" 2006

Arizonian State University, "Under the Influence" 2006

Iowa State University, 6th Annual University Post Card Exchange 2005

Works Published

Pittsburgh Post Gazette, Pittsburgh PA, January 11th 2005

Pulp Magazine, Pittsburgh PA, June Issue 2004

Honors & Awards

2006

Pittsburgh Center for the Arts , Print Group Juried Show, Jurors Award

2005

Oil City Counsel of the Arts, Oil City PA, Jurors Award

University of West Virginia Full Assistantship, Morgantown WV

Resident Artist, Printmaking, Artists Image Resource, Pittsburgh PA

2003

Slippery Rock University Printmaking Scholarship, Slippery Rock PA

2003

Annual Student Juried Exhibition ,Honorable Mention, Slippery Rock University

2002

Slippery Rock University Printmaking Scholarship, Slippery Rock PA

2002

Annual Student Juried Exhibition ,Jurors Award, Slippery Rock University

Exhibitions

2006

Pittsburgh Center for the Arts, Print Group Juried Show, Pittsburgh PA

DV8 Gallery, Solo Show "Totems" , Greensburg PA

Pittsburgh Cultural Trust, Mural "Appropriated Totems", TRAF Gallery, Pittsburgh PA

Artists Image Resource, 10 year retrospective , Pittsburgh PA

2005

Garfield Artworks Studio 5013, Solo exhibition, Garfield ,PA

Visual Matter, East Ohio Street Art Walk, Installation, Pittsburgh, PA

Oil City Counsel of the Arts, National Juried show, Oil City, PA

Artist Image Resource, Screen and Digital, Pittsburgh, PA

Martha Gault Gallery, BFA graduate show, Slippery Rock, PA

Afif Gallery, Hotcakes Small Works National Juried Show, Philadelphia, PA

Artist Image Resource, Resident Artist Show, Pittsburgh, PA

2004

Civic Theater, President Show, Franklin, PA

Gallery 123, Fall Student Show, Slippery Rock University, PA

Artists Image Resource, outreach event, Pittsburgh, PA

Academy of Fine Arts, EU poster competition. Poznan, Poland

Zamuk Museum, Exchange Printmakers Show, Poznan, Poland

Los Angeles Printmaking Society, Emerging Printmakers Show, Los Angeles, CA
2003

Artists Image Resource, Annual Benefit Show, Pittsburgh, PA

Artists Image Resource, Ink, Pittsburgh, PA

Old Main Collection, Mosaic Art Exhibition, Slippery Rock, PA

Martha Gault Gallery, Annual Student Juried exhibition, Slippery Rock, PA

Lenz Gallery, Solo show, Slippery Rock, PA
2002

Artist Image Resource, staff exhibition , Pittsburgh, PA

Martha Gault Gallery, Annual Student Juried exhibition, Slippery Rock, PA

Associated Artists of Butler County, Z Art exhibition. Butler, PA
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