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Education

M.S., Human Resource Development. Towson University. May 2008

B.S., Theatre Arts: Acting. Towson University. May 2002

Exhibitions

Under 500: Juried Fundraiser: Invited Artist, Maryland Art Place, Baltimore, MD. 2022

IMPACT, Maryland Art Place, Baltimore, MD. 2022

Under 500: Juried Fundraiser, Maryland Art Place, Baltimore, MD. 2021

American Landscapes, Circle Gallery, Annapolis, MD. 2021

Cicada-Parade-A, City-Wide Art Installation, Selected Artist, Baltimore, MD. 2021

Light & Shadow, Curve Gallery - Maryland Federation of Art, Annapolis, MD. 2020

Under 500: Juried Fundraiser, Maryland Art Place, Baltimore, MD. 2020

Cover These Walls: International Design Entries, Palos Verdes Arts Center, Palos Verdes, CA. 2019

Big Little Art Show, Atomic Books, Baltimore, MD. 2019

American Landscapes, Circle Gallery, Annapolis, MD. 2018

Small Works Exhibit, Studios of Key West, Key West, FL. 2017

Flora or Fauna, Annapolis Maritime Museum/MD Federation of Art, Annapolis, MD. 2017

Drawn From Nature: John James Audubon Art Show, John James Audubon Center, Audubon, PA. 2017

Appalachian Nature Art Exhibition, Saville Gallery, Cumberland, MD. 2016

Small Works Exhibit, Lemonade Stand Gallery, Key West, FL. 2016

Baltimore Ekphrasis Project, A Light Ekphrastic, Baltimore, MD. 2015

Big Little Art Show, Atomic Books, Baltimore, MD. 2015

Collaborative Projects

Kate x Magan: A Collaborative Ceramics Collection, Baltimore, MD (in collaboration with Kate Rowe). 2020

"The Light Ekphrastic", Issue 29, Baltimore, MD (in collaboration with Robbi Nestor). 2017

MD Bird Silhouette Mural & Identification Activity, Oregon Ridge Nature Center, Cockeysville, MD (in collaboration with Gabrielle Cantor). 2016

Cover Art, The Baltimore Review. 2016

Sensation Station Exhibit Mural, Port Discovery Children's Museum, Baltimore, MD (in collaboration with Jaime Miller). 2006

Diner Exhibit Windows Mural, Port Discovery Children's Museum, Baltimore, MD (in collaboration with Lara Moore). 2004

"Bringing the Rain the Kapiti Plain: A Puppet Theatre Program", Port Discovery Children's Museum, Baltimore, MD (in collaboration with Justin Skinner). 2002

Diner Exhibit Walls Mural, Port Discovery Children's Museum, Baltimore, MD (in collaboration with Port Discovery Staff). 2002

Individual Murals & Commissions

Native Flowers & House Numbers. Commission for Exterior of Private Residence. Baltimore, MD. 2022

10th Anniversary Reclaimed Box. Fine Art Commission for Private Residence. Lanoka Harbor, NJ. 2021.

Family Portrait. Fine Art Commission for Private Residence. Ajijic, Mexico. 2021.

American Love Story. Fine Art Commission for Private Residence. South Orange, NJ. 2019

North Star/Descending Mountains. Commission for Private Vacation Home. Ocean City, MD. 2018

Painted Lady Folk Art Steps. Commission for Private Residence. Baltimore, MD. 2018

For Noah #1-4. Fine Art Commission for Private Residence. South Orange, NJ. 2018

Korean Folk Art: Exhibit Entry Mural, Port Discovery Children's Museum, Baltimore, MD. 2016

The Oasis Exhibit Entry Mural, Port Discovery Children's Museum, Baltimore, MD. 2006

Studio Workshop Exhibit Mural: Children at Art, Port Discovery Children's Museum, Baltimore, MD. 2005

Farm Exhibit Murals: Crops and Irrigation, Port Discovery Children's Museum, Baltimore, MD. 2004

Scenic Design

Co-Scenic Designer, "The New America: An Original Play", Towson University Studio Theatre, Towson, MD. 2002

Scenic Designer, "The Vagina Monologues", Towson University Studio Theatre, Towson, MD. 2001

Scenic Designer, "Parallel Lives: The Kathy and Mo Show", Towson University Studio Theatre, Towson, MD. 2000

Scenic Artist, "Letters to the Moon: An Original Play", Towson University Studio Theatre, Towson, MD. 1999

Awards, Recognitions & Residencies

Paintings, Drawings, & Mixed Media Challenge Design Winner, Minted.com, 2022

Virginia Center for the Creative Arts, Visual Arts Fellow, Amherst, VA. 2022

Neighborhood Placemaking Grant, Baltimore National Heritage Area. 2019

Volcanoes National Park Artist in Residence June Finalist. 2019

Haleakalā National Park Artist in Residence Finalist. 2018

Professional Development Grant, Towson University Alumni Association. 2013

Theatre Arts Endowment, Towson University Theatre Department. 2001-2002

Maryland State Scholar in the Arts. 1998-2002

Teaching & Professional Experience

Guest Artist/Teacher. Roots & Wings Learning Community, Columbia, MD. 2021

Guest Speaker/Artist: WRIT-015. Georgetown University, Washington, D.C. 2021

Monarch Migration Workshop. Presenter. ERAFANS Outdoor Teacher Retreat, Reisterstown, MD. 2018

World House, CSE. Environmental Education Teacher, Reisterstown, MD. 2016-2018

Port Discovery Children's Museum. Director of Guest Services, Baltimore, MD. 2010-2016

Founder/Creator, "ArtWay", a Museum Installation Competition for Local Artists, Port Discovery Children's Museum, Baltimore, MD. 2013

Port Discovery Children's Museum. Program Associate/Volunteer Coordinator/Supervisor, Baltimore, MD. 2001-2010

Scenic/Production Assistant, Castillo Theatre/Allstars Project, Inc., New York, NY. 2000

Training & Volunteer Work

Remington Village Green Community Garden. Site Manager. 2019-Current

University of Maryland Extension. Master Naturalist. 2016-Current

Creating Biodiversity in Your Environment. Baltimore County Forestry Board Conference. 2019

Cyburn Arboretum Environmental Awareness Conference. Federated Garden Clubs of MD. 2018

Oregon Ridge Nature Center. Grounds Committee. 2016-2017

Selected Juried Artist Markets & Consigning

Highlandtown Night Market, Creative Alliance, Baltimore MD. 2022

Remfest, Baltimore, MD. 2022

Greater Goods Market, Baltimore, MD. 2022

Salt Fest. Malden, WV. 2022

Station North Holiday Market. Baltimore, MD. 2021

Sugarboat Gifts, Wholesale Maker, Baltimore, MD. 2021

Doubledutch Boutique, Consigner, Baltimore, MD. 2021

Taken, Consigner, Towson, MD. 2021

B. Willow StressLess Box, June Maker, Baltimore, MD. 2021

Making Maryland Home, June Artist, Lutherville, MD. 2021

Moon Gazing Rabbit, Wholesale Maker, Lansdale, PA. 2021

Artisan Market, Ellicott City, MD. 2021

Made In Baltimore Program Maker, Baltimore, MD. 2019 - Current.

Remfest, Baltimore, MD. 2019.

Greater Goods Market, Baltimore, MD. 2019.

Homegrown, Consigner, Baltimore, MD. 2018.