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EDUCATION

Master of Fine Art – Studio Art and the Computer (Medium: Photography), May 2008

University of Central Florida, Orlando, Florida

Master of Education – Educational Leadership, May 2004

Stetson University, Celebration, Florida

Bachelor of Arts, Film and Video, May 2001

Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pennsylvania

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

November 2009 to Present – **Independent Portrait Photographer**, Orlando, Florida.

Provide consultations with clients. Photograph subjects in studio and on location. Edit selections and prepare files for printing. Archive digital files.

November 2008 to November 2009 – **Faculty, Associate Course Director of Photography**, Full Sail University, Winter Park, Florida.

Assisted course director in preparing and presenting course material. Managed course curriculum and instructional staff. Updated e-Book for the class. Advised students of visual arts majors including film, game design, graphic design, audio production, and new and interactive media. Maintained former responsibilities as an instructor of photography.

April 2003 to October 2008 – **Faculty, Instructor of Photography**, Full Sail University, Winter Park, Florida.

Taught the fundamentals of photography, lighting techniques, and film and print processing to post-secondary film students in a traditional black and white darkroom. Presented lectures to class sizes of up to 120 students. Ensured safe handling of chemicals by students. Administered quizzes and final critiques, and promoted course quality through monthly evaluations. Managed the daily operations of a darkroom with 23 enlargers. Maintained and repaired photo lab equipment. Supervised and trained work-study students in darkroom procedures. Mentored current and former students, and supported their career development. Accomplished responsibilities in a fast-paced, accelerated degree program in which, on average, 60 students per month completed the coursework.

August 2006 to April 2008 – **Graduate Teacher of Record, Intermediate Photography**, University of Central Florida, Orlando, Florida.

Instructed safe use of wet darkroom equipment, chemicals and facilities for black and white print making. Introduced students to advanced photographic techniques including the use of medium and large format cameras, methods of lighting in studio settings, appropriate workflows in Adobe Photoshop and color management practices to ensure quality digital prints. Conducted weekly critiques of students' photography assignments and assisted them with the creation of digital portfolios. Performed curriculum development and student assessment. Maintained inventories of supplies and equipment, including Epson Stylus Pro 9600 printer. Performed darkroom equipment and computer maintenance. Managed student lab monitor program for digital and wet darkrooms. Recommended course enhancements to Art Department administration based on student feedback.

November 2001 to March 2003 – **Faculty, Instructor of Digital Cinematography**, Full Sail Real World Education, Winter Park, Florida.

Instructed and advised post-secondary film students in a state-of-the-art editing lab using Mac computers, Final Cut Pro, DVD Studio Pro and Adobe After Effects, and Photoshop. Educated students on cinematography techniques, including composition, lighting and audio capture, and emphasized historic influences. Assisted students with the production process of film shoots, both in the field and on full-scale on-campus studio sets.

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

January 2008 to Present – Sunday School Teacher (Grades 1 and 2), University Carillon United Methodist Church, Oviedo, Florida.

June 2007 to Present – Volunteer Educator, City of Orlando – Streets and Stormwater Division, Orlando, Florida.

January 2005 to June 2007 – Volunteer Educator, Orlando Science Center, Orlando, Florida.

CURATING EXPERIENCE

October 2008 to Present – Curator, Ethos Restaurant, Orlando, Florida.

Locate and schedule art exhibitions featuring emerging local talent. Assist in the installation of the monthly shows. Arrange art openings that allow the public to interact with the artist or artists. Correspond with potential investors.

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

October 2008 to Present – *Without A Camera Collection*, The EO Inn, Orlando, Florida.
August 2008 – *Without A Camera IV*, Olde Town Brokers Sales Studio, Orlando, Florida.
May to June 2008 – *Without A Camera III*, B3 Café, Orlando, Florida.
February 2008 – *Without A Camera II*, Infusion Tea, College Park, Florida.
November 2007 – *Without A Camera*, Winter Park Library, Winter Park, Florida.

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

October 2009 – *Third Thursdays*, Olde Town Brokers Sales Studio, Orlando, Florida.
June to August 2009 – *Orlando City Artworks*, Orlando City Hall Terrace Gallery, Orlando, Florida.
May to June 2009 – *Third Thursdays*, Olde Town Brokers Sales Studio, Orlando, Florida.
June to August 2008 – *Orlando City Artworks*, Orlando City Hall Terrace Gallery, Orlando, Florida.
March 2008 – *UCF Juried Student Exhibition*, VAB Gallery, University of Central Florida, Orlando, Florida.
January to February 2008 – *Our Own II*, Freyberger Gallery, Pennsylvania State University – Berks Campus, Reading, Pennsylvania.
July to August 2007 – *Peacock Room Group Exhibition*, The Peacock Room, Orlando, Florida.
April 2007 – *UCF Juried Student Exhibition* VAB Gallery, University of Central Florida, Orlando, Florida.
December 2006 – *Small Works*, Grand Bohemian Gallery, Orlando, Florida.
April 2006 – *UCF Juried Student Exhibition*, VAB Gallery, University of Central Florida, Orlando, Florida.
February 2006 – *North American Nature Photography Association Student Exhibition*, 12th Annual Summit, Denver, Colorado.

EXHIBITIONS CURATED

February 2010 – The Photography of Omarr Otero, Ethos Restaurant, Orlando, Florida.
January 2010 – The Work of Monica Gressner, Ethos Restaurant, Orlando, Florida.
November to December 2009 – The Work of Michelle Gonzalez, Ethos Restaurant, Orlando, Florida.
October 2009 – The Works of Ian Jones and Brian Richard Kulbaba, Olde Town Brokers Sales Studio, Orlando, Florida.
October 2009 – The Work of Jessica DeSalvo, Ethos Restaurant, Orlando, Florida.
September 2009 – The Work of Trevor and Nichole Neigebauer, Ethos Restaurant, Orlando, Florida.
August 2009 – The Work of Steve Stepp, Ethos Restaurant, Orlando, Florida.
June to July 2009 – The Work of Williem and Tami McWorter, Ethos Restaurant, Orlando, Florida.
May 2009 – The Work of Ian Jones, Ethos Restaurant, Orlando, Florida.
April 2009 – The Photography of Robert J. Amoruso, Ethos Restaurant, Orlando, Florida.
March 2009 – The Photography of Bart Marek, Ethos Restaurant, Orlando, Florida.
February 2009 – The Photography of Philip T. Lacinak, Ethos Restaurant, Orlando, Florida.
December 2008 through January 2009 – UCF 2-D Design Group Show, Ethos Restaurant, Orlando, Florida.
November 2008 – The Work of Janae Corrado, Ethos Restaurant, Orlando, Florida.
October 2008 – The Work of Annie Caps, Ethos Restaurant, Orlando, Florida.

REFERENCES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST