

EDUCATION

- 2006 University of Minnesota, Master of Fine Arts, Minneapolis, MN, Suma Cum Laude
2002 Minnesota State University Moorhead, Bachelor of Fine Arts, Moorhead, MN, Suma Cum Laude
2001 University of Oregon, Photography, Eugene, OR, National Student Exchange

EXHIBITIONS

- 2011 *Secrets of Atlanta*, Flux Projects public art project, Atlanta, GA
2010 *September Competition*, Alexandria Museum of Art, Alexandria, LA (juror: Kelli Scott Kelley)
Untitled 7, SOO Visual Arts Center, Minneapolis, MN (juror: Scott Stulen)
South Arkansas Art Center Annual Juried Competition, El Dorado, AR (juror: David Houston)
Masur Museum 47th Annual Juried Competition, Monroe, LA (juror: David Houston)
9th National Juried Exhibition, Ceres Gallery, New York, NY (juror: Lowery Stokes Sims)
Give Me a Minute, The Shirey, New York, NY
2009 *Society for Photographic Education South Central Region Member Exhibition*, Ameen Art Gallery, Thibodaux, LA
A Million Little Pictures: Documentary, Art House Co-op, Atlanta, GA
Masur Museum 46th Annual Juried Competition, Monroe, LA
\$99 Fund-raiser, Soap Factory, Minneapolis, MN
Fresh: An Exhibition of Contemporary Urban Art, Torpedo Factory Art Center, Alexandria, VA
2008 *ArtWise: Bridging 15 Years of Kulture Klub Collaborative*, Soo Visual Arts Center, Minneapolis, MN
Remembering Dakota, North Dakota Museum of Art, Grand Forks, ND
2007 *Bamboo Festival*, Beijing Film Academy, Anji, China
Minnesota Emerging Artists Exhibition, Minneapolis College of Art and Design, Minneapolis, MN
\$99 Fund-raiser, Soap Factory, Minneapolis, MN
Ten Second Film Festival, The Soap Factory, Minneapolis, MN
Decorative Entertainment, Art-A-Whirl at CW Lofts, Minneapolis, MN
Slideluck Potshow, Casket Arts Building, Minneapolis, MN
Glamour Shots, First Amendment Arts, Minneapolis, MN
Art Shanty Projects, Medicine Lake, MN
2006 *Nature Calls*, University of Wisconsin, LaCrosse, WI
Untitled 5, Soo Visual Arts Center, Minneapolis, MN
Reconstructive Memory: an alteration, Visible Fringe Juried Exhibit, Gallery 13, Minneapolis, MN
Can You Say/MFA? Thesis Exhibition, University of Minnesota Regis Center for Art, Minneapolis, MN
Celebrating the Link Between Art and Information, University of Minnesota Wilson Library, Minneapolis, MN
2005 *The Art of Choice*, Frederick R. Weisman Gallery, Minneapolis, MN
Recent Deviations, University of Minnesota Regis Center for Art, Minneapolis, MN
Secrets, Private Conversations, and Personal Musings, Visible Fringe Juried Exhibit, Intermedia Arts, Minneapolis, MN
Fringe Redux, Thorp Building, Minneapolis, MN
2004 *Two-Person Lecture and Fine Art Series*, University of Wisconsin Marathon County, Wausau, WI
2001 *Spring Gala Juried Exhibit*, Plains Art Museum, Fargo, ND

PUBLICATIONS/ONLINE REVIEWS

- 2010 *Creative Quarterly Magazine*, New York, NY June
Creative Quarterly Magazine, New York, NY April
2009 Mr. X Stitch (online), August
Scientific Blogging (Stitchgasm online), August
2007 Minnesota Bound, KARE 11 TV, St. Paul, MN, February
Minnesota Daily, Minneapolis, MN, February
Star Tribune, Minneapolis, MN, February
City Pages, Minneapolis, MN, January
Metropolis, New York, NY, January
2005 Martists Reviews (online), August
Vox Fringe Blog Reviews (online), July
2003 *The Wake*, Minneapolis, MN, December
2002 *The Fargo Forum*, Fargo, ND, April
2001 *Shutterbug Magazine*, Titusville, FL, August
Photographer's Forum, Serbin Communications, Santa Barbara, CA, July

AWARDS

- 2010 2nd Place, *September Competition*, Alexandria Museum of Art, Alexandria, LA (juror: Kelli Scott Kelley)
1st Place, *South Arkansas Art Center Annual Juried Competition*, El Dorado, AR (juror: David Houston)
Flux Projects public art grant, Atlanta, GA
New Talent Winner Award in Photography, *Creative Quarterly Magazine*
Merit Award in Fine Art, *Creative Quarterly Magazine*
- 2007 Art Shanty Projects grant, Minneapolis, MN
- 2005 The Aurora Center Volunteer Award, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN
- 2004 Brown-Mackenzie Arts Scholarship, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN
University of Minnesota Department of Art Fellowship, Minneapolis, MN
- 2002 Honourable Mention, Black and White Photography, *Photographer's Forum Magazine*
- 2001 Fourth Place, Black and White Photography, *Photographer's Forum Magazine*

EMPLOYMENT

- 2008 - present Assistant Professor of Photography, Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, Louisiana
- 2007 Adjunct Faculty, Normandale Community College, Bloomington, Minnesota
- 2006 - 2008 Education Director, Minnesota Center for Photography, Minneapolis, Minnesota
- 2006 - 2007 Gallery Coordinator, Minnesota Center for Photography, Minneapolis, Minnesota
- 2005- 2006 Instructor, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- 2010 Gallery Director, Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, LA
Juror, Downtown Art Fest, Monroe, LA
Board Member, Twin City Art Foundation, Monroe, LA
- 2009 - present Faculty Advisor, Club Photo, Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, LA
- 2009 Board Member and Attendee, Society for Photographic Education South Central Conference, Thibodaux, LA
Member and Attendee, Society for Photographic Education Conference, Dallas, TX
- 2008 - present Board Member (Secretary), Society for Photographic Education, South Central Region
Newsletter Editor, Society for Photographic Education, South Central Region
Member, Louisiana Tech University Common Read Committee, Ruston, LA
Member, Louisiana Tech University School of Art Gallery Committee, Ruston, LA
- 2008 Member and Attendee, Society for Photographic Education Conference, Denver, CO
Guest Critic, College of Visual Arts, St. Paul, MN
Guest Critic, Arts International, Minneapolis, MN
Visiting Artist, Bethel University, Arden Hills, MN
Review Panelist, Minnesota Projects Gallery, Minnesota Center for Photography, Minneapolis, MN
- 2007 Juror, Art Shanty Projects, Minneapolis, MN
Visiting Artist, New City School, Minneapolis, MN
Member and Attendee, Society for Photographic Education Conference, Miami, FL
- 2006 Attendee, Arts in Education Conference, Minnesota State Arts Board, St. Paul, MN
- 2004 Guest Speaker, Midwest Society for Photographic Education Conference, Columbus, OH
Attendee, Mid-America College Art Association's Conference, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN
- 2002 Guest Speaker, Red River Women's Studies Conference, University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, ND
Guest Speaker, Women's History Month event, Minnesota State University Moorhead, MN

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

- 2008 - present LA Tech University Faculty Liaison, Ruston Elementary and Louisiana Methodist Children's Home
- 2009 Louisiana Tech University Safe Space Faculty Member, Ruston, LA
- 2007 Co-Curator and Lead Production, Slideluck Potshow MPLS, Minneapolis, MN
- 2006 Scholarship Committee for the Arts, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN
Tutor, Homework -n- Hoops, Bethlehem Community Center, Minneapolis, MN
- 2004-2006 Violence Prevention Educator, The Aurora Center, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN
- 2005 Art Director, The Art of Choice Silent Auction, Pro-Choice Resources, Minneapolis, MN
Coordinator, Hands are Not for Hitting Event, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN
- 2003 Teaching Assistant, Minnesota State University Moorhead, MN
- 2002 Founder/Director of The Junior Miss Project, The Women's Network of the Red River Valley, Fargo, ND