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Current Position

Professor of Art and Art History, Program Director, Department of Fine Arts, College of Southern Nevada
Courses taught: Art Appreciation, Fundamentals of Design, Intro to Contemporary Art, Portfolio Emphasis

Education

2005 M.F.A., Painting, University of Nevada-Las Vegas, Las Vegas, Nevada
2002 B.F.A., Sculpture Emphasis, University of Wisconsin-Stout, Menomonie, Wisconsin
1999 Study Abroad Program, Northbrook College of Art, Worthing, England

Teaching Experience

2013- College of Southern Nevada, Professor
Courses taught: Art Appreciation, Fundamentals of Design, Intro to Contemporary Art, Portfolio Emphasis
2010-13 College of Southern Nevada, Tenure-Track Instructor
Courses taught: Art Appreciation, Fundamentals of Design, Intro to Contemporary Art, Portfolio Emphasis
2008-10 College of Southern Nevada, Emergency Full Time Faculty
Courses taught: Art Appreciation, Fundamentals of Design
2006-10 Nevada State College, Adjunct Faculty
Courses taught: Art Appreciation online, Intro to Contemporary Art online, Survey of Art History online
2005-08 University of Nevada-Las Vegas Adjunct Faculty
Courses taught, Art Appreciation online and classroom, Drawing, Painting, Fundamentals of Design
2005 University of Illinois-St. Francis, Adjunct Faculty
Courses taught: Exploring Art

Service, Academic and Community

2020 Search Committee Chair, Drawing/Painting Tenure Track Position, College of Southern Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada
2017 Search Committee Chair, Ceramics Tenure Track Position, College of Southern Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada
2016 "Zap 8" Committee Member, Clark County, Las Vegas, Nevada
2015 Search Committee Chair, Acting Instructor Tenure Track Position, College of Southern Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada
2013-15 Faculty Senate Member, College of Southern Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada
2013- Assistant Department Chair, Art Program, College of Southern Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada
2012 Search Committee Member, Photography Professor, College of Southern Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada
2012- West Charleston, N101 Refurb Committee, College of Southern Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada
2008- Portfolio Day Committee, College of Southern Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada
2008- Facebook Committee, College of Southern Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada

Solo Exhibitions

2022 "Bouquet of Pheasants," Fine Arts Gallery, College of Southern Nevada, Las Vegas, NV
2020-21 "Bouquet of Folly," Las Vegas Libraries (various), Las Vegas, NV
2016 "Infrared," Las Vegas Libraries (various), Las Vegas, Nevada
2015 "South of Town," Clark County Government Center Rotunda Gallery, Las Vegas, Nevada
2013 "Unanimous Decision," Winchester Cultural Center, Las Vegas, Nevada

- 2011 "Catastrophic Success," CSN Artspace Gallery, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2008 "Roadmap to Withdrawal," Winchester Cultural Center, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2008 "REAL MEN HANG HERE," Jesse Metcalf Gallery, University of Nevada-Las Vegas
- 2005 "A R M A D A," Donna Beam Gallery, University of Nevada-Las Vegas
- 2003 "Holding Pattern," Grant Hall Gallery, University of Nevada-Las Vegas

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2022 "Some Pigeons I Know," Artspace Gallery, College of Southern Nevada, Las Vegas, NV
- 2022 "Southwest-Scapes," Charleston Heights Art Center, Las Vegas, NV
- 2022 "Level Up Galleries," College of Southern Nevada, Las Vegas, NV
- 2022 "Chinese Heritage: Year of the Tiger," Mayor's Gallery, 5th Street School, Las Vegas, NV
- 2022 "American Roulette," Core Contemporary, Las Vegas, NV
- 2016 "Skull 5th Biennial Exhibition," Sahara West Library, Las Vegas, NV
- 2021 "Randomly Mutual," Chamber Gallery, Las Vegas, NV
- 2021 "Chinese Heritage: Year of the Ox," Mayor's Gallery, 5th Street School, Las Vegas, NV
- 2020 "Public Employees Art Exhibition," Chamber Gallery, Las Vegas, NV
- 2020 "Paper Works," Donna Beam Gallery, University of Nevada-Las Vegas, Las Vegas, NV
- 2020 "Chinese Heritage: Year of the Rat," Mayor's Gallery, 5th Street School, Las Vegas, NV
- 2019 "Public Employees Art Exhibition," Chamber Gallery, Las Vegas, NV
- 2019 "Bullfrog Biennial," Red Barn Art Center, Beatty, NV
- 2019 "Year of the Pig," Mayor's Gallery, 5th Street School, Las Vegas, NV
- 2019 "Untold Stories," Nevada State College, Henderson, NV
- 2018 "Public Employees Art Exhibition," Chamber Gallery, Las Vegas, NV
- 2018 "Plural," Marjorie Barrick Museum, University of Nevada-Las Vegas, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2018 "Lucky To Be Alive," Winchester Cultural Center Gallery, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2017 "Chinese Heritage: Year of the Dog," Mayor's Gallery, 5th Street School, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2017 "Nevada Crossroads," Nevada Humanities Gallery, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2016 "Skull 4th Biennial Exhibition," Sahara West Library, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2016 "Menagerie," City Hall Gallery, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2015 "Taste," Contemporary Arts Center, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2015 "2015 Artist In Residence Exhibition," Red Rock Canyon Visitor Center, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2014 "Skull 3rd Biennial Exhibition," Donna Beam Gallery, University of Nevada-Las Vegas
- 2014 "CSN Art & Art History Faculty Exhibition," CSN Artspace Gallery, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2013 "Duality," CSN Fine Arts Gallery, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2013 "Exquisite Corpse," Contemporary Arts Center, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2013 "Skull," CSN Fine Arts Gallery, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2013 "Lust to Dust," Fallon, Nevada
- 2013 "Year of the Snake," Mayors Gallery, 5th Street School, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2012 "Lust to Dust," Photo Bang Bang, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2012 "Lust to Dust," College of Southern Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2011 "Kaleidoscope: Visual Inspirations," Springs Preserve, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2011 "Skull: Life and Death in Las Vegas," Blackbird Studios, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2010 "The Art of Conflict," Tarnish & Gold, Minneapolis, Minnesota
- 2010 "Love Lost Found," Sheppard Fine Art Gallery, University of Nevada-Reno
- 2010 "The Dobermen MC," CSN Fine Arts Gallery, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2009 "Stop and Glow," Contemporary Arts Collective, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2009 "Stop and Glow," Trifecta Gallery, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2008 "Valentines Auction," Sheppard Gallery of Fine Arts, Reno, Nevada
- 2008 "Adjunct Faculty Show," Bridge Gallery, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2007 "Ofrendas de Imagenes: Images of Days of the Dead," Bridge Gallery, Las Vegas, Nevada

- 2007 "Snap to Grid," Los Angeles Center for Digital Art, Los Angeles, California
- 2007 "OCCUPIED SPACE," East Las Vegas Government Center, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2006 "Water St Artists Group Exhibition," City Hall, Henderson, Nevada
- 2006 "LVSK8 Deuce Hand painted Skateboard show," MTZC Gallery, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2006 "Recent Work," A6 Gallery, Henderson, Nevada
- 2006 "Michael Ogilvie and Sean Russell," Sheppard Gallery of Fine Arts, Reno, Nevada
- 2006 "Opening Show," A6 Gallery, Henderson, Nevada
- 2006 "One Night Stand," The Artisan Hotel, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2006 "The Nevada Triennial," Nevada Museum of Art, Reno, Nevada
- 2006 "LVSK8," Grant Hall Gallery, University of Nevada-Las Vegas
- 2006 "Alumni Show," Donna Beam Fine Art Gallery, University of Nevada-Las Vegas
- 2005 "The Enemy Show," Dust Gallery, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2004 "Annual Art Auction," Contemporary Arts Collective, Las Vegas, Nevada

Public Art Projects

- 2021 "Bouquet of Fission," City Hall, Las Vegas, NV
- 2017 "Zap 9," Lone Mountain Equestrian Park, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2015 "Zap 7," Maryland and Russell, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2012 "Rivalis," New City Hall, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2010 "Stop and Glow," City of Las Vegas/Regional Transportation Committee
- 2005 "THE BIG V," Las Vegas Centennial Mural in FDH Building, UNLV

Awards

- 2005 Joan Mitchell Foundation Painters and Sculptors Grant Program, \$25,000, Nationwide
- 2003 G.R.E.A.T. Grant, UNLV, \$3,300
- 2002 Marjorie Laird Scholarship, UNLV, \$1,750

Collections

- Marjorie Barrick Museum, Las Vegas, NV
- Nevada State College, Henderson, NV
- The Staenberg Group, St. Louis, MO

Visiting Artist Lectures

- 2006 University of Nevada-Reno, October 5th

Publications

- 2009 Co-publisher of *Drunk, A Comic About Bar Stories*, Self Published

Bibliography

- 2015 Jenessa Kenway, "South of Town Takes Aim at Accidental Violence," Vegas Seven, August 19th
- 2015 F. Andrew Taylor, "High-velocity lead is artist's new medium," Review Journal, August 10th
- 2015 Dawn-Michelle Baude, "Commentary of Chance and Destruction," Las Vegas Weekly, August 5th
- 2015 Scott Dickensheets, "Bang, bang, art, art," Desert Companion, July 16th
- 2014 Kristen Peterson, "Depicting Death," Las Vegas Weekly, December 10th
- 2012 Steve Bornfeld, "Hallmarks of Hall Art," Vegas Seven, March 12th
- 2011 Scott Dickensheets, "Where's your head at?," Las Vegas City Life, March 24th
- 2011 Kristen Peterson, "Nevada's Worst Governor," Las Vegas Weekly, July 22nd
- 2011 Brad Bynum, "Funny Valentine," Reno News and Review, February 8th
- 2010 Kristen Peterson, "Motorcycle club takes on art world," Las Vegas Weekly, January 13th
- 2010 Kristen Peterson "People in the Arts," Las Vegas Sun, Nov 17th

- 2010 Carlton Hargro "Drunk No. 1" Creative Loafing, Charlotte, NC, Sept 22nd
- 2009 Kirsten Peterson, "Comic book has subject with tragic side" Las Vegas Sun, July 6th
- 2009 Corey Levitan, "Local artists downtown bus stops" Las Vegas Review Journal, April 23rd
- 2008 Jarret Keene, "Exit Strategies", Las Vegas City Life, September 18th
- 2008 Jarret Keene, "Strange Brew", Las Vegas City Life, April 17th
- 2007 Kristen Peterson, "Bright start, hazy future for gallery", Las Vegas Sun, August 17th
- 2006 Madelon Hynes, "Southern Nevadans earn achievements", Las Vegas Sun
- 2006 Nicole M. Quesada, "Las Vegas Weekly", May 18th
- 2005 Chuck Twardy, "FINE ART: The Fabric of Life", Las Vegas Weekly, September 15th
- 2005 Kelle Schillaci, "After-school Specials", Las Vegas City Life, September 15th
- 2005 Nevada Triennial Catalogue, Fall
- 2005 "UNLV Students Create Window Mural to Celebrate Centennial", UNLV Magazine

References

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