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Education

2021-2023	Masters of Fine Art, University of Waterloo
2021	Centre for Teaching Excellence, Fundamentals of University Teaching, University of Waterloo
2019	Master class in puppetry and storytelling, Skipton, England
2011-2018	Bachelor of Arts in Studio Art, Honours, with Distinction, University of Guelph
2014-2015	Emily Carr University of Art and Design.
2008-2009	Craven College, Skipton, England. Foundation year in Fine Art.
2006-2007	Post-graduate certificate in Public Health, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine
1998-2003	Bachelor of Science in Nursing, University of Victoria
1991-1995	Bachelor of Science, Honours, University of Toronto

College / University Teaching Experience

2023-present	Instructor, Observational Drawing and Interpretation, diploma course Dundas Valley School of Art
2022	FINE 150 Instructor (art elective for non-art students), University of Waterloo.

Recent Community Initiatives I Have Led

2026	2nd Annual Dog Show organizer. Permit and sponsor acquisitions, advertising, vendor and volunteer coordinator. Master of Ceremonies.
2026	Lantern Making for youth through Guelph's The Hub outreach centre (Free)
2024-5	Exhibition Park Neighbourhood Group Chair
2025	Workshop instructor for DIYode's "Creating with Diversity" Initiative (free)
2024-5	Trick or Eat donation collection with GCVI students for the Guelph Food Bank
2025	Second Annual Lantern Parade (organizer, and volunteer coordinator)
2025	Lantern making workshop (free for attendees)
2025	Exhibition Park's First Annual Dog Show (organizer, and volunteer coordinator)
2024	Exhibition Park's First Annual Lantern Parade (organizer, and volunteer coordinator)

Artistic Residencies

2026	Handmade Productions Giant Puppet creation for Happy Valley Pride Parade, Hebden Bridge, England
2025	Haystack Lantern Parade and Community Building Workshop
2024	Kolaj Institute. Collage on Screen.
2024	Cartography of Emotion. Plug In Institute of Contemporary Art
2022	Puppets in Prague, creation and performance at Letní Letná festival, Prague, CZ
2022	Ox-Bow Residency, Saugatauk, USA

Shows

2026	Thin Spaces: The Porous Places Between, Workers Arts and Heritage Centre, Hamilton. Curated by Elwood Jimmy
2025	155,578, Art Gallery of Guelph, curated by Erin Szikora
2024	Cartography of Emotion, Winnipeg

2023	Disembody, Homer Watson Gallery, Kitchener
2022	Shantz Scholarship MFA Show, University of Waterloo
2022	Echoes Juried Art Show, Women's Art Association, Toronto
2021	Salt Spring National Art Prize, Salt Spring, BC
2021	The HeART of HealthCARE virtual show. Found at: https://artspaces.kunstmatrix.com/en/exhibition/5241209/heart-of-healthcare
2021	Engaging Creatives: Art In The Pandemic (a virtual exhibition and vernissage). Presented by the Royal Society of Canada, and University of Alberta. Found at: https://www.covidcreative.ca/
2020	Alone/Together, Incuarts Gallery. Found at: https://www.incuarts.com/alone-together-exhibition
2020	The 147th Annual Juried Show, Ontario Society of Artists, https://ontariosocietyofartists.org/oje_2020/
2020	Lonely Together, Guelph Emerging Artist Mentorship Program, Guelph, ON
2020	Mother Art Prize, Cromwell Place, South Kensington, London, UK
2020	Dog Days, John B. Aird Gallery, Curated by Matthew Brower, Toronto ON
2020	Last Year's Flowers, (solo show) Capacity 3, Guelph, ON
2020	Natural Assembly Required, (solo show) Necessary Arts, Guelph ON
2019	Expanding Styles, Necessary Arts, Guelph, ON
2019	Figureworks, Juried Art Competition, St. Brigid's Centre for the Arts, Ottawa,
2019	Guelph Open Studio Tour, ON
2019	Open Fields, Multiple Toronto and Guelph sites, ON
2019	Fleur(ish), Guelph, ON
2018	Toying With Memory, Necessary Arts, Guelph, ON

Awards

2025	Art Council of Guelph Micro grant to run free lantern making workshops, $1,000
2023	Graduate Scholarship, University of Waterloo, $500
2022	Ontario Grant Scholarship, $15, 000
2022	President's Graduate Scholarship, University of Waterloo, $5,000
2022	Shantz Scholarship, $10,850
2021	Canada Council of the Arts, Research Grant, $25, 000
2020	Shortlisted Guelph Artist in Residence
2019	Gold: Feeding 9-Billion card game with the Arrell Food Institute, Serious Play Awards
2019	Shortlisted Guelph Artist in Residence
2018	University of Guelph, Sculpture Award
2017	University of Guelph, Juried Art Show Top Ten
2016	Arts Everywhere Scholar Program, Musagetes, Guelph, ON
2012	University of Guelph Juried Junior Art Show Winner

Recent Community Initiatives I Have Volunteered For

2026	Rolling Fridays. Promotion and staffing of this free 6 week event
2026	Lantern Making workshop in support of Creating with Diversity at DIYode
2025	Juror for Cambridge Centre for the Arts 2026 exhibition season
2024	Mentor in the Guelph Emerging Artist Mentorship Program
2024, 2025	Guelph Pride in the Park (community collaboration)
2024	Enchanted Park, Fairy Door event (committee member)
2024	Juror for the University of Guelph's Juried Art Show, School of Fine Art
2023-present	Co-chair Exhibition Park Neighbourhood Group
2019-2022	VIBE Arts Toronto, Committee Member
2022-2024	Juror for Fair November Artisan and Craft Fair

2020	City of Guelph's Culture Days 2020, Digital Culture Hub artist presenter
2014-2018	Cluster Leader at Victory Public School, Guelph. Stop Motion Instructor

Undergraduate shows

2018	Fractured Remnants, Boarding House Gallery, Guelph, ON
2018	Fustercluk, Zavitz Gallery, University of Guelph, ON
2018	Oh, She Has Her Mother's Eyes, Zavitz Gallery, University of Guelph, ON
2017	Skipton Puppet Festival (performance), North Yorkshire, England
2017	Figureworks, Juried Art Competition, St. Brigid's Centre for the Arts, Ottawa
2017	Specialeyes, Boarding House, Guelph, ON
2017	Juried Art Show Top Ten, Boarding House Gallery, Guelph, ON
2017	Rhymes with "Smother", (Solo Show), Zavitz Gallery, University of Guelph, ON
2017	The Black and White Ball, Propeller Gallery, Toronto, ON
2016	Scroll(ing), Zavitz Gallery, University of Guelph, ON
2016	Come Together, Propeller Gallery, Curated by Barbara Astman, Toronto, ON

Work/Writing/Commissions

2023	"Grandma's Tattoos - A Care Package" essay, featured in Textual-Sexual-Spiritual: Artistic Practice and Other Rituals as Queer Becoming and Beyond. Rejoinder, Spring edition.
2022	"Monarchs" installation and educational display for rare charitable organisation.
2021	Guest Presenter, "What Are You Trying To Say?" University of Guelph Art History Lecture
2020	"Dog Days" book, curated by Matthew Brower for John B. Aird Gallery
2018-2019	"450 Years to Forever", sculpture commission from the University of Guelph, First exhibited at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair, Toronto and during Sustainability Week (2019) in Guelph
2018	The Beautiful Corpse: A Review of Tamara Henderson's Seasons End, Exhibit Peripheral Review, online magazine
2017	Feeding Nine Billion Card Game artwork. Educational game by the Arrell Food Institute: https://arrellfoodinstitute.ca/card-game/
2017	"Whiskey", print. Ontario Agricultural College, University of Guelph
2016	The Food Institute, website Christmas feature, Preserving memories: holiday recipe. from the archives: http://foodinstitute.ca/preserving-memories-holiday-recipes-archives/
2016	University of Guelph Psychology Department. Campus safety perception zine
2015	Exhibition Park Community Network. Collage commission

Public Health/Other Professional Experiences

2021	Oxfam Summit delegate
2020	Pandemic Hire Housekeeper, Saint Joseph's Health Centre (Long Term Care)
2019-2020	SHORE clinic volunteer, Wheels For Choice
2019	Volunteer Coordinator, Royal City Ballet and Jazz 40th Anniversary Show
2018-2019	Trex Leader, Unit 1, Guelph
2018-2021	Therapy Dog Volunteer, St. John's Ambulance
2015-present	Exhibition Park Living Advent Calendar participant
2017-2018	Brownie Leader, Unit 23, Guelph
2005-2007	Learning Assistant, Craven College, Skipton, UK
2004-2005	Care Aide, Craven Nursing Home, Skipton, UK
1999-2002	Family and Bereavement volunteer and Personal Support Worker, Canuck Place Hospice for Children, Vancouver, BC
1998- 2000	Youth Worker, Alternate Shelter Society Group Homes, Vancouver

1998-2001	Counsellor/clinic staff, Planned Parenthood Association of B.C., Vancouver
1997	Grade 5 teacher, Acres of Love Orphanage, Belize
1993-1997	Health Promoter/Counsellor/Receptionist, The House, Toronto, ON