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Curriculum Vitae

Education

Massachusetts College of Art, Provincetown, MA
MFA, 2008
The University of Chicago, Chicago, IL
BA ,2002, Academic and Departmental Honors
The Kinkaid School, Houston Texas
Diploma 1998, Weiner Fellowship Scholar with MFA curator Anne Tucker 1997

Awards/Grants

2012

Sustainable Arts Foundation Fellowship to Vermont Studio Center
Creation Grant, Vermont Arts Council

2010

New Hampshire Preservation Alliance Award for Historic Painted Theater Curtains
Project Survey

2009

Artist Development Grant, Vermont Arts Council

Art Conservation (2004-present)

Curtains Without Borders- Project Administrator and Conservation Technician
(www.curtainswithoutborders.com) –recipient of New Hampshire Preservation Alliance
Award for New Hampshire Painted Theater Curtains Project Survey 2010
Vermont Painted Theater Curtain Project- Conservation Technician
Washi Conservation- Paper Conservation Technician
Erica James Conservation- Painting Conservation Technician
Fairbanks Museum and Planetarium- Objects Conservation Technician and weekend
museum manager (www.fairbanksmuseum.org)

Teaching (2000-present)

Art Coaching (2010-present)- one on one art mentoring and portfolio consultation
Private Art Lessons (2006-present)- one on one art lessons and technique development
Davis Studios Vermont- Fiber Arts Department Coordinator and Educator (2007-present)
teaching specialized classes for adults and children
Summer Day Camp (2000-2002)- Arts Coordinator and Programmer

Selected Art Exhibitions

Solo and Two Person Art Shows

2012

Dazzle Camouflage, G Gallery, Houston, TX (November)
Self/ Fabricated, Art Complex Museum, Duxbury, MA (September)
TBA, University of Vermont, Burlington, VT (September)

2011

The Tulle Did Her In, Helen Day Art Center, Stowe, VT

2010

Stuck, Art Hop at Backspace Gallery, Burlington, VT
Hysterical Society, Beulah Gallery, Olema, CA
Comfort Her, Garbagecan Astronaut Project Space, Portland, OR
Wylie Sofia Garcia: A Review, One night Only S.P.A.C.E. Gallery Burlington, VT

2009

Uncharted Territories, Fire House Gallery, Burlington, VT

2008

Twisted, Flynn Dog Gallery, Burlington, VT (with Jake Rifkin)
He Said-She Said, Plus One Gallery, Baton Rouge, LA (with Clark Derbes)

2007

Still in Vermont, Vermont State House, Montpelier, VT

2006

Great Garcia! Paintings Part I, E1 Studio Collective, Burlington, VT
Still In Vermont, Fletcher Free Library, Burlington, Vermont
Our Little Secret, Pine Street Art Works, Burlington, VT (with Christy Mitchell)

2005

Fashion Week, Heidi Goodrich Gallery, Montpelier, VT

Juried Shows

2009

Wearable Art, Lynn Arts, Lynn, MA (Lauren Whitely, Juror)-Best In Show
Surrealist Salon, Baton Rouge Gallery, Baton Rouge, LA (David Ball, Juror)

2008

Uncommon Threads, Culture Candy Baton Rouge, LA (Liz Good, Juror)

2006

In the Zone II, Brattleboro Museum, Brattleboro, VT (Denise Markonish, Juror)

2003

Kinkaid Centennial Juried Show, Kinkaid School, Houston, TX

2002

The One Juried Show, Lawndale Art Center, Houston, TX

Festival Of The Arts, Regenstein Library, Chicago, IL

Group Shows

2011

Uncommon Threads, Studio Place Arts, Barre VT

Make Art Repeat, S.P.A.C.E. Gallery, Burlington, VT

2010

Sacred Spaces, The Nave Gallery, Somerville, MA

2009

Visions Twelve, Doran Gallery, Boston, MA

Art Hop, Burlington, VT

2008

Environ/Examined, Prospect One, Louisiana Art Works, New Orleans, LA

Graduate Thesis, Provincetown Art Association and Museum

Art Hop, Burlington, VT

2007

Som Rendezvous, Green Door Studios, Burlington, VT

2006

Diorama O'Rama, Greendoor Studio, Burlington, VT

South End Art Hop, SEABA, Burlington, Vermont

Hair, Studio Place Arts, Barre, Vermont

The Painting Show, E1 Studio Collective, Burlington, VT

The T-Shirt Project, Fire House Gallery, Burlington, VT

2005

Arts Alive, Union Station Gallery, Burlington, VT

South End Art Hop, SEABA, Burlington, VT

2004

The Prom Show, The Underbelly Gallery, Brooklyn, NY

FELT, Komba Boutique and Gallery, Fairfax CA

Women's Festival of Craft, City Hall, Burlington, VT

Summer Art Market, City Hall Park, Burlington, VT

All Bush No Trees, E1 Studio Collective, Burlington, VT

Waiting Room Sunday T-shirt Project, Waiting Room Lounge, Burlington, VT
Y's Designs, Beulah Boutique, Fairfax, CA
Y's Designs, Ember Grove Gallery, Portland, ME

2002

Thesis, Reynolds Club, Chicago, IL

2000

Alchemy, Houston Photo Festival, Red Bud Gallery, Houston, TX

Workshops/Residencies

2012 Vermont Studio Center, Sustainable Arts Foundation Fellowship

2008 Seven Below Fund Burlington City Arts, Burlington, VT

2007 Central Academy of Fine Arts, Beijing, China Residency with John G. Walker

2006-2008 Fine Art Work Center, Provincetown, MA -MFA residency program

2007 Pine Street Studios, Burlington, VT Artist in residence, textiles

2000 Maine Photographic Workshops, Rockport ME Work Study

1997 Maine Photographic Workshops, Rockport, ME Young Photographers

1997 Glassell School of Art, Houston, TX Self Portrait Painting

Selected Press

McCormack, Lisa. *The Stowe Reporter*. One Dress a Month for an Entire Year, Oct. 6, 2011.

Rahn, Amy. *Art New England*. Reviews:Vermont. Oct/Nov 2011.

Polston, Pamela. *The Seven Days Vermont*. Clothes Encounters. December 1, 2010

Sollberger, Eva. *Stuck In Vermont* episode 192. September 2010.

Ober, Lauren. *The Seven Days Vermont*. Women's Work. June 15, 2009.

Awodey, Mark. *The Seven Days Vermont*. Take Two. November 19, 2008.

Tursi, Alexandra. *ArtScope Magazine*, Twisted. November/December, 2008.

Distler, Arlene. *Vermont Magazine*, The Collective Advantage. March, 2008.

Young, Sarah. *225 Magazine* Baton Rouge, Riffs: Wylie Sofia Garcia,. March, 2008.

Janes, Jared. *The Advocate*. Wind Blows-but doesn't slow-Chalk Art Contest. April 16, 2007.

Hadsel, Christine. *The American Art Review*, Vermont Painted Theater Curtains. October, 2006.

Zezenia, Katie. *The New York Times*, The Curtain Rises on Old Vermont. Sunday, June 27, 2006.

Awodey, Mark. *The Seven Days Vermont*, Painting Show. May 10-17, 2006

Bush, Candice. *Examiner*, Kinkaid Alumni Artists. January 19 2006.

Polston, Pamela. *The Seven Days Vermont*, State of the Arts: Inside Out. February 2-9, 2005.

Wolf, Andrew. *The Vermont Guardian*, Culture: All Bush No Trees. January 14-20, 2005.

Awodey, Mark. *The Seven Days Vermont*, Stepping Out. September 29- Oct. 6, 2004.