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Education

Raku Pottery

Summer 2006

One Week Series Course through Red Deer College

Red Deer, AB

- Expanded existing knowledge of ceramics through the experimental process of raku firing

Internship Scholarship Program

Summer 2005

The WORKS Art and Design Festival

Edmonton, AB

- Completed Works to Works professional enhancement education program
- Course covered preparation planning, install/dismantle, light/sound, basic construction, inventory, teamwork and safety

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Arts and Design

2001 – 2005

University of Alberta

Edmonton, AB

- Majored in sculpture, minored in painting
- Combined GPA of 3.5 in last two years of the program
- 2003/2004 Dean's Honour List, 2004 Jason Lang Scholarship

Employment

Gallery Educator

September 2006 – present

Art Gallery of Alberta

Edmonton, AB

- Leading group tours of school students and adults through current gallery exhibitions; demonstrating an in depth knowledge of current exhibits and their cultural context, art historical precedents, and contemporary relevance
- Facilitating studio art-making sessions
- Planning and executing a curriculum for a variety of studio classes, including teaching children's sculpture and painting classes, as well as an adult sculpture class

Lead Artist

April 2007 – present

Nina Haggerty Centre for the Arts

Edmonton, AB

- Assist people with disabilities in the ceramics department with inspiration and completion of projects
- Aid parents and children in the creation of a large scale public sculpture for Family Art Night, to be exhibited at Capital Ex in 2007

Sales Consultant

Aug 3rd, 2005 – present
Edmonton, AB

Plainsman Pottery Supply

- Utilized knowledge of clay and related materials to advise and educate customers on the proper use of clay, materials, and techniques
- Worked in sales assisting customers on various clay related projects

Exhibition and Production Technology Assistant

May 2005 – Jun. 2005

The WORKS Art and Design Festival

Edmonton, AB

- Assisted in the preparation and handling of artwork for exhibits
- Installed and dismantled various exhibits
- Practiced proper lighting/sound techniques, basic construction skills, standard hanging and safety procedures

Professional Artist

Summer 2004

Heidi Stoyke Commision

Onoway, AB

- Completed site specific installation in memory of Livia Stoyke

Selected Exhibitions

Next Fest Visual and Performing Arts Festival

May 2007

- Solo exhibition at Ultra Violet Design Studio

Art Gallery of Alberta

March 2007

- Free For All group exhibition

Urban Roots Gallery

March 2007

- Free Play Group Exhibition

Harcourt House

May 2006

- Annual Member's Exhibition

WORKS Gallery Commerce Place

March 2006

- Group Exhibition with Eric Burton and Annie Macrae

Brinsmead Ziola Kennedy Architecture Firm

March 2005

- Group exhibition with the Society of Student Artists

Publications

Notebook Magazine

April 2007

- Featured artist in the magazine's second edition

Volunteer Experience

- Artist** 2007
Latitude 53's 53 Ways to Leave Your Lover Edmonton, AB
• Donated artwork to support Latitude 53
- Artist** 2007
Art Gallery of Alberta's Free For All Edmonton, AB
• Participated in a non-curated group exhibition at the Art Gallery of Alberta
- Guest Artist** 2007
Thornclyff After School Care Edmonton, AB
• Spent one day teaching elementary school students a clay project
- Craft Co-ordinator** 2007
Icelandic Society of Artists Edmonton, AB
• Assisted the planning and execution of various craft projects for children
- Undergraduate Representative** 2005
University of Alberta Edmonton, AB
• Elected undergraduate representative for the Art and Design Chair Selections Committee
• Reviewed resumes of potential candidates for the position of Chair for the Art and Design department
- Sponsorship Coordinator** 2005
University of Alberta Edmonton, AB
• In charge of raising external individual and corporate support for the BFA Graduation show
• Participated in organizing and operating two BFA art auctions
- Bartender** 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006
Edmonton Contemporary Artist's Society Edmonton, AB
• Served drinks for the Edmonton Contemporary Artist's Society's Annual Exhibition

References

- Larry McIntosh** Edmonton, AB
Manager, Plainsman Pottery Supply
988 - 9142
- Amber Rooke** Edmonton, AB
President, Society of Student Artists
Curator for the WORKS and Nextfest
453 - 3067