Madison Stanton

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EDUCATION

Arcadia University Glenside, PA

M.Ed. - Master of Education in Art Education Anticipated graduation- May 2017

Certification in Art K-12

Salisbury University Salisbury, MD **B.F.A.** - Bachelor of Fine Arts, cum laude May 2013

Studio Art- Concentration in Painting, Drawing, Photography

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Conestoga High School Berwyn, PA **Paraprofessional Educator** July 2015- present

I assist special needs students academically with classroom assignments, teaching them to better understand the learning material. I use differentiated instruction and modify materials in order to meet the needs of the individual and any learning disability they may have. I work with students in the art room and implement IEP's while observing and recording student progression. Help out with extracurricular activities/clubs, etc. *Completed 30 hours of in-service training, CPR and first aid certified, up to date on all PA required clearances.

Huntington Learning Center

King of Prussia, PA

January- July 2015

- **Assistant Director of Education, Lead Tutor**
- I advised students, conducted academic evaluations, and set up learning materials for their tutoring program
- Ensured students were at their correct level and provided them with instruction to advance further in their program
- Coordinated all aspects of planning, preparation, and implementation of each child's educational program
- Supervised and observed the teaching staff and tutors, provided feedback to them
- Collaborated with teachers during professional development time which took place during morning meetings

Pinot's Palette Baltimore, MD Aug. 2014-Jan. 2015

- **Lead Painting and Design Instructor**
- I designed new paintings, templates, lesson plans, and color palettes for evening class instruction
- Assisted all class members, helping them to reach their own artistic goals
- Taught students in drawing, painting, color theory and composition
- Instructed classes of 15-30 people- both adults and children- and demonstrated how to sketch out and complete a painting step-by-step. Engaged and interacted with audience, making each class a fulfilling experience
- Taught students about studio art and painting practices, created marketing materials and informed guests of upcoming classes and workshops. Framed and displayed completed works of art.

Howard County Recreation and Parks/Howard County Board of Education

Columbia, MD

Art Specialist and Long-term Substitute Teacher at Lake Elkhorn Middle School

July 2014-January 2015

- Lead and actively helped to engage youth in recreational, specialized art projects
- Taught traditional and contemporary drawing, painting, photography, ceramics, etc.- created lesson plans and curriculum
- Prepared art materials, demonstrated hands-on studio work to students in small groups
- Coordinated and planned with the county school team and interacted with the staff/parent community
- Gave the classes encouraging feedback and showcased/displayed children's artwork
- Tutored and mentored middle school students, assisting them with their homework
- Provided developmental, creative, and problem solving skills to students and implemented into lesson plans
- Lead after school activities in art, science, and other hands-on projects
- Prepared course materials such as homework assignments, and handouts, projects, etc.

- Maintained student attendance records, grades, and other required records
- Mentored and advised students, used technology in the classroom
- Delivered instruction and managed classroom conduct in absence of the regular teacher
- Collaborated with peer teachers and encouraged team work among students
- Improved student grades and helped them to prioritize their assignments and gain study skills
- Incorporated life skills and teachable moments into activities
- Lead groups of 15 students through group projects and encouraged teamwork among students

The Galleries at Maryland Hall for the Creative Arts

Annapolis, MD May 2013- May 2014

Assistant to the Director, Painting Class Instructor

- Administrative and hands-on work in both the gallery and arts offices
- Designed and created pamphlets to distribute for upcoming shows
- Created labels, cut mat boards, prepared works for framing, mounting/display of artworks, etc.
- · Marketing and membership duties- social media, communications, editing and maintaining calendar
- Taught classes in painting, drawing, and bookmaking to children and adults
- Gave tours of the galleries, helped plan and promote exhibitions, events, workshops, etc.
- Hung paintings, photographed art work, coordinated new exhibitions, and took part in art history discussions

Salisbury University Galleries

Salisbury, MD 2011-2013

Assistant Gallery Coordinator, Lead Studio Tech, VP

- Assisted in curating exhibitions and organizing events within the art galleries
- Involved with the installation/de-installation of various exhibitions
- Became the assistant vice president of the SU Arts Organization which successfully got the community and campus actively involved in art, teaching others about creative practices, while fostering inspiration within the student body
- Maintained the gallery, assisted in storage maintenance/ collections inventory, went to all art related organizational meetings
- Supervised students within the gallery and guided them through various tasks, monitoring their work
- Planned and coordinated programs/ events, marketed to the student body and surrounding community
- · Responsible for leading discussions and helping members with developing their own art and contemporary styles
- Organized and coordinated plans for weekly meetings, gathered art supplies

Gymboree Play & Learn

Columbia, MD 2010-2011

Teacher/Instructor

- Following lesson plans I taught the art, and school skills classes
- Instructed classes to children ages 2-6 and promoted healthy interactions between children
- Provided developmental, creative, and problem solving skills to children
- Gave parents feedback, showcased children's artwork, provided encouragement
- Prepared activities, served snacks, took attendance, etc.

Practicing/Working Artist: 2010-present

I am an artist and I maintain my own artist website. I create paintings on a regular basis. I take part in exhibitions where I will occasionally sell my paintings/drawings/mixed media artworks. I teach freelance art lessons and support the importance of art and creative expression within life, schools, and the surrounding community. I participate in local arts festivals and frequently visit both galleries and museums.

RELEVANT COURSEWORK

- Advanced Study in Art: Professional Practices in Art and Design
- Gallery and Museum Internship
- Painting 1-Advanced, Drawing 1-Advanced
- Black and White/Digital Photography
- Sculpture, Ceramics, Printmaking, Metals, Bookmaking
- Modern Art History, History of American Art: 20th Century
- History of American Folk Art and Craft

- Senior Art Seminar- Exhibition Design
- Digital Design & Layout: Graphic Design
- Art Theory, Color Theory, Intro to Design Fundamentals
- Human Development: The School Years, K-12
- General Foundations of Education in the U.S.
- Differentiating Instruction in Inclusive Settings
- > Teaching Multilingual and Multicultural Literacies
- Art Education & Inclusive Practice
- The Uses of Theory in Art Education
- Curriculum Design in Art Education
- Graduate Practicum: Art Ed (K12)

SELECTED SOLO & GROUP EXHIBITIONS

Transparency- PVHS Arts Festival • Collegeville, PA May 2016

Alabaster - Tsunami Restaurant • Annapolis, MD November 2014

Ever Upward- University Center Art Space • Salisbury University • Salisbury, MD May 2014

49th Annual Senior Thesis Fine Arts Show - Fulton Hall Gallery • Salisbury University • Salisbury, MD November 2013

The Hibernation - Cool Beans Gallery • Salisbury University • Salisbury, MD September 2013

Annual Open Studio Show- Advanced Painting Studio • Salisbury University • Salisbury, MD May 2013

I've got a War in My Mind- Cool Beans Gallery • Salisbury University • Salisbury, MD March 2013

INVOLVED IN/MEMBER OF

NAEA: National Art Education Association PAFA: Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts

PMA- Philadelphia Museum of Art NGA- National Gallery of Art, DC

SKILLS/ATTRIBUTES

- Detail oriented and highly organized
- Strong visual and creative design skills
- Strong communication and leadership skills
- Academic research and development within art education, teaching, classroom management
- > Experienced in all artistic mediums and techniques, fully skilled background in fine art/studio art
- Proficient in Word, Excel, PowerPoint, WordPress, Google Apps, Adobe Creative Suite, etc.
- > Energetic, encouraging personality with a positive attitude

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