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I create objects that record and Reconstruct Experience
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Education

School of the Museum of Fine Arts/Tufts University, Boston, MFA 2006
School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, Post Baccalaureate Certificate 2003
M.D. Boston University School of Medicine 1981
B.A. Biology Boston University Summa cum Laude with Distinction 1977
Bronx High School of Science 1968

Additional Educational and Teaching Experience

Master teacher Studio Arts St.Pauls School Summer Program Concord NH 2008 and 2009
Faculty painting and printmaking NH Institute of Art, Manchester NH 2006-2008
Faculty painting, School of the Museum Fine Arts, 2005-2006
Teaching Assistant Don Sibley, painting, SMFA, Boston, MA 2003-2004
New Hampshire Institute of Art, Manchester, NH 1999-2001
Fine Arts Work Center, Provincetown, MA (studied with Michael Mazur, Robert Townsend, Jim Peters, Gregory Gillespie), summer 1999 and 2000.
Teaching Assistant Aunrico Gatson, sculpture, Brandeis University, Waltham, MA 1998
Brandeis University Graduate School Fine Arts Post Baccalaureate in Studio Painting 1998-99.
Instructor Advanced Drawing Sharon Arts Center, Sharon, NH 1997
Paul Ingbretson Atelier 1995-1997 (Boston Painters' heritage)
DeCordova Museum School, Lincoln, MA 1991-1995.
Studied drawing and painting (Berlin, Madrid, and Paris) 1972-1974

Commissions/Collections

Ms. Julie Schmidt, Raleigh NC
Ms. Tammy Arcuri, Boston, MA
Mr. and Mrs. Levin, Boston, MA
Mr. Arthur Goldberg, Chestnut Hill, MA
Mrs. Nina Fialkow, Boston, MA
Mr. Peter Reinhart, Marblehead, MA
Mr. Mark Haddad, Boston, MA
Dr. Angela Crane, Amherst, NH
Mrs. Deborah Bryant, Sudbury, MA
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wisner, Sudbury MA
Mr. and Mrs. Kevin O'Keefe, Sudbury, MA
Mrs. Stacey O'Rourke, Winchester, MA
Ms Robyn Friedman, Boston, MA
Mr. and Mrs. Craig Drimal, Weston, Connecticut
Mr. and Mrs. John DiZoglio, Methuen, MA
Mrs. Deborah DiPaolo, San Diego, CA
Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Slattery, Holliston, MA

Solo Shows

United Arts Council, Raleigh, NC March 2018
NKGallery Boston, MA 2012
Beland Gallery Lawrence, MA 2011
Contos Gallery, Rockport, MA 2004

Awards

VAE *For the Love of Art Gala* exhibition honorable mention 2017
Copley Society Award 2006
Currier Museum Miriam Sawyer Award for Painting NHAA 2006

School of the Museum of Fine Arts Honorable Mention Dana Pond Award 2004 (Juror Arthur
Dion Gallery Naga Boston, MA)
School of the Museum of Fine Arts Drawing Show Prize 2003
Concord Art Association (Best of show for "Yellow Frog" 2002)
The American Flag, (Best of Show for "Americana-Hispana") Concord Art Association,
Concord, MA 2001
Concord Art Association Distinguished Artist 2000
Boston University Biology Department Outstanding Scholar
Outstanding Graduate of Boston University College of Arts and Sciences
Boston University Deans Scholar
Federation of Women's Club Margaret Yardley Fellow

Publications

Art New England, "From Hand to Hand: Artists' Books" by Debbie Hagan,
August/September 2005
Editor "Place" 2011 book for 4 artists in Boston
Portfolio Reviewer for Arts and Business Council 'Artist Professional Toolbox' Boston MA 2012
Chester College graduation speaker 2013

Curatorial

From March 2010 through September 2012 curated 42 individual exhibitions (list available
upon request). This included writing/assisting in the write-up for the artist statement, studio
visits, mentoring, hanging the works, web-based presentation for the gallery with images,
press releases, invitation card design, as well as presenting the work to the general public.

Juror Projects

Concord Art Association February 2013 group exhibition
ArtScope magazine juror for July/August centerfold artist 2012
Arsenal Arts juror for '30 under 30" exhibition 2012 Watertown MA
Cambridge Art Association April 2011 Group Exhibition

Group Shows

2018

Pets and People, 311 Gallery Raleigh NC April 2017
Juried Arts Show, Maria V. Howard Arts Center, Imperial Center for the Arts, Rocky Mount
NC. Annah Lee juror. June – September 2018
Members Exhibition, Durham Arts Guild, Durham NC April- June 2018
Flowers and Gardens, 311 Gallery Raleigh NC July 2018

2017

Mezcla, VAE Raleigh August 2017
Hearsay, VAE Raleigh September 2017
For the Love of Art Gala, VAE Raleigh December 2017

2016

Fresh, Artspace Raleigh NC, Juror Marshall Price Nancy Hanks Curator of Modern and
Contemporary Art at the Nasher Museum of Art at Duke University.

2012

Love Lust and Desire, McGowan Gallery Concord, NH

2011

62nd Currier Museum exhibition NHAA, Currier Museum, Manchester NH, Juror Jen Mergel
Beal Family Senior Curator of Contemporary Art Museum of Fine Art Boston
SugiPop!, Portsmouth Museum of Art, Portsmouth NH
'ArtSpeak' NKGallery Boston, MA
'Shine' WCA Boston Summer Exhibition Bromfield Gallery Boston MA
Blue, Cambridge Art Association, Cambridge, MA, Juror Theodore Stebbins

2010

'Transformations' Arsenal Arts Center Exhibition Watertown MA

2009

61 st Currier Museum Exhibition NHAA, Juror Trevor Smith Curator Contemporary Art
Peabody Essex Museum.

2008

60th Currier Museum Exhibition NHAA, New Hampshire Institute of Art, Manchester, NH

2007

59th Currier Museum exhibition NHAA, Paul Creative Arts Center, Durham NH. Juror Karen Burgess Smith

2006

NH Artists of the 21st Century, Kimball-Jenkins Estate, Concord, NH, and Plymouth State College, Plymouth, NH

Copley Society 17th Annual Student Show (Copley Award)

Currier Museum of Art, Manchester NH (Juror Mary Harding, York, Maine)

FormZ Show, Bag Gallery, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

2005

Red, University Place Gallery (Juror Nick Capasso DeCordova Museum)

Art of Peace, Robert Lincoln Levy Gallery, Portsmouth, NH

Beyond Color, Fort Point Gallery, Boston, MA

Wet Dreams Project, Luanne Stovall, School of Fashion Design, Boston, MA

Form Z, Bag Gallery, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

Off Site, Mission Hill Complex, Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

Student Annual Exhibition, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

Atrium Show, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

2004

Student Annual Exhibition, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

Terra Incognita, Bag Gallery, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

2003

Resound, Courtyard Gallery Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

Student Annual Exhibition, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

Drawing Show, Atrium Gallery, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

Graduating Students Exhibition, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

2002

Latino American, Atrium Gallery, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

Post Baccalaureate Show, Bag Gallery, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

Salon Show, Bag Gallery, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

Members Juried Exhibition, Concord Art Association, Concord, MA

Members Annual Exhibition, Sharon Arts Center, Peterborough, MA

2001

The American Flag, (Best of Show) Concord Art Association, Concord, MA

Frances N. Roddy Exhibition, Concord Art Association, Concord, MA

Distinguished Artists Exhibition, Concord Art Association, Concord, MA

Members Juried Exhibition, Concord Art Association, Concord, MA

53rd Annual Members Exhibition, Sharon Arts Center, Peterborough, NH

2000

Whitney Biennial, (subversive collaborator Internet Art), @RTmark.com,

Members Juried Exhibition, Concord Art Association, Concord, MA

1999

Theses Exhibition, Schlosberg Gallery, Brandeis University, Waltham, MA

Black and White Show, Concord Art Association, Concord, MA

1998

Members Juried Exhibition, Concord Art Association, Concord, MA

50th Annual Members Exhibition, Sharon Arts Center, Peterborough, NH

Theses Exhibition, Schlosberg Gallery, Brandeis University, Waltham, MA

1997

Faculty Show, Sharon Arts Center, Sharon, NH

Synecotics Project, Women in Process, Freight Gallery, Hancock, NH

49th Annual Members Exhibition, Sharon Arts Center, Sharon, NH