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### **Education**

- 2014 Teaching Certification Art EC-12  
Region 10, Richardson TX
- 2003 Masters of Fine Arts  
University of North Texas, Denton, Texas  
Major: Ceramics, Minor: Drawing and Painting
- 1999 Bachelors of Fine Arts  
University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa.  
Major: Ceramics, Minor: Drawing and Sculpture

### **Teaching Experience**

- 2014 –present High School Art Teacher  
W.H. Adamson High School, Oak Cliff, Texas.  
Instructor of record for Drawing II-IV and Ceramics II-III.
- 2005- 2013 Senior Lecturer  
The University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, Texas.  
Instructor of record for Digital Design, Drawing Fundamentals, Three-dimensional Design, and Drawing Concepts.
- 2006- 2012 Adjunct Professor  
Brookhaven College, Dallas, Texas.  
Instructor of record for Ceramics and Art Appreciation.
- 2003-2004 Adjunct Professor  
Tarrant County College, Fort Worth, Texas.  
Instructor of record for Art Appreciation and Ceramics Sculpture.
- 2000-2003 Teaching Fellow and Teaching Assistant  
University of North Texas, Denton, Texas.  
Instructor of record for Beginning/ Intermediate Ceramics and Drawing II.

## **Selected Exhibition Record**

### **2015**

“Adamson student exhibition” Red Pegasus Comics and games, Curated by Erik Tosten, Dallas Texas.

### **2014**

“Adamson student exhibition” Oil and Cotton, Curated by Erik Tosten, Dallas Texas.

### **2013**

“Food” Gallery 219, Eastfield College, Curated by Iris Bechtol, Mesquite Texas.

### **2012**

Art house co-op Sketchbook Project 2012, sketchbook in permanent collection at the Brooklyn Art Library, Brooklyn New York. World tour stops include, Portland OR, San Francisco CA, Austin TX, Chicago IL, Atlanta GA, Toronto, Canada, Tour ongoing.

“Hecho en Oak Cliff” Mountain View College the Cliff Gallery, Dallas Texas.

### **2011**

“Projects 26” Solo Exhibition, Studio Gallery at Brookhaven College, Farmers Branch Texas.

“Tribute to Blind Lemmon Jefferson” Freestone County Historical Museum, Fairfield Texas.

### **2010**

“Precious Moments” solo exhibition, Mighty Fine Arts, Dallas Texas.

“Pop-Up Now, a juried exhibition of movable books”, 23 Sandy Gallery, juried by Ellen G.K. Rubin, Larry Seidman and Jill Timm, Portland, Oregon.

### **2009**

“Permanent Collection Purchase Award” 22nd Annual National Works on Paper Exhibition, McNeese State University Abercrombie Gallery, Juror Joy Glidden, Lake Charles, Louisiana.

Dallas vs. Houston Smackdown, Texas Collaborative Arts, Houston Texas.

### **2008**

Ech\_o A Melting Pot of Video with a Technological echo, Central Track, Dallas, Texas, Curated by Mary Benedicto.

Tasty Bits, Gallery 414, Fort Worth, Texas, Curated by Erik Tosten.

**2007**

Open Wide, 2 person show, Janette Kennedy Gallery, Dallas, Texas.

Mighty Fine Art, Polvo Gallery, Chicago Illinois.

Translation: Dreams/Nightmares Invitational, Backroads Gallery and Sculpture Garden, Damariscotta, Maine.

**2006**

Love us For Good, CAM 2006 official Kickoff at Motel 3, San Antonio, Texas.

West Meets West, University of Art and Design in Helsinki, Helsinki, Finland.

**2005**

Missives- Visual Takes On Presumptive Thought, Broadway Gallery, New York, New York.

**2004**

Art In The Metroplex 22nd Annual Exhibition, University Gallery, Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, Texas, Juror: Larry Rinder.

**2003**

Eye Poking, Great River Arts Association, Little Falls, Minnesota.

**2001**

From The Ground Up, The Richardson Gallery, Las Cruces, New Mexico, Juror: Aurore Chabot.

**Academic and Professional Service****2012**

Workshop Presentation Traditional Woodworking Brookhaven College, Farmers Branch Texas.

**2008**

Drawing From the Collection Instructor for the month of February, Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth, Fort Worth, Texas.

Curator, Tasty Bits, Gallery 414, Fort Worth, Texas, Curated by Erik Tosten.

**2007**

Instructor: Advanced Placement Workshop, Creative Spa University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, Texas.