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## EDUCATION:

- 2014 Master of Fine Arts in Art & Technology, University of Texas at Dallas
- 2007 Bachelor of Fine Arts in Art Direction, Texas A&M University-Commerce
- 2004 Associates in Arts with emphasis in Art, Richland Community College

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

- 2016-Present Adjunct Faculty - Design Communications and Digital Art School of the Arts, Brookhaven College, Dallas, TX
- 2009-Present Academic Advisor II - Program Services Coordinator, Brookhaven College, Dallas, TX
- 2008-Present Freelance Art Director/Designer/Photographer Independent Companies, Dallas, TX
- 2002-2015 Peer Advisor - Academic Advisor II, Richland College, Dallas, TX
- Sept-Dec 2007 Creative Intern, The Richards Group, Dallas, TX
- 1999-2001 Layout Designer, Atlas Group, Tehran, Iran
- 1998-2001 Art Educator, Summer Art School, Tehran, Iran

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS:

- 2018 "Art Faculty," Forum Gallery, Brookhaven College – Dallas, TX
- 2018 "La Frontera of Education: DCCCD Art Exhibition," Latino Cultural Center – Dallas, TX
- 2017 "Art Faculty," Forum Gallery, Brookhaven College – Dallas, TX
- 2016 "Art Faculty," Forum Gallery, Brookhaven College – Dallas, TX
- 2014 "Photography & Materiality," The University of Texas at Dallas
- 2013 "Fall Festival," The University of Texas at Dallas
- 2013 "Student Art Exhibition," The University of Texas at Dallas

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## **GROUP EXHIBITIONS (Continued):**

2011 "Social Studies," The University of Texas at Dallas

## **SOLO EXHIBITIONS:**

2014 "Bending Light," CentralTrak Gallery - Dallas, TX

## **AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS:**

2013-2014	ATEC Grad Scholarship
2011-2014	PSSA Scholarship
Spring 2008	DAL ADDY Award-Print Ad
Fall 2007	ADCH Bronze Award-Poster Ad
Spring 2007	DSVC Merit Award-Print Ad
2005-present	Phi Theta Kappa Member & Scholarship
2005-2006	Presidential List & Scholarship
2005-2006	National Dean's List
2002-2007	Dean's List

## **PRINT PUBLICATION:**

2014 "Abstraction," The Windmill. Vol 2.

## **INTERESTS:**

As a child, I spent many happy hours watching my mother create beautiful garments. This sparked a lifelong passion for creativity. My inspiration comes from photography, architecture, museums, live concerts, fashion shows, independent movies, cultures and traveling.