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EDUCATION

- 2024 Savannah College of Art and Design – Savannah, GA,
Summa Cum Laude M.F.A. in painting, GPA 4.0
- 2021 West Chester University – West Chester, PA
Summa Cum Laude B.F.A. in painting, GPA 4.0

EXPERIENCE

- 2023-2023 Savannah College of Art and Design – Savannah, GA, *Teaching Assistant*
* Student Teacher of Foundational Drawing
* Led class instruction
* Performed student critique
* Created weekly roundups and administrative documentation.
- 2022-2023 Savannah College of Art and Design – Savannah, GA, *Field Research Assistant*
* Assisted PhD candidate's research on art and philosophical topics
* Created documentation charts and illustrations for publication
- 2002-2024 Climbing The Walls Designs – Gibsonia, PA, *Owner and Instructor*
* Teach private and group instruction, as well as lectures and workshops.
* Commissioned fine art and portraiture exhibiting artist
- 2015-2016 Advanced Orthodontics – Aurora, CO, *Marketing and Design Coordinator*
* Planned and implemented promotional events.
* Maintained website and social media presence.
- 1998-2004 Arrow Electronics – Centennial, CO, *Instructional Designer*
* Created global interactive graphic interface and educational toolset.
- 1998-1999 Briarcliff College – Bethpage, NY, *Adjunct Professor*
* Professor of graphics design specializing in the Adobe Creative Suite.
- 1997-1998 Xerox Corporation – NYC, NY, *Designer*
- 1990-1995 Long Island Business News – Ronkonkoma, NY, *Art Director*

SOLO EXHIBITION

- 2024 Pop Up Gallery -Gibsonia, PA, "Portals: A Cathartic Journey of Healing"

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 Martha Gault Art Gallery – Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania, *Grounded*
- 2022 Christine Frechard Gallery - Pittsburgh, PA, *Hearts Healing Arts*
- 2022 August Wilson African American Cultural Center - Pittsburgh, PA, *Healing Hearts*
- 2022 Cranberry Municipal Center - Cranberry, PA, *Martinis and Monet*
- 2022 Hoyt Art Center - New Castle, PA, *Hoyt Regional Juried Exhibition*
- 2021 Merrick Art Museum – New Brighton, PA, *Merrick Masters*
- 2021 Cranberry Municipal Center- Cranberry, PA, *Winter Show*
- 2020 Knauer Gallery - Westchester University, PA, *Graduate Exhibition*

2020	Nemacolin Resort - Farmington, PA, <i>Summer Show</i>
2020	Art Walk - Coraopolis, PA, Coraopolis, <i>Fall Festival</i>
2019	Christine Frechard Gallery - Pittsburgh, PA, <i>Irreversibility of Time</i>
2019	Merrick Art Museum – New Brighton, PA, <i>Merrick Masters</i>
2019	Nemacolin Resort - Farmington, PA, <i>Glorious Wilderness</i>
2019	Cranberry Municipal Center – Cranberry, PA, <i>Martinis and Monet</i>
2019	Christine Frechard Gallery - Pittsburgh, PA, <i>Pittsburgh Society of Artists Members</i>
2018	Nemacolin Resort - Farmington, PA, <i>Winter Show</i>
2014	The PACE Center– Parker, CO, <i>Art in the Park</i>
2012	Elements 5280 Gallery – Cherry Creek, Colorado, <i>Portrait Display</i>
2006	Christopher Gallery – Setauket, NY, <i>Portrait Exhibit</i>

PUBLICATIONS

2024	Emerging Women Artist Award: Summer Edition 2024
2024	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette, Pittsburgh, PA, “Pine artist shares her ‘cathartic journey’ in a solo exhibit at her home” , April 11, 2024
2021	Daedalus Magazine, Westchester, PA
2018	My Blue Skies blogspot.com, “Artist’s Tell Their Stories.”

AWARDS

2022	Merrick Masters, <i>Autism Puzzle</i> 2nd Place.
2022	Camelback Gallery, Pastel Competition, <i>Red Hat</i> , 5th Place.
2022	Camelback Gallery, Pastel Competition, <i>Weight of the World</i> , Finalist.
2019	Cranberry Municipal Center, Martinis and Monet, <i>Wednesday’s Child</i> , 1st Place.
2019	Merrick Masters, <i>Eyes to the Soul</i> , Honorable Mention.

VISITING ARTIST TALK

2021	Merrick Art Museum – New Brighton, PA, Beaver Valley Artists
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PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

2024-present	Society of Sculptors Pittsburgh
2020-present	Associate Artists of Pittsburgh
2020-present	Portrait Society of America
2018-present	Pittsburgh Society of Artists
2016-present	Cranberry Art Association
2018-present	Pittsburgh Pastel Artist League
2017-present	Pittsburgh Society of Illustrators
2005-2009	Deepwells Farm Historical Society, Vice President
2005-2007	Saint James Chamber of Commerce
2004-2006	Smithtown Rotary Club