Curriculum Vitae

Educational Background

Bachelor of Fine Arts, Maryland Institute College of Art, Painting, 2005

Professional Experience

Night Owl Gallery, Baltimore, MD Owner/Executive Director (September 2016 - present)

Teaching Experience

Adjunct Faculty, Business of Art and Design MPS Capstone, Maryland Institute College of Art Mentor, Creative Entrepreneurship Internship, Maryland Institute College of Art Collaborator-in-Residence, Business of Art and Design MPS Capstone, Maryland Institute College of Art Intro to Oil Painting, Night Owl Gallery Linoleum Block Printing for Beginners, Night Owl Gallery & The Ecole, New York, NY Utilizing Collage Techniques in Jewelry Making, Night Owl Gallery Intro to Mosaics, Night Owl Gallery Drawing Fundamentals, Mitchell School of Fine Art Assemblage / Crafting with Found Objects, Night Owl Gallery and Various Locations

Awards

August 2022 Floyd Plein Air Biennial Juried Artist 3rd Place & Peoples' Choice Award June 2022 Paint Annapolis "Art on the Avenue" Juried Artist 2nd Place October 2019 *Baltimore Style* "Best of Baltimore" Reader's Poll Best Visual Artist 2019 August 2019 *Baltimore Magazine* "Best of Baltimore" Reader's Poll Best Artist 2019 August 2019 *Baltimore Magazine* "Best of Baltimore" Reader's Poll Runner-Up Best Art Gallery 2019 August 2018 *Baltimore Magazine* "Best of Baltimore" Reader's Poll Best Artist 2018 August 2018 *Baltimore Magazine* "Best of Baltimore" Reader's Poll Best Artist 2018 August 2018 *Baltimore Magazine* "Best of Baltimore" Reader's Poll Runner-Up Best Art Gallery 2018 June 2018 Baltimore Magazine "Best of Baltimore" Reader's Poll Runner-Up Best Art Gallery 2018 June 2018 Paint Annapolis 3rd Place Quick Draw (Public) June 2018 Paint Annapolis 1st Place Nocturne (Public) May 2005 Williamsburg Artist Materials Prize Sept 2001 - May 2005 Maryland Institute College of Art Presidential Scholarship

Selected Events

August 2022 ALIVE: an interdisciplinary block party style event featuring visual art by Grey Dylan and musical performances by several emerging artists.

August 2022 Highlandtown Plein Air Paint Fest, a plein air festival and painting competition juried by Rebecca Weber, Director of the Museum at Historic Jerusalem Mill Village

June 2021 Curated Intimacy: an interdisciplinary block party style event featuring visual art by Alexis Tyson, live painting by 3rdEyeIndigo and live musical performances by Fola and John Tyler (of LoveGroove Arts and Music)

October 2019 Conceived and organized First-ever Highlandtown *Nocturne*: Night-Time Plein Air Festival and Juried Exhibition (Gina Caruso, Executive Director of The Creative Alliance, Juror)

September 2019 Organized a "State Fair"-themed Block Party and corresponding district-wide art exhibition in Highlandtown during the First Friday Art Walk

June 2019 Collaborated with renowned visionary artist Dick Brown on a series of portraits for a multi-venue retrospective of Dr. Brown's decades-spanning oeuvre

Exhibitions

June-August 2022 Cartoon Brutality Metro Gallery, Baltimore, MD March 2022 Being Seen TAG Frederick, MD August 2020 Artscape Virtual Artist Market June-August 2019 Residency Show, Fire Island Visitor Center, Patchogue, NY June 2019 The Big Show, Creative Alliance, Baltimore, MD December 2018 LED Baltimore, Station North, Baltimore, MD June 2019 Paint Annapolis, Maryland Federation of Art, Annapolis, MD November 2018 Baker Artist Off the Web Exhibition, Peale Center, Baltimore, MD June 2018 Paint Annapolis, Maryland Federation of Art, Annapolis, MD

Commissions

Old Westminster Winery, Westminster, MD Bmore Global, Baltimore, MD Oliver Brewing Company, Baltimore, MD Friends of Patterson Park, Baltimore, MD Creative Alliance, Baltimore, MD Butchers Hill Association, Baltimore, MD Live Baltimore, Baltimore, MD Harbor East Management Group, Baltimore, MD

Selected Bibliography

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Visiting Artist

February 2020 Baltimore Improv Group, Baltimore, MD March 2018 École Internationale de New York, New York, NY May-June 2017 Mitchell School of Fine Art, Baltimore, MD

Residencies

November 2020 Self-Residency, Cape Cod, MA September 2019 Indiana Dunes National Park, Porter, IN September 2018 Fire Island National Seashore, Fire Island, NY July 2017 Self-Residency, The Enchantments (Cascade Mountains), WA

Notable Collections

National Parks Service Chesterton Arts Center, Chesterton, IN Creative Alliance, Baltimore, MD Chateau Isabeau, Limeuil, France

Curatorial Projects

2016 - present (ongoing) Night Owl Gallery, Baltimore, MD 2015 - present (ongoing) Snake Hill Tavern, Baltimore, MD

Professional Service

Committee Member, Highlandtown Arts and Entertainment District, Baltimore, MD Advisory, Highlandtown Arts Strategic Plan, Baltimore, MD Committee Member, Highlandtown First Friday Art Walks, Baltimore, MD Committee Member, Highlandtown Wine Festival, Baltimore, MD

Professional Organizations

Creative Alliance, Baltimore, MD Maryland Federation of Art, Annapolis, MD MAPAPA - Mid-Atlantic Plein Air Painters Association