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Education

Western Michigan University

Kalamazoo, Michigan

Cleveland Institute of Art

Cleveland, Ohio

Kyoto English Center

Kyoto, Japan

1976-78

Master of Fine Arts Degree (with honors) *Photography and Printmaking*

1969-74

Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree (with honors) *Photography and Printmaking*

1987-88

Japanese Language Certificate

Selected Work Experience

Maddog Studio

Denver, Colorado

1992 - present

(2008 - Visiting Artist, Denver School of the Arts)

Sole proprietor of *Maddog Studio*.

Art consultant/advisor in marketing and PR including photography of fine-art work, computer imaging services, fine-art giclée printmaking. Established client base of over 600 artists.

Rocky Mountain College of Art & Design

Denver, Colorado

1997 - 1999

Part-time adjunct faculty member teaching courses in Adobe Photoshop.

America Eigo Gakuin

Tanabe, Japan

1988 - 92

Developed English curriculum for the Japanese Public School System.

Taught all levels of English at public and private schools.

Professionalrewriter for Nishigawa Medical Clinic.

Colorado State University

Fort Collins, Colorado

1978 - 1988

Designed, developed and administered the Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree program for photography as well as other studio & lecture courses in the Fine Art Department at CSU; Chaired department curriculum committee and worked on the college and university curriculum committees for 5 years to restructure all college and university curriculum requirements.

Rank: Tenured Associate Professor

Selected Professional Recognitions

2008 Best of Show Award

2007 Best of Denver 2007 - Solo Contemporary Photography Exhibition

2006 10-page Feature Article

2005 Best of Show Award

First Place Award - New Media

Circle of Confusion Award (best in photography as fine art)

Honorable Mention, 2005 International Exhibition

2004 Feature Article "Digital Magic" Nov/December issue

2nd Place Award, Rocky Mountain Biennial (Jan Ernst Adlmann, juror)

2003 Grant Award for creative excellence in digital fine-art photography

2003 Golden Light Award for work in Contemporary Still Life Genre

Juror's Special Mention for 2003 exhibition

Juror's Award of Merit in photography

2002 Juror's Special Mention for 2002 exhibition

2001 JOHN BONATH:30 YEARS (30-year retrospective)

Best of Westword 2001 for "Best Gallery Show-Solo"

2000 Feature Article March/April issue

Juror's Special Mention for 2000 Exhibition

Best of Show for "Vision:Southwest"

Recognition Award for "Alumni New Work"

1999 Grant Award for photography project

1998 72nd International Competition Award:Photography - Andy Grundberg, Juror

Recognition Award for an alumni

Purchase Award for Colorado '98 Exhibition

1997 Keynote Speaker / Featured Panelist for The Midlands Invitational Photography Symposium

First Place Award for Visions Exhibition (Patrick Nagatani, juror)

Feature Article July/August issue

Feature Article Jan/February issue

Feature Article Graphis #308

Recognition Award for an alumni

Honorable Mention for photography exhibition

People's Choice Award for annual invitational

Colorado Photographic Arts Center Annual Show
Denver, CO

Westword, Denver, CO

PhotoDigitalis Magazine, Budapest, Hungary

Colorado State Fair, Pueblo, CO

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Center for Fine Art Photography, Ft. Collins, CO

American Photo Magazine, NYC,NY

Museum of Contemporary Art, Fort Collins, CO

The Ulitimate Eye Foundation, Burlingame, CA

The Maine Photographic Workshops

Colorado Photographic Arts Center, Denver, CO

Colorado State Fair Arts Exhibition, Pueblo, CO

Colorado Photographic Arts Center, Denver, CO

Aperture Gallery, Denver, CO

Westword, Denver, CO

View Camera Magazine, USA

Colorado Photographic Arts Center, Denver, CO

Sangra De Christo Fine Arts Center, S.deC., CO

Cleveland Institute of Art, Cleveland, OH

Colorado Photographic Arts Center, Denver, CO

The Print Center, Philadelphia, PA

The Cleveland Institute of Art, Cleveland, OH

The Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, C.S.,CO

The Joslyn Art Museum, Omaha, NE

Emmanuel Gallery, Denver, CO

ZOOM International Magazine, Milan, Italy

View Camera Magazine, USA

Graphis Magazine, USA/France/Germany

The Cleveland Institute of Art, Cleveland, OH

CORE Art Gallery, Denver, CO

Salina Arts Center, Salina, KS