

## **Education**

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| 2018 | University of Arizona, MFA: Photography, Tucson, AZ<br><i>Outstanding Graduate Teaching Assistant in Photography</i> |
| 2011 | University of Northern Colorado, MA, Art and Design: Photography   |
| 2005 | University of Northern Colorado, BA, Graphic Arts: Photography<br>and Art History                                    |

## **Professional Experience**

**08/2021 - Present**

**Residential Faculty Member, Glendale Community College, Glendale, AZ**

**08/18 - 08/2021**

**Lecturer, University of Colorado at Denver, Denver, CO (Part-Time)**

- Assigned 6 credit hours in the Fall, Spring, Summer terms
- Assigned 3 credit hours for the Winter Term in Beijing, China (2019 & 2020)

### **Courses taught:**

#### ***Introduction to Digital Photography (Face-to-Face, Remote & Online)***

- Introduce students to digital photography including the principles and operations of a DSLR and Mirrorless cameras
- Teach beginning to intermediate Lightroom & Photoshop skills
- Guide student photographic critiques
- Incorporate the Principles of Design and Composition into the curriculum
- Introduce photographic sequencing techniques

#### ***Introduction to Darkroom Photography (Face-to-Face & Remote)***

- Teach students the principles and operations of 35mm SLR cameras
- Teach students how to process B&W Film & B&W Prints
- Guide Student photographic critiques

#### ***Photography Fundamentals (Online)***

- Instruct non-art majors in introductory principles of digital photography including: Exposure, Framing, Color Theory, Principles of Design and Elements of Art

### ***Photography & Diversity (Remote – In-Progress: Spring 2021)***

- Guide students to examine the social issues relating to non-dominant cultures, minority groups, biases and privileges through the lens of photographic imagery through the development of lectures, discussions and assignments

### **Additional Courses Taught:**

- ***Introduction to Art (Winter Term 2019 in Beijing, China)***

### **Assigned Course & Curriculum Design:**

- Course design and curriculum development for Introduction to Digital Photography Online Course used by Lecturers teaching the Intro to Digital Online Course

### **08/19 - Present**

#### **Aims Community College, Greeley, CO (Part-Time)**

- Assigned 6-9 credit hours in the Fall, Spring, Summer terms – pending enrollments

#### **Courses taught:**

##### ***Art Appreciation (Face-to-Face, Remote & Online)***

- Introduce themes and major concepts in art
- Define Elements of Art and Principles of Design
- Explain various media and technique
- Explain visual literacy skills to interpret visual art

##### ***Landscape Photography (Hybrid)***

- Introduce contemporary and historical landscape photographers
- Introduce students to digital photography including the principles and operations of a DSLR and Mirrorless cameras
  - Introduce intermediate to advanced printing skills, including making large format prints
  - Demonstrate alternative photographic techniques to create landscape photographs
- Teach beginning to intermediate Lightroom & Photoshop skills
- Teach students how to print

- Guide student photographic critiques

***Additional Courses Taught:***

- ***Visual Concepts in 2D Design (Remote)***
- ***Web Design 1(Face-to-Face)***
- ***Business for Creatives (Online)***
- ***Modern Art History: 1900-Present (Remote)***

**Assigned Course Design:**

- Course design and curriculum development for Business for Creatives Online Course
- Free-2-Students Grant to re-design Modern Art History course to be completely free to students in the future. No textbook required.

**01/16 - 05/18**

**Instructor of Record, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ**

**Courses taught:**

***Gaze: Foundations in Photography & Introduction to Darkroom Photography***

- Taught two classes a year to undergraduate students
- Selected textbooks and created curriculum & syllabus.
- Designed, prepared and presented demonstrations, lectures, & assignments.
- Led discussions of assigned readings and in-progress and final critiques.
- Assigned grades for assignments and course Final Examination.
- Presented slide lectures of contemporary artist's work.

**2011-2015**

**Marketing Specialist, Graduate School and International Admissions,  
University of Northern Colorado, Greeley, CO**

- Developed annual marketing plan for the Graduate School and International Admissions
- Designed and prepared materials to market the Graduate School and International Admissions to prospective students.
- Developed and managed the graduate school's social media strategy on Facebook, LinkedIn and Twitter

- Produced external communications including: graduate brochures, postcards and view books.
- Developed, designed and maintained top-level university websites
- Developed and implemented customer relationship management campaigns to prospective and current students
- Planned and executed special events including the Graduate School's 100 Year Century of Scholars Celebration
- Cultivated campus relationships throughout campus and Greeley to identify and develop partnerships for current students

## Service

- 2021 Webmaster, Photography Network  
 Advisor, Student Art Club at Aims Community College
- 2020 Juror: The Circle of Life Photo Project, Rocky Mountain Lion Eye Bank  
 Denver, CO  
 Guest Artist: Poudre Learning Center Science Camp: Cyanotype Workshop  
 Greeley, CO  
 Website Design & Development: Uprooted/Displaced: A Virtual Exhibition  
 Aims Community College, Greeley, CO  
 Business for Creatives Guest Lecture Series  
 Aims Community College, Greeley, CO
- 2019 Student Exhibition: *Seeing Blue: Cyanotype Group Show* for Introduction to  
 Photography Students  
 Riverside Library and Cultural Center  
 Evans, Colorado  
 Student Exhibition: *The Blue Tape Up*  
 University of Northern Colorado  
 Greeley, Colorado

- 2017            *Local Curiosities*: Group Show for Art 246 students  
                   *Shutter*: Group Show for Art 100C students  
                   *Overexposed: It's Lit*: Group Show for Art 100C students
- 2014-15        Higher Learning Commission (HLC) Communications Committee: raise campus awareness about the HLC visit and study. University of Northern Colorado
- 2011-15        Team UNC Campaign: Spearheaded campus efforts to raise money for scholarships from campus employees. University of Northern Colorado
- Professional Administrative Staff Council Representative, governance group for exempt campus employees, University of Northern Colorado
- 2007-08        AmeriCorp VISTA, United Way of Weld County
- 2007-10        Volunteer: Fabretto Children's Foundation, Managua, Nicaragua
- 2006-10        University of Northern Colorado, College of Performing and Visual Arts  
 Graduate Student Representative, Greeley, Colorado

### **Professional Development**

- 2020            Race, Activism and Photography: 2020 Center for Photography at Workshop Virtual Symposium
- Society for Photographic Education National Conference: 20/20 Vision
- Aims Community College: Course Design Workshop Completion
- Aims Community College: Engaging Online Students Workshop Completion
- EDU 260: Teaching Adult Learners: Aims Community College
- University of Colorado at Denver: Online Skills Mastery Program Completion

### **Solo Exhibitions**

- 2020            Greeley History of Water Commission, Tointon Gallery, Greeley, CO  
 (Forthcoming in 2021)

Riverside Library and Cultural Center, Evans, CO

*namesake*. Aims Community College Gallery, Greeley, CO

2011 *The Scavengers, Images from the Managua Municipal Trash Dump*, Oak Room Gallery, University of Northern Colorado, Greeley, CO

### **Solo Exhibitions Continued**

2010 *Fabretto Children's Foundation: Night for Niños Exhibit*, Tribeca Rooftop, New York, NY

2009 *Fabretto Children's Foundation: Night for Niños Exhibit*, Human Rights Campaign, Washington D.C.

2008 *Joy, Lift, Love*, Margies Java Joint, Greeley, CO

### **Group Exhibitions**

2020 *I Cannot Heave My Heart Into My Mouth*, University of Colorado at Denver, Faculty Exhibition, Denver, CO

*Qualities of Light*, Center for Creative Photography, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ

2019 *Colorado Photographic Arts Center Member Exhibition*, Special Mention, Denver, CO

2018 *Remaking America: Engaging in Public*, Northlight Gallery, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ

*MFA Thesis Exhibition*, University of Arizona Museum of Art, Tucson, AZ

2017 *BY NOW WE ARE THERE*: Museum of Contemporary Art Tucson, Tucson, AZ

*Bookish: 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Artist Book Exhibition*, Harry Wood Gallery, Tempe, AZ

*BY NOW WE ARE THERE*, Graduate Student and Alumni Gallery, Tucson, AZ

*Someone to Ride the River With*, CFA Downtown Studio, Albuquerque, NM

2016 *Someone to Ride the River With*, Harry Wood Gallery, Tempe, AZ  
*Where we Met*, Exploded View Gallery, Tucson, AZ  
*Someone to Ride the River With*, Lionel Rombach Gallery, Tucson, AZ  
*Variance*, The Loft Cinema, Tucson, AZ  
*The Mix*, Pop-up show, Graduate Gallery, Tucson, AZ  
*Infuse*, La Cocina, Tucson, AZ

2015 *Alternative Photo Processing*, Oak Room Gallery, Greeley, CO  
*Garden Show*, Madison and Main Gallery, Greeley, CO

### **Speaking Engagements & Publications**

2021 TAP Into Learn Conference: Zoom & Camera Use, Aims Community College

2019 Lenscratch: Photographers on Photographers  
Don't Take Pictures: Month of Photography Denver  
A Photoeditor: The Best work I saw that Denver Portfolio Walk

Southwest Popular and American Culture Association Conference: *Creating an Icon: The Iconography of Colin Kaepernick*, Albuquerque, NM.

2018 Southwest Popular and American Culture Association Conference: *Creating an Icon: The Iconography of Colin Kaepernick*, Albuquerque, NM.  
Artist Talk, *Remaking America: Engaging in Public*, Northlight Gallery, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ

2017 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Graduate Student Symposium: *Magic and Mechanic: Exploring the Interior Mysteries of Art and its Histories*: "Archives of Fear: Racism and Bigotry in

New Technologies.” University of Arizona Museum of Art, Tucson, Arizona

2016 Lecture/ Presentation, Contemporary Trends in Photography,  
University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona

2010 University of Northern Colorado Research Day Presentation: *The Scavengers*

2009 Rotary Club International: *The Scavenger*, Greeley, Colorado

2008 Greeley Central High School Arts Gala, Alumnus Talk

### **Awards/Grants/Scholarships**

2021 Aims Community College: Free-to-students Grant.

2019-20 University of Colorado Denver: UCDALI Non-Tenure Track Faculty Grant

2019 City of Greeley: *Greeley History of Water Book* Commission

2017-18 Paperworks Scholarship  
Edward Francis Dunn Scholarship  
Student Faculty Interaction Grant

2016-17 Art Tuition Scholarship  
Hrudka Art Scholarship  
Peggy Speed Scholarship  
Student Faculty Interaction Grant

2015-16 School of Art Grant  
Art Tuition Scholarship  
Fine Arts Graduate College Fellowship  
Hrudka Art Scholarship  
Society for Photographic Education South West Region Graduate  
Travel Scholarship



- 2010 University of Northern Colorado, Graduate Student Association Research Grant
- 2009 ArtsAlive! Community Foundation of Weld County, Individual Artist Grant  
University of Northern Colorado, Graduate Student Association Research Grant
- 2004 Best Feature Photograph of the Year: The Mirror, University of Northern  
Colorado Student Newspaper  
The Best of College Photography, Finalist