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EDUCATION AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- May, 2014 **PRATT INSTITUTE** : MPS Art Therapy. *Brooklyn, NY*
- Graduated with High Distinction
 - Received Pratt Circle Award (for graduate students who complete their program with at least a 3.85)
 - Awarded Graduate Scholarship 2012-2014
- May, 2009 **ALFRED UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE OF CERAMICS**: BFA. *Alfred, NY*
- Concentrations in Painting and Sculpture
 - Awarded Statutory Dean's Scholarship 2005-2009
- Dec. 2018 **LCAT**: Licensed Creative Arts Therapist, NY State Education Department
- Nov., 2017 **ATR-BC**: Registered and Board Certified by the Art Therapy Credentials Board (ATCB)

CORE COMPETENCIES

Group facilitation, individual counseling, planning with interdisciplinary treatment team, behavioral contracts, client/student assessments, writing progress notes, attunement to non-verbal communication, awareness of psychodynamic group theory, beautification projects, technical expertise with a variety of artistic materials, conversant in Spanish

ARTISTIC SKILLS

- Digital:** Mac and PC proficient, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Premiere Pro, Adobe InDesign, Blender 3D, Final Cut Pro, 3ds Max, Wacom Tablet
- Painting :** oils, watercolors, acrylics, spray paint, house paint, ink, color theory, silk painting, glazing, grisaille underpainting, chiaroscuro, impasto, building/stretching/preparing canvas, metal-leaf gilding, faux finishes, gridding, projection, masking, rendering, using scaffolding
- Sculpture:** ceramic wheel throwing; hand building; glazing; clay mixing; glaze mixing; firing electric, gas, salt, soda and wood kilns; furnace glassblowing; kiln casting; slumping and fusing; glass cutting; basic woodworking

SELECTED MURAL PROJECTS

- 2019 • **Pratt Institute:** Led interior mural project as visiting graduate professor. *NYC*
- **Time Studio Inc.:** Live window painting for the Fulton Area Business Alliance Art360 event. *NYC*
- 2018 • **Mt. Sinai Kravis Children's Hospital:** Independent mural commission. *NYC*
- **Jacob Schiff Park:** Lead Teaching Artist with Creative Art Works (CAW) for Audubon Society. *NYC*
- **PS137:** Lead Teaching Artist for DOHMH Active Design in Schools Project with CAW. *NYC*
- 2017 • **NYC Family Court:** Lead Teaching Artist on interior mural project with CAW. *NYC*
- **Farragut Housing Projects:** Lead artist on mural with Brooklyn Community Services. *NYC*
- **72 & Sunny, Ad. Agency:** Teaching artist in collaboration with Mike Perry and CAW. *NYC*
- 2016 • **Rikers Island:** Interior Mural Project Assistant to Christopher Cardinale with Groundswell. *NYC*
- **Horizon Juvenile Center:** Lead Teaching Artist on exterior mural project with CAW. *NYC*
- **Manhattan College:** Lead Teaching Artist on exterior mural project with CAW. *NYC*
- **Long Trail School:** Lead Muralist with Marble House Project, Art Therapy Residency. *VT*
- **PS/IS 278:** Lead Teaching Artist on interior mural project with CAW. *NYC*

- 2015
 - **Brooklyn Zoo:** Indoor mural commission with Michael J Clocks at Parkour Gym. *NYC*
 - **Harlem RBI:** Lead Teaching Artist on interior mural project with CAW. *NYC*
- 2014
 - **Downtown BPT Arts Fest:** Collaboration with Michael J Clocks, Gelator, and ERA. *CT*
 - **Rockefeller Center** - Interior Mural Artist Assistant to Gera Lozano with CAW. *NYC*

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Jan. 2017-Present **THE ANIMATION PROJECT** Art Therapist. *NYC*
- Collaborate with animators in schools and institutions to lead art therapy groups centered around 3d modeling, narrative development, and character design
 - Conduct art therapy sessions to participants ages 16-21 within the RMSC and RNDC facilities at Rikers Island and Horizon Juvenile Detention Center
- Jan.- Mar. 2019 **PRATT INSTITUTE** Creative Arts Therapy Dept. Visiting Professor. *Brooklyn, NY*
- Taught graduate level course on mural painting and art therapy
- Sept. 2012-Present **BROOKLYN MARTIAL ARTS:** Self-defense Instructor. *Brooklyn, NY*
- Children's karate instruction, ages 4-13
- Jul. 2014- Aug. 2018 **CREATIVE ART WORKS (CAW)** Arts Education Nonprofit. *NYC*
- Jul. 2014- Aug. 2018 • **Mural Teaching Artist** (worksites listed above)
- May-Aug. 2015 • **Summer Youth Employment Coordinator**
- Oversaw the planning, progress, and culmination of six different mural worksites located across Manhattan, employing over 100 young people
- Sept. 2014- Mar. 2015 • **Program Coordinator**
- Handled over 20 art programs in education, youth employment, and community projects within schools, libraries, and other institutions
- Nov. 2014- May 2015 • **In School/Integrated Teaching Artist**, Hamilton Grange. *West Harlem NY*
- Designed and implemented original art curriculum to compliment 6th grade humanities studies at Hamilton Grange Middle School
- Oct. 2016-Jun. 2017 **BROOKLYN COMMUNITY SERVICES (BCS)** Art Therapist. *Brooklyn NY*
- Provided individual and group art therapy services to students ages 16-21 at the Brooklyn High School for Leadership and Community Service
- Oct. 2016- Jan. 2017 **RIKERS ISLAND/GROUNDSWELL COMMUNITY MURAL PROJECT**
- Assisted mural artist Christopher Cardinale to paint a large scale interior mural in the OBCC facility celebrating the termination of solitary confinement for inmates under 22
- Sept. 2016-Jun. 2017 **URBAN ARTS PARTNERSHIP (UAP)** Arts Education Nonprofit. *NYC*
- Math/Visual Arts Integration Teaching Artist at JHS218, East New York. *Brooklyn, NY*
- May 2016 **MARBLE HOUSE PROJECT ART THERAPY RESIDENCY.** *Dorset, Vermont*
- Led mural project with middle schoolers at the Long Trail School
- Sept. 2013-May 2014 **LUTHERAN MEDICAL CENTER** Art Therapy intern, inpatient psych. *Brooklyn, NY*
- Facilitated group/individual sessions with adult patients from populations including: psychiatric disorders, substance dependency, and developmental disabilities
 - Implemented first-time Expressive Arts Therapy pilot program in the Psychiatric E.R.
- Sept. 2012-May 2013 **LEAGUE SCHOOL & TREATMENT CENTER** Art Therapy Intern, *Brooklyn, NY*
- Provided individual/group counseling to children ages 5-21 with psychiatric disorders
 - Conferred with multi-disciplinary treatment team (e.g. psychiatrists, psychologists,

- occupational therapists) about the goals and objectives for each client
- 2009-2010 **SILVER HILL ATELIER** Decorative art for hotels, casinos and homes. *Ridgefield, CT*
- Produced wallpaper for Four Seasons Resort in Macau, China
 - Responsibilities: Silver Leaf Gilding, Glazing, Silk Painting, Material Prep., frame and furniture restoration, home repair, decorative finishing, and architectural rendering

ADDITIONAL TRAINING AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- May 2019 **Brooklyn Martial Arts**, Renzo Gracie affiliate school
- Earned Brown Belt in Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu
- Feb. 2016 **The Kilimanjaro Initiative (KI)**
- Summited Mt. Kilimanjaro as a participant mentor and CAW ambassador with youth development NGO which sponsors selected inner city young people on a yearly climb up Africa's tallest mountain to help promote self empowerment
- Dec 2014-Mar. 2015 **Culture at The Core, Lincoln Center Education Common Core State Standards Forum**
- Selected by CAW as teaching artist representative to attend monthly training sessions to align integrated arts curricula with Common Core State Standards
- Oct. 2014 **Trading Day for Kids, NASDAQ MarketSite**
- Chaperoned CAW's Business of Art and Art of Business workshop's participation in the NASDAQ closing bell ceremony.
- Jun 2011 **Fred Vilari's Studio of Self Defense**
- Awarded 3rd degree Black Belt in Shaolin Kempo Karate