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EDUCATION

University of Northern Iowa, Cedar Falls
BA: Art Education, Ceramics Emphasis
Des Moines Area Community College
Liberal Arts

Certificates:

Iowa Standard Teaching License, Folder #1004962
O.S.H.A Bloodborne Pathogens Training
Mandatory Child Abuse Reporter
LGBTQ Safe Zone Certified
Protecting God's Children (Virtus Training)

EMPLOYMENT

Ceramics Instructor

June 2017-Present

Evanston Art Center – Evanston, IL

- Leading summer workshop courses in wheel-thrown pottery for students age 9-14.

High School Art Teacher

August 2013-May 2017

Pleasant Valley Community School District (Pleasant Valley High School) – *Bettendorf, Iowa*

- Taught various courses including Ceramics, Advanced Ceramics, Sculpture, Painting, and Drawing.
- Sponsored a "Ceramics Club" for students who desire an in-depth look at the ceramic process.
- Achieved the literacy goals of the district through an intensive writing portion in each assignment.
- Organized a district-wide "Art Expo" to promote the arts in multiple disciplines.
- Reorganized the high school art curriculum to meet the needs of changing standards.
- Updated the district art website, as well as designed a *PVHS Art* curriculum website and a college resource webpage for students wishing to pursue art in post-secondary education.
- Supported students in preparations for multiple art competitions and shows, leading to many awards, consisting of individual All State Art mentions and Top 3 All State School finishes.

Adjunct Instructor

August 2016-May 2017

St. Ambrose University – Davenport, Iowa

- Designed revised curriculum for an outdated Art Methods course.
- Provided Elementary Education majors with practical art lessons that adhere to K-6 curriculum.
- Promoted the importance of creativity-based activities to enhance student comprehension.

STUDENT TEACHING

Student Teaching, Placement II

October-December 2012

High School Pottery/International Baccalaureate Art - Central Academy, Des Moines, Iowa

- Developed and assessed lessons that adhere to the requirements of International Baccalaureate Art.
- Designed lessons for various courses in the medium of Ceramics and wheel-thrown pottery.

Student Teaching, Placement I

August-October 2012

Elementary Art - Willowbrook Elementary, Altoona, Iowa and Mitchellville Elementary, Mitchellville, Iowa

- Assessed a self-written fifth grade drawing unit using formative, pre-, and post-tests.
- Prepared and led a large group of students and parent volunteers on a class field trip.

HONORS AND MEMBERSHIPS

Iowa Secondary Art Educator of the Year, Presented by Art Educators of Iowa, 2016

Art Educator Award, 2016 Quad City Arts High School Exhibition

Art Educators of Iowa (AEI): All-State Program Chair, 2013-2017

Board Member, 2014-2015

Member, 2012-2017

National Art Education Association (NAEA) Member, 2012-2017

Department Head Award, UNI Foundations Exhibition 2010

University of Northern Iowa Dean's List, 2011 and 2012

Student Art Education Association (SAEA), September 2011- May 2012

Northern Iowa Potters and Sculptors (NIPS), September 2011- May 2012

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

- Art Educators of Iowa (AEI) - All State Art Chair** **2013-2017**
- Managed a committee of art teachers around the state of Iowa.
 - Lead and promoted the “All State Art” annual competition.
 - Communicated with hundreds of art teachers, students, and college professors around Iowa and the Midwest to plan and present “Iowa All State Art” annually.
- Student Teaching Cooperating Teacher – St. Ambrose University** **Spring 2016**
- Assisted a student teacher in fulfilling the requirements of their art education degree.
- Guest Speaker – Iowa Alliance for Arts Education (IAAE) Symposium - Fort Dodge, IA** **Fall 2014, 2016**
- Advised first-year teachers individually and as a panel with experienced instructors.
- AWANA Leader - Grace Church, Des Moines, Iowa** **2012-2013**
- Worked with Kindergarteners in individual and group activities.
- Empty Bowls Project - Northeast Iowa Food Bank, Waterloo, Iowa** **Spring 2012**
- Created ceramic bowls to raise money for the Northeast Iowa Food Bank.
 - Took part in the “Empty Bowls Project” fundraising event.
- Youth Art Month - Iowa State Historical Building, Des Moines, Iowa** **Spring 2012**
- Participated in Y.A.M. activities at the State Historical Building.
- 4th-8th Grade Art Club Coordinator - St. Patrick School, Cedar Falls, Iowa** **2011-2012**
- Managed and organized an after school art club bi-weekly for two semesters.
 - Led a team of four UNI students in organizing and implementing art lessons.
 - Created multi-media lessons: ceramics, screen printing, block printing, mural painting, etc.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- Art Educators of Iowa Fall Conference – Tama, IA, Cedar Falls, IA, and Burlington, IA** **Fall 2014, 2015, 2016**
- Art Educator Summer Workshop, Animation – Minneapolis College of Art and Design, MN** **Summer 2016**
- National Art Education Association Conference – Chicago, IL** **Spring 2016**
- Art Educator Summer Workshop, Printmaking – Minneapolis College of Art and Design, MN** **Summer 2015**
- Iowa Alliance for Arts Education (IAAE) Fall Symposium – Fort Dodge, IA** **Fall 2013**
- Governor’s Conference on LGBTQ Youth - Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa** **Spring 2012**
- Welcoming Diversity Workshop Seminar - University of Northern Iowa, Cedar Falls, Iowa** **Spring 2012**

ART SHOWS AND GALLERY EXHIBITIONS - CERAMICS

- Featured Artist – Jansen Art Center 5th Annual Cup Show – Lynden, WA** **Summer 2017**
- Solo Gallery Exhibition – Southeastern Community College – Burlington, IA** **Spring 2016**
- Permanent Collection – Southeastern Community College – Burlington, IA** **Spring 2016-Present**
- Southeastern Iowa Artist Studio Tour – Washington, IA** **Fall 2015, 2016**

OTHER PAST EMPLOYMENT

- Grocery, **Fareway Stores Inc. - Des Moines, Iowa and Cedar Falls, Iowa** **2006-2013**
- Substitute Teacher, **Southeast Polk Community Schools – Pleasant Hill, Iowa** **January 2013-June 2013**

SPECIAL SKILLS**Technology**

- Adobe Photoshop
- General Website Building

Advanced Art Techniques:

- Emphasis in Ceramics/Pottery, along with experience in drawing, printmaking, jewelry/metals, graphic design, digital photography, animation, and painting.

PROFESSIONAL PORTFOLIO

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