

Education

Graduate: School of the Museum of Fine Arts / TUFTS University
Masters of Fine Arts: Multidisciplinary-Graphic Design, Drawing, Printmaking.
Graduation Date: Spring of 2011

Undergraduate: The University of Toledo, Toledo, OH. Class of 2006
Bachelors of Fine Arts: Drawing and New Media, Minor in Art History
Departmental and College Honors - Cumulative GPA: 3.9

Skills

Drawing, Printmaking, Installation, Video
HTML, CSS, Javascript. Comfortable utilizing PHP and Wordpress
Adobe Creative Suite: Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Flash, Dreamweaver

Linguistic Abilities (fluent)

English, Armenian, Russian

Work Experience

08-Current

Web Designer/Developer, Fort Point Design, Boston, Ma.
Freelance Web Designer/Developer

2006-08

User Interface Designer/Graphic Designer/Web Developer, Center for Creative Instruction, University of Toledo, Toledo, OH.

2006

Graphic Designer/Web Developer, Westgate Dental Arts, Toledo, OH.
Medical Illustration Intern, Center for Creative Instruction, University of Toledo, Toledo, OH.
Graphic Designer, Grand Lubell Photography, Toledo, OH. (Freelance)
Artist's Assistant/Gallery Assistant, Internship at the Leslie Adams Gallery, Toledo, OH.

Teaching Experience

2010

Taught Foundations Design Class at Tufts University, Fall 2010 Semester

2008

Professor's Assistant, Anatomy Drawing class at SMFA, Fall 2008 Semester

Graphic Design Awards & Distinctions

2008

Gold Aster Award for Marketing of The University of Toledo Medical Center.
Silver ADDY® Award for the University of Toledo Orientation Website

Art Awards & Distinctions

2010

Graduate Teaching Fellowship to teach Foundations Design Class at Tufts University.

2009

Academic Fellowship from SMFA to attend "Mildred's Lane" Residency in July 2010.

2008

Springborn Fellowship
Selected to present at SMFA Auction, Honoring Alex Katz with 14th Annual Medal Award at MFA.
3rd Place, 91th Annual Toledo Area Artist Exhibition, The Toledo Museum of Art, Toledo, Ohio.

2007

2nd Place, 90th Annual Toledo Area Artist Exhibition, The Toledo Museum of Art, Toledo, Ohio.

2006

2nd Place, 89th Annual Toledo Area Artists Show, Toledo Museum of Art, Toledo, OH.

Exhibition Record

- 2011
Space 237, 2 Person Exhibition, Toledo, Ohio
Thesis Exhibition, Tufts University Art Gallery at the Aidekman Arts Center
SMFA Annual Jurried Student Exhibition 2011
- 2010
Boston Young Contemporaries, 808 Gallery, Boston, Ma.
SMFA Annual Student Jurried Exhibition 2010
"Unique Visions", Juries Exhibition Presented by AIGA Boston, Carol Grillo Art Gallery, Beverly, Ma.
"Extinct", Juried Exhibition, The Brush Art Gallery & Studios, Lowell, MA.
- 2009
University of Toledo Alumni Invitational, Dec. 4, 2009, Center For Visual Arts, Toledo, Ohio.
91th Annual Toledo Area Artist Exhibition, The Toledo Museum of Art, Toledo, Ohio.
"The Mind is a Beautiful Beast", OKW Gallery, Boston, Ma.
SMFA Jurried Drawing Show
SMFA Jurried Printmaking Show
- 2008
90th Annual Toledo Area Artist Exhibition, The Toledo Museum of Art, Toledo, Ohio.
Juried Drawing Show, SMFA,
"DesignWhat?" Graphic Design Show at Gallery 237, Toledo, OH.
- 2007
89th Annual Toledo Area Artists Show, Toledo Museum of Art, Toledo, OH.
- 2006
Manugian Museum, "75 Works of Art for 75 Years", Southfield, MI.
Drawings and Paintings, two person show, Wolf Gallery, Maumee Valley Day School, Toledo, OH.
The Leslie Adams Gallery, Toledo, OH.
88th Annual Toledo Area Artists Show, The Toledo Museum of Art, Toledo, OH.
Bachelors of Fine Arts Exhibition 2006, Center for Visual Arts, The University Toledo, Toledo, OH.
Salon De Refuse, Parkwood Gallery, Toledo, OH.
The University of North Carolina, juried exhibition, National Conference of Undergraduate Research, Ashville, North Carolina.
Art Barn gallery, juried exhibition, Athens, OH.
Art Space gallery, juried exhibition, Lima, OH.
Findley Art League gallery, juried exhibition, Findlay, OH.
Washington and Lee University, juried exhibition, National Conference of Undergraduate Research.
Salon des Refuse, Parkwood Gallery, Toledo, OH.
"Summer Show", Spectrum Gallery, juried exhibition, Toledo, OH.
"Biennial Juried Student Exhibition", Center for Visual Arts, The University of Toledo, Toledo, OH.
"Visual Narratives", juried exhibition, Clement Gallery, The University of Toledo, Toledo, OH.

Art Lectures and Presentations

- 2009
"Convergence - A Conference on the Intersection of Art & Activism", presented "Archeology of the Future", Tufts University, Medford, Ma.
- 2008
"Burdens: Layering Techniques of Prismacolor Pencils Combined with Mixed Media Materials" at the National Conference of Undergraduate Research, The University of North Carolina, Ashville, North Carolina.
- 2006
"Ambiguous Volumes in Space" at National Conference of Undergraduate Research, Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Virginia.

Professional Activities

- 2006
Interned as an artist's assistant for internationally renowned portraitist Leslie Adams.
Served as Student Ambassador for the "Cultural Domestication – Instinctual Desire" Exhibition & Symposium of internationally renowned Contemporary Czech Art at the Center for Visual Arts, Toledo OH.

Participated in a 9-day study abroad program in Venice, Italy.