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ABOUT ME

I'm an audio-visual artist, a curator, musician, and teacher. My work has screened at film festivals, events, and galleries throughout the U.S. I was the founding Director of Creative Alliance MovieMakers, curating the screenings and producing programs and workshops to support local filmmakers and the filmmaking community in Baltimore for 9 years. I recently received an MFA in Imaging & Digital Arts from University of Maryland, Baltimore County.

EDUCATION

Master of Fine Arts (Imaging and Digital Arts)

University of Maryand, Baltimore County, 2013

Bachelor of Arts (Film)

University of Maryand, Baltimore County, 2002

Bachelor of Science (Sociology)

James Madison University, 1996

AWARDS/GRANTS

Mellon Foundation Arts Innovation Grant

Johns Hopkins University, 2015-16

RTKL and Visual Arts Fellowship

University of Maryland, Baltimore County, 2012-13

Graduated Summa Cum Laude

2002, University of Maryland, Baltimore County

Kaplan Scholarship for Outstanding Service

2000, University of Maryland, Baltimore County

Judge B. Watts Scholarship

2000, YMCA of Central Maryland

Dean's List, 1998-2001

University Of Maryland, Baltimore County

Graduated Magna Cum Laude

1996, James Madison University

RECENT FILM/VIDEO CREDITS

Director, Editor, seXFiles

Music video, Saddle of Centaur, 2017

Director, Editor, Lonesome Cowboy

Music Video, Mole Suit Choir, 2016

Director of Photography, No Exit 2

4k short, Directed by Rahne Alexander, 2015

Writer, Creator, Animator, Turtle & Robot

Animation, 2015

Rear Projection Technician, In the Jungle

Feature Directed by Stephanie Barber, 2015

Director, Editor, Techne Promotional Video

HD Video, 2015

Camera, Driven To Succeed

Directed by Mark Colegrove, 4k video, 2015

Camera, Kiddie Flamingos

Directed by John Waters 74 min, HD Video, 2014

WORK EXPERIENCE

2016-Present Visiting Lecturer

Media and Communication Studies Department

University of Maryland, Baltimore County

2013-2016 Multimedia Specialist

Digital Media Center, Johns Hopkins University

Teach video production and post-production workshops to students and staff; supervise, train, and mentor student staff; purchase and maintain video production equipment including tripods, dollies, green screen, Canon

DSLR's, Canon XA10's, and BlackMagicPC

Adjunct Professor

2016- Present Maryland Institute College of Art

PD 5570 .02 Digital Output (Graduate)

PD 5570 .02 Next Gen Web Presence (Graduate)

2016 Johns Hopkins University

AS 371.174, Intro To Digital Art Production

2012-2016 University of Maryland, Baltimore County

ART 342, Film Theory and Criticism, Visual Arts Department

(Fall 2014, Fall 2015)

MCS 377, Desktop Publishing & the Web, Media and

Communication Studies Department (Summer 2014, Fall 2015) MCS 101 L, Introduction to Media Studies Lab, Media and Communication Studies Department (Spring 2012-2016) ART 213, Introduction to Time-Based Media, Visual Arts

Department (Spring 2012-Fall 2014)

2014-2015 Anne Arundel Community College

ART 260 Video II (Spring 2014, Spring 2015)

2010-2013 Video Editor and Camera Operator

New Media Studio, University of Maryland,

Baltimore County

2001- 2010 Director, Creative Alliance MovieMakers

Creative Alliance, Baltimore, MD

Curated monthly screenings and weekly workshops

Supervised instructors and employees
Managed gear rental program and iMac lab
Public relations, web site maintenance
Documented exhibitions and shows

Produced promotional videos

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SELECTED EXHIBITIONS/ SCREENINGS/PERFORMANCES

2016 Everyman as Anyman, A Night of Cinematic Performance, 2640 Space, Baltimore, MD

> Sounds Music Videos Program, Indie Memphis Film Festival, Memphis, TN

Lighthole, Curated by Victor Torres, Baltimore, MD Friday Peformance Series, Curated by Jaimes Mayew, 'sindikit, Baltimore, MD

B-More Shorts, Curated by Samantha Mitchell, Creative Alliance at the Patterson, Baltimrore, MD

2015 Live digital performance of Esta Nesbitt's Everyman as Anyman, commissioned by the Archives of American Art, Smithsonian Institution, National Portrait Gallery, Washington, DC

> Electronica Exhibition, Curated by Jenee Mateer & Phil Davis, EBC Arts Center, Towson, MD

Alternative Typographies, Electronic Gallery, Salisbury University, Salisbury, MD

2014 PTSD: Post-Technomatic Similarral DIY constructions (4 Person Show), Curated by Max Kazemsadeh, Gallaudet University, Washington, D.C.

> Outer Visions, Curated by Bonnie Jones, High Zero Festival, Baltimore, MD

LOOPOFF, Curated by Kelley Bell, Transmodern Festival, Maryland Art Place, Current Gallery, and EMP Gallery, Baltimore, MD

Transmodern VIPP After Party, MySpace, Baltimore,MD

2013 "Dogs in Space" with The Year I Broke My Voice, ATA, San Francisco, CA

> Gift of Forgotten Tongues, Venus Theatre, Laurel, MD Aftermath, Electronic Gallery, Salisbury University, Salisbury, MD

Personal Space, EMP Gallery, Baltimore, MD Videopolis, Metro Gallery, Baltimore, MD UMBC MFA Thesis Exhibition, CADVC, Baltimore, MD Queer Love Stinks (Short film program, Curated by Madsen Minax) Skydive Art Space, Houston, TX Audiophile (Festival Curated by Christine Fererra), The Crown, Baltimore, MD

2012 Videopolis, Metro Gallery, Baltimore, MD Boombala, 5th Dimension, Baltimore, MD Mondo Baltimore, Wind-up Space, Baltimore, MD

2011 index, In/Flux Gallery, Baltimore, MD Films Inspired by Seeing Now, Photography Late Night, Baltimore Museum of Art Videopolis, Metro Gallery, Baltimore, MD

2010 Hope Against Hope, Current Gallery (Phoenix ShotTower), Baltimore, MD

INFRARED: New Visions from the Queer Underground, Seattle Gav and Lesbian Film Festival. NW Film Forum, Seattle, WA

VISITING ARTIST LECTURES/CURATORIAL PROJECTS/RESIDENCIES

Artist in Residence, Signal Culture, Oct 2016 2016

Visiting Artist, Phillips Academy, Oct 2015 2015

Visiting Artist Lecture, Anne Arundel Community College, Mar 2015

Visiting Artist, Salisbury University, Feb 2015

Co-Curator, Internet Rodeo, Metro Gallery, Feb 1, Jun 2013

2012 Curator, Queer is Where the Heart Is, Samtökin 78, Reykjavík, Iceland, Jan 21-Feb 29, and Metro Gallery, Baltimore, MD Jul 27-Sep 1

Artist in Residence, Experimental Television Center, 2010 Feb 2004, Mar 2008, Mar 2010

2009 Visiting Artist Lecture, University of Maryland, **Baltimore County**

> Co-Curator, invention, video exhibition Electronic Gallery, Salisbury University Apr 2009

Visiting Artist Lecture, Salisbury University, April, 2009 Curator, Dead Air, Video Exhibition, Metro Gallery, Baltimore, MD Feb 17-Mar 15, 2009

2008 Curator, Hollyweird Film Program, MIXNYC Film Festival, New York, NY Oct 9-12, 2008

> Co-curator, Is You Is or Is You Ain't, Traveling Video Exhibition, Curated with Jed Dodds and Christopher West, Indianapolis Museum of Contemporary Art and Creative Alliance

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Faculty Advisor, Filmmaking Club, Johns Hopkins University,

Screening Committee, Maryland Film Festival, Jan 2008-2013 Juror, West Virginia Mountaineer Short Film Festival, 2012 Graduate Student Reporter on Teaching, UMBC Visual Arts Promotion & Contract Committee, 2012

President, Imaging and Digital Arts Masters' Student Organization, UMBC, 2010-12

Senator, UMBC Graduate Student Senate, UMBC, 2010-12 Selection Committee, Imaging and Digital Arts MFA Program, UMBC Visual Arts Department, 2011

Media Advisory Committee, Hallwalls Contemporary Art Center, Buffalo, NY, 2004-2008

Panelist, Morgan State University Student Film Festival, April 2007 Moderator, Maryland Film Festival, Filmmakers Tent, May 2007 Juror, MicroCineFest, Baltimore, MD, 2002-2006

SKILLS

Cinematography

16mm and video, BlackMagic, DSLR's, Panasonic HVX

Animation

(analog and digital)

Video Editng

(including color correction, motion graphics and output/compression)

Film/Video Projection and Installation

Curating and Art Event Planning

SOFTWARE

Video Postproduction

Adobe Premiere Final Cut X Motion Adobe After Effects

Design

Adobe Photoshop InDesign Illustrator Dreamweaver Wordpress

Mac OS