

# **Employment history**

May 2012 present: Artist	United States
June 2017 present: <b>Oregon Parks &amp; Recreation Dept.</b> Park Ranger Assistant	Corbett, OR
2014 2016, 2019-present: Maude Kern's Art Center Drawing, Painting, printmaking Instructor	Eugene, OR
Dec. 2013 May 2018 John G. Shedd Institute for the Arts Development / Community & Corporate Relations	Eugene, OR
July 2010 Nov. 2013: Grand Rapids Children's Museum Facilitator, instructor, programs coordinator, and exhibits	Grand Rapids, MI <i>artist</i>

## Education

Kendall College of Art and Design, Ferris State University Grand Rapids, MI May 2012; Bachelor Fine Arts in Illustration; photography minor - president's list | cum laude honor | Illustration Club vice president

Kirtland Community College	Roscommon, MI
2007 2009 Fine arts and photography	

- president's list | Phi Theta Kappa honor | Cross country team captain

## Professional Qualifications include the following:

• Knowledge of a variety of drawing, painting, printmaking, and photography mediums; basic MIG welding

- Environmental interpretation: CORE certified, State of Oregon
- All ages instructor for drawing, painting, and printmaking
- Professional art framing
- Development for non-profits: fundraising, event planning & hosting, donor relations

• Knowledge of computer software and editing programs including Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Tessitura, Excel

#### **Volunteer Experience**

- ArtCity Eugene, event coordinator and artist, 2015 present, Eugene, OR
- Maude Kerns Art Center, Board of Directors, 2017 present, Eugene, OR
- Eugene Mission, Kitchen staff, winter 2018
- Singing Creek Educational Center, Pioneer Guide, 2016, Eugene, OR
- Richard App Gallery, framing/gallery assistant, 2012-2013, Grand Rapids, MI

### Artist Representation

- Seams Like New, Gaylord, MI 2012 present
- Paragon Ink, Gaylord, MI 2012 present
- Richard App Gallery, Grand Rapids, MI, 2012 present
- Maude Kerns Art Center, Eugene, OR 2016 present
- Memento Ink, Springfield, OR 2018 present
- West Branch Creative Arts Association, MI, 2017 2018

### Awards

2018 Honorable Mention, Expressions West, Coos Art Museum, OR 2015 Instructor of The Year, Maude Kerns Art Center, Eugene, OR 2015 People's Choice Award, Mayor's Art Show, Springfield, OR 2012 Gaylord Area Council for the Arts Juried Photography Exhibition, Gaylord, MI 2011 Art Prize student Exhibition winner, 5/3rd Bank downtown, Grand Rapids, MI 2006 Visual Arts Scholarship Award, Gaylord, MI

### Grants and Fellowships

- Kendall Merit Scholarship 2009
- Kendall Portfolio Scholarship 2009
- Visual Arts Scholarship Award 2006

## **Visiting Artist Appearances**

- 2020 Networking event, ArtCity Eugene
- 2019 Art and the Vineyard multi-panel moderator, Eugene, OR
- 2018 Spencer Butte Middle School guest speaker, Eugene, OR
- 2013 Art Prize Education Days, Grand Rapids Children's Museum, MI
- 2013 Artful Afternoons, Grand Rapids Children's Museum, MI
- 2012 Painting Demo, Cascade Gallery, Grand Rapids, MI

## Commissions

- 2019 30 watercolor book illustrations, author Joan Cypress, Eugene, OR
- 2019 Abstract painting, Paul & Rose Berger, Houghton Lake, MI
- 2019 Woodland animals nursery painting, Ellen Templeton, Gaylord, MI
- 2019 Sci-Fi book illustrations, author Jonathan Laney, Portland, OR

• 2019 Book illustrations: You Are A Great and Powerful Wizard, author Sage Liskey, Eugene, OR

- 2018 Baby portrait, Beth Aydelott, Eugene, OR
- 2018 Group portrait, Harriet Rubin, Eugene, OR
- 2017 Total Solar Eclipse triptych in oil, OPRD, Salem, Oregon
- 2017 Book Illustrations: A Typically Random Extraordinary Day children's book, Patrick Enders, Gaylord, MI
- 2017 Wedding portrait, Parke Blundon, Eugene, OR
- 2016 CD cover artwork for Made by Jonathan Burke, Gaylord, MI
- 2016 11 illustrations for Mayan Conquest by Andrew Duryea, Honduras
- 2016 Pet portrait, Rich Winnie, Bay City, MI
- 2016 Kalember family portrait, Jeff Kalember, Gaylord, MI
- 2015 Graduation invitation design, Kevin Solon, Grand Rapids, MI
- 2015 The Good Dudes concert memoir, Parke Blundon, Eugene, OR
- 2014 Two anthropomorphic elk portraits, Riccio Ricci, Eugene, OR

• 2014 Eight menu illustrations for Taste Buds food truck, Randy Jones, Springfield, OR

- 2013 Family portrait in oil, Kevin Solon, Grand Rapids, MI
- 2013 Wedding anniversary portrait, Richard Counsil, Frederic, MI
- 2013 Pangolin 4x4 Landrover mural, Springfield, OR
- 2013 Pet portrait, Rich Winnie, Kalamazoo, MI
- 2012 The Northern Skies band t-shirt design
- 2012 Magic Card 2' x 3' painting, Jason Miller, Grand Rapids, MI
- 2012 Skull bandana design, Snapped Core Snowboarding Industries, Grand Rapids, MI
- 2012 Logo Design, Backyard Ecosystems LLC, Grand Rapids, MI

- 2012 Portrait of Ruby, Rich Winnie, Kalamazoo, MI
- 2011 Illustrations: Made children's book, Jonathan Burke, Gaylord, Michigan
- 2011, 2012 Kids' Art fest Logo Design, Grand Rapids Children's Museum, Grand Rapids, Michigan
- 2010 Boat car mural, Troy Gregory, Grand Rapids, Michigan

#### Collectors

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Rice, St. Helen, Michigan Mr. and Mrs. Richard and Cathryn Counsil, Frederic, MI Brian K Counsil, Gaylord, MI University Club, 5<sup>th</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> Bank, Grand Rapids, Michigan Elizabeth Sulkowski, Los Angeles, CA Jonathan Burke, Gaylord, MI Matt Burney, Springfield, OR Addictive Behaviors game shop, Eugene, OR Parke and Lisa Blundon-Gallo, Eugene, OR Geoff and Cassi Malecha, Eugene, OR Karen Marie Pavelec, Eugene, OR Sean Williams, Sedona, AZ Omer Orian, Portland, OR Linda Corona, Eugene, OR Peter Fehrs, Eugene, OR Megan Trelfa, Eugene, OR Lloyd Madden, Eugene, OR Maia Mandolai, Eugene, OR Ike Goss, Springfield, OR

#### Exhibition/Event Record

- 2019 Biophilia, Full City Coffee Roasters, Eugene, OR PDX Art Social, The Geode, Portland, OR Art For All Seasons, Maude Kerns Art Center, Eugene, OR Art and The Vineyard, Eugene, OR Miniatures, Maude Kerns Art Center, Eugene, OR Whit Print Holiday Sale, Whiteaker Printmakers, Eugene, OR
- 2018 Whit Print Holiday Sale, Whiteaker Printmakers, Eugene, OR Expressions West 2018, Coos Art Museum, Coos Bay, OR Jamie's Party, Vacant Storefront, Eugene, OR

Celebrate Springtime, MART Gallery, Eugene, OR Zone 4 All, New Zone Gallery, Eugene, OR solo - Leaves and Nuts, Palace Bakery, Eugene OR

- 2017 Art For All Seasons, Maude Kerns Art Center, Eugene, OR Little Devil's Advocates, Art.Downtown, Grand Rapids, MI Cherry Capitol Comic Con, Traverse City, MI Studio Without Walls, Eugene, OR Light Up The Night, Eugene, OR
- **2016** *Expressions West,* Coos Art Museum, Coos Bay, OR *A Full City*, Full City Coffee Roasters, Eugene, OR
- solo Universalism, Universalist Unitarian Church, Eugene, OR
- solo Planet X, Sam Bond's Brewery, Eugene, OR ArtPrize 8, Garden Diner, Grand Rapids, MI Art For All Seasons, Maude Kerns Art Center, Eugene, OR
- 2015 Spaceness, Sou'Wester Lodge, Seaview, WA
- solo Biophilia, Oregon Wine Lab, Eugene, OR
- solo Dark Matters, Sam Bond's Garage, Eugene, OR The Face of William Rose, Oregon Wine Lab, Eugene, OR Self, Lincoln Gallery, Eugene, OR Expressions West 2015, Coos Art Museum, Coos Bay, OR Art For All Seasons, Maude Kerns Art Center, Eugene, OR
- 2014 Mayor's Art Show, Springfield, OR Medium Troy, Hop Valley Brewing Co., Eugene, OR
- solo Your Show, Cornbread Cafe, Eugene, OR
- solo New Show, W.O.W. Hall, Eugene, OR
- solo Biophilia, Off The Waffle, Portland, OR
- solo Biophilia, Off The Waffle, Eugene, OR Beyond Illustrated Worlds, Emerald Art Center, Springfield, OR Let There Be Peace, Eugene Springfield Art Project, Eugene, OR Art For All Seasons, Maude Kerns Art Center, Eugene, OR

 2013 Holiday Bazaar, The Barn Light, Eugene, OR. Curator: Brianna Bulski Anticipation, Fountain St. Church, Grand Rapids, MI. Curator: Molli Allicki-Corveau Slow Venom III, Pub 43, Grand Rapids, MI. Curator: Anthony Schechman Dia De Los Muertos, Richard App Gallery, Grand Rapids, MI. Curator: Rich App, Robert App ArtPrize 2013, Grand Rapids, MI Art Downtown, Grand Rapids, MI Imaginary Friends, the DAAC, Grand Rapids, MI. Curator: Me

- 2012 Kendall College Student Works, Monroe Community Church, Grand Rapids, MI. Curator: Michelle Hunt Kendall College Children's Book Illustrations, Kendall College of Art and Design, Grand Rapids MI. Curator: Professor Molli Allicki-Corveau GACA 2012 Juried Photography Exhibition, Gaylord Area Council for the Arts, Gaylord, MI. Judge: Nancy Payne Postcard Salon 2012, Muskegon Museum of Art, Muskegon, MI Kendall Graduate Spring Art Show, Kendall College of Art and Design, Grand Rapids, MI Creature Feature, Calvin Gallery 106, Grand Rapids, MI. Director Joel Zwart. Curator: Me Grand Opening, The Shallows Gallery, Grand Rapids, MI. Owner/curator Andy Castagne Winners Invitational, Gaylord Area Council for the Arts, Gaylord, MI. **Director Nancy Payne** The Not Christmas Christmas Show, Fountain Street Church, Grand Rapids, MI. Curated by Molly Allicki-Corveau
- 2011 University Club Art Prize! Exhibition, University Club 5/3<sup>rd</sup> Bank, Grand Rapids, MI. Juror: Adam DeKraker, Professor of photography and Kendall College representative Reflections of the Landscape, Burren College of Art, Ballyvaughn, Ireland. Curator: Burren College President Mary Hawkes-Greene Rainy Day in the Forest, solo exhibition at the Grand Rapids Children's Museum, Grand Rapids, Michigan. Accepted and hung by programming manager Megan Sierz
- 2010 Clowns Laid Bare, Kendall College of Art and Design, Grand Rapids, MI
- 2009 Spring Art Show, Kirtland Community College, Roscommon, Michigan. Curated by professors Scott Rice and Joe Donna Art de Combat, Enchante Gallery, West Branch, Michigan. Curator Chantelle Perreault, owner Art Guild: North Woods Michigan, CRAF Center, Roscommon, Michigan. Hosted by Kirtland Art Guild
- **2008** Spring Art Show, Kirtland Community College, Roscommon, Michigan. Curated by professors Scott Rice and Joe Donna

## **Professional References**

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• Scott Rice (989) 275 - 5000 Art Department, Kirtland Community College, Roscommon, MI

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• Charly Swing (541) 556-2522 ArtCity Eugene, Eugene, OR

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