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EDUCATION

- 2010 University of Colorado Colorado Springs; Master of Arts in History with an emphasis on Art History.
Theses: · “An Ivory Fragment from the Samian Heraion: A Reappraisal of Style and Origin”
· “The Death of a New Art and Birth of a New American Image: Art Nouveau, Gustav Stickley, and the Craftsman Ideal in America, 1890-1920”
· “ΚΑΣΣΑΝΔΡΑ in the DDR: Women, Art, and Identity in Late Twentieth Century East Germany”
- 2005 California State University, Long Beach; Bachelor of Arts in Film and Electronic Arts, Film and Electronic Media concentration.

GRANTS AND AWARDS

- 2014 College of Letters, Arts, and Sciences Outstanding Lecturer Award, University of Colorado Colorado Springs.
- 2014 UCCS Compass Curriculum Course Development Grant. Grant amount: \$1,500.
- 2013 Colorado Immersive Grant: Reacting to the Past. “Elgin Marbles or Parthenon Sculptures? The Removal of National Treasures and Questions of Cultural Ownership.” Grant amount: \$3,500.
- 2004 Carl Foreman Scholarship for Film Writing; California State University, Long Beach.

COURSES TAUGHT

- 2011 – present Lecturer in Art History and Humanities – Visual & Performing Arts and Humanities Departments; University of Colorado Colorado Springs; Colorado Springs, CO.
Courses taught:
HUM 3990 - The Transhuman Future
HUM 3990 - Visions of Darkness: Apocalypse and Dystopia in Literature, Art, and Film
HUM 3990 - Frauds, Myths, and Mysteries in Art History and Archaeology
HUM 3990 - The City and the Self: Past, Present, and Future
HUM 3990 - Ancient Myth in Popular Culture: The Sci-Fi Film
HUM 3990 - Digital Media and the Humanities
AH 3860 - Contemporary Art
AH 3000/FILM 3900 - Robots, Androids, and Transhumans in Contemporary Visual Culture
AH 3240 - The Art of Greece and Rome
AH 2000 - Special Topics: Ancient Near Eastern Art
AH 1500 - Art and Ideas: Michelangelo to Basquiat
AH 1000 - Art Through the Ages, Part I
AH 1000 - Languages of Art

INVITED LECTURES, CONFERENCE PAPERS, AND INDEPENDENT RESEARCH

2017	"Transhumanism in Contemporary Art and Culture." Research presented at the <i>CYBERCY: Exploring the Post-Internet Human Matrix</i> exhibition. GOCA121; Colorado Springs, CO.
2013	"Ancient Myth in Popular Culture: Homer's <i>2001: A Space Odyssey</i> and Ridley Scott's <i>Enûma Eliš</i> ." Research presented at 2 nd Annual UCCS History Alumni Colloquium; Heller Center for Arts & Humanities; Colorado Springs, CO.
2011	"Fragment E.I from the Sanctuary of Hera on Samos: Questions of Near Eastern Origin." Paper presented at the 27 th Annual Front Range History of Art and Visual Culture Symposium; Boulder, CO.
2011	"A Case of Mistaken Identity: The Nicomachi – Symmachi "Diptych." Paper presented at the Southwestern Historical Association Annual Meeting; Las Vegas, NV.
2010	"The Ancient World in the Modern Media: <i>300</i> , <i>Alexander</i> , and <i>TROY</i> ." Invited lecture; University of Colorado Colorado Springs.
2010	"Art of the Hellenistic World." Invited lecture; University of Colorado Colorado Springs.
2009	"Greek Art and Archaeology: From the Bronze Age to the Archaic Period." Invited lecture; University of Colorado Colorado Springs.
2009	"Art and Architecture of the Near East and Egypt: 3000 – 30 B.C.E." Invited lecture; University of Colorado Colorado Springs.

WORK EXPERIENCE

2011 – present	Coordinator/Director – Visual Resource Center; University of Colorado Colorado Springs; Colorado Springs, CO.
2010 – 2011	Visual Resource Specialist – Visual Resource Center; University of Colorado Colorado Springs; Colorado Springs, CO.
2009 – 2010	Teaching Assistant – History Department; University of Colorado, Colorado Springs; Colorado Springs, CO; Course: HIST 101 – The Ancient World.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

2020	Assistant Professor of Art History Search Committee; College of Letters, Arts, and Sciences; University of Colorado Colorado Springs; Colorado Springs, CO.
2019 – present	Staff Advisory Committee; College of Letters, Arts, and Sciences; University of Colorado Colorado Springs; Colorado Springs, CO.
2014	Web Designer Search Committee; Information Technology Department; University of Colorado Colorado Springs, CO.
2013	Web Designer Search Committee; College of Letters, Arts, and Sciences; University of Colorado Colorado Springs; Colorado Springs, CO.

VOLUNTEER & COMMUNITY SERVICE

2012	Graphic Design Services / Student Mentoring; North Middle School; Colorado Springs, CO.
2012	Volunteer Judge for National History Day Regional Competition; Colorado College; Colorado Springs, CO.

- 2009 Field Assistant – Historical Archaeology Field Practicum; Heller Center for the Arts & Humanities; University of Colorado Colorado Springs.
- 2009 Volunteer Judge for National History Day Regional Competition; Colorado College; Colorado Springs, CO.