CURRICULUM VITA

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EDUCATION

AND TRAINING: Master of Arts in Critical and Curatorial Studies

University of Louisville, Louisville, KY

2008

Artist Educator Training Program Kentucky Center for the Arts

2004

Bachelor of Fine Arts, Concentration in Photography University of Louisville, KY

2001

National Student Exchange University of New Mexico, Albuquerque 1998/1999

CCSA Study Abroad Program

Kings College, London, England Summer 2000

Society for Photographic Education

Tuscan, AZ; Cincinnati, OH; Savannah, GA

1999/2000-01

ART

EXHIBITIONS:

2008

Cradle 2 Cradle

Indiana University Southeast

Upcycled Sculpture

The Mark of Great Art Makers Mark Distillery

Photography

Curtains Up! and Experience Hendrix

Kentucky Center for the Arts

Mural Painting

Outside / In Gallery Nulu Street Art

Wackers and Hackers
Kentucky Museum of Art and Design
Sculptural golf clubs for Ryder Cup

Lo Tech/ No Tech Huff Gallery, Spalding University Sculptural Installation

Terrastock Festival Mellwood Arts and Entertainment Center Live video projection

Development
Zephyr Gallery
Live video projection

Shopdropping Card Project New York City Illustration

RE:ACTION
Swanson-Reed Contemporary Gallery
2 person show multi-medium

2007

Through their Eyes
Speed Museum
Community photography project

The Uninviting
Louisville Photo Biennial
Mellwood Arts and Entertainment Center

Dig
The Ground Floor Gallery, Glassworks
Installation

Pulp Funktion Glassworks Mural

2006

Turning Trash to Treasure
OVCE—Miami of Ohio
Sculpture

Ignite

The Ground Floor Gallery, Glassworks Installation

Louisville: Then and Now

University of Louisville Photo Archives Gallery

Photography

Documenting Dissent
JB Speed Art Museum
Photography

Shop Dropping New York City Illustration

Visual Aids, Postcards from the Edge James Cohan Gallery, New York City Illustration

<u>2005</u>

Sprawl
Photography Exhibit
Swanson Reed Contemporary Gallery

Hope For Homeless Permanent Installation of Gallopalooza Horse in Wayside Christian Mission Art Gallery

One Nation Under God: Operation Whitewash Louisville Visual Arts Association, Louisville Water Tower Performance and Installation

Round Two: Political Art Show Glassworks Sculpture

BRICK House Benefit Bike Depot Photography

2004

Political Art Show Tri-State Invitational
Glassworks
Sculpture

10 X 10 Glassworks Video short

Art Bop

Frankfort Ave. Third Friday Gallery Hop Sculpture

ForeCastle -Art, Music and Activism Festival Tyler Park Installation

Art For Evolution LAVA Spring Invitational Juried Show Installation

Gallopalooza Sidewalk Derby
Brightside Project/Coalition for the Homeless
Sculpture

As the World Turns Swanson Reed Contemporary Gallery Installation

2003

Destruction of Nature: Beauty vs. the Beast Kentucky Theater Sculpture

The Element of Surprise: Annual Photo Invitational city-wide, multi-gallery participation, LAVA House Photography

A Whole LAVA Love Art inspired by Love and War LAVA House, video

2002

The Staring Contest
Louisville Film and Video Festival -Video Derby
Baxter Theater, short video

AlterNation-Art, Music and Activism Festival Central Park Sculpture, photography, installation

Student Art League- Show Your Arts LAVA House Photography

Art for the Animals
The Clifton Center (The Shamrock Foundation Annual Fundraiser)
Photography

Permanent Installation
Well of Spirits Restaurant & Bar

Photography

2001

The anti-War Carnival Central Park Photography

Hangar Show Bowman Field Cardinal Wings Hangar Installation

Biennial Photography Invitational, Zephyr Gallery Photography

Bachelor of Fine Arts Thesis Show University of Louisville Photography and sculpture

'UPC', Unknown Photographers Collective 953 Gallery Photography

Toy Camera Show University of Louisville SAL Gallery Photography

2000

International Study Abroad Photo Exhibit
International Center and Red Barn at University of Louisville
Photography

American Standard Photo Show former American Standard Toilet Factory, Louisville, Kentucky

Invitational Student Art Trade
Herron School of Art and Design, Indianapolis, IN
Photography

Student Art Show
Covi Gallery, University of Louisville
Photography

1999

Small Metals Show
University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM
Juried: Connie De Jean
Copper sculpture

PUBLICATIONS: 2008

Velocity, 'Trash to Treasure'

Louisville Eccentric Observer, RE:ACTION Staff Picks

Louisville Eccentric Observer, RE:ACTION show card

Art in America, Artist/ Gallery Listings

<u>Courier Journal</u>, 'My Darling Asleep and others will perform to benefit LAVA House'

Louisville Eccentric Observer, Cover Story for February 6, 2008

Courier Journal, 'Lava House fire gutted building, not artists' spirit'

2007

Courier Journal, Weekend Extra, Shotgun Fest

Louisville Eccentric Observer, The Uninviting, Bill Carner

Louisville Eccentric Observer, T'What?

Velocity, T'What?

Courier- Journal, The Uninviting

2006

Louisville: Then and Now, Photography

<u>Speed Museum Webpage</u>. Photograph Posted for *Documenting Dissent*

Louisville Eccentric Observer, Louisville: Then and Now

Louisville Cardinal, Dissent : Art From the Street

Louisville Cardinal, Computer Art

Louisville Eccentric Observer, Percent for Art Program

Courier-Journal, 'Left Bank Portland: The Hope Mills Building Studios'

Courier-Journal, 'Louisville Then and Now Book Review'

2005

Courier-Journal, 'LIFT .45'

Velocity, 'WXBH'

Louisville Magazine, 'Brick by Brick: WXBH'

<u>Louisville Eccentric Observer</u>, April 20, 2005, 'Thunder Over Portland: dueling stages, jousting Thunder'

The Guide, Spring issue, 'LIVE Performances'

Literary LEO, Third Place Award, Feb. 9, 2005

Courier-Journal, Arts & Leisure: LIVE Series, Sun. Feb. 6, 2005

2004

The Guide, Fall issue, 'Artist Statements'

Portland Anchor, October Vol. 31, No. 1

Louisville Eccentric Observer, October 27, LAVA House article

Courier-Journal, December 2, Metro section

<u>Louisville Eccentric Observer</u>, March 24, 2004, Show Review, *As The World Turns*, Swanson Reed Contemporary Gallery

2002

Courier-Journal, Saturday October 11, 2002

Courier-Journal, Sunday July 22, 2001

Entropy, Brushfire Artist Collective Magazine, drawings

TELEVISION: 2008

WAVE 3 WHAS 11 WLKY 32

ART

COLLECTIONS: 2008

The Deutch Bank Collection

The Makers Mark Collection

2007

Bryce Hudson Collection

HONORS

AND AWARDS: 200

Kentucky Alliance Community Action award – for volunteer work

to establish a Louisville low power FM radio station, 92.7

WXBH

Third place award, Traditional Photography Literary LEO, 2005

Second place award in video category 10X10 Art Show, Glassworks

1996-2001

Trustee's Scholarship Award University of Louisville

Honor's Program
University of Louisville

2000

First place, *International Center Photography Contest* Judged by Suzanne Mitchell

Center for Cooperative Study Abroad Scholarship-\$500 University of Louisville International Center

1996, 1998-1999

Dean's List University of Louisville

1996

Eagle Scout Award Boy Scouts of America

CURATORIAL WORK:

2008

Outside / In
Gallery Nulu, Louisville, KY
Co-Curator Street Art

2007

T'What?, Photography Show Gallery NuLu with Hallie Jones and Lori Beck

2005-2006

Gallery Assistant to John Begley Covi Art Gallery, University of Louisville

2006

Curator *Dissent: Art from the Street* Poster Show, Covi Art Gallery, University of Louisville ofL

Assistant to Curator Bill Carner for *Documenting Dissent* Photo Show,

JB Speed Art Museum, Louisville, KY

Assistant Curator to John Begley *Alma Lesch Retrospective* Exhibit

Covi Art Gallery, University of Louisville

2005

Internship, initiation and assembling Louisville Punk Music History Archive University of Louisville Photo Archives

Cataloguing of *Artist Books collection*Margaret M. Bridewell Library, University of Louisville

2004

Assistant Curator to Delinda Buie, Christmas Books from the Collection of Frank R. Abel Rare Books Archive, University of Louisville

2003

Curator, Beauty and the Beast: Nature vs. the American Dream Art Show, Kentucky Theater

2001-2005

Curation/installation, multiple art/music shows *LAVA House Gallery*, garden party, Portland, Lou.

2001

Co-Curator/installation of artworks Well of Spirits, Bardstown Rd.

HONORS & AWARDS:

2005

Kentucky Alliance Community Action Award For volunteer work for establishment of Louisville low power FM radio station, 92.7 WXBH

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Trustee's Scholarship Award University of Louisville

Honor's Program
University of Louisville

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Center for Cooperative Study Abroad Scholarship-\$500 University of Louisville International Center

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Dean's List, University of Louisville

1996

Eagle Scout Award, Boy Scouts of America

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:

2008

Lost and Found: Photography and Poetry by Families from Meyers Middle Community School Speed Art Museum and Meyers Middle School Family Exhibition at Speed Art Museum

<u>2007</u>

Through their Eyes Speed Museum and Hazelwood Elementary School Family Photography and Writing Exhibition at Speed Art Museum

Co-organizer/graphic design First annual Germantown Shotgun Fest

2006

Volunteer in WXBH Radio Collective Brick House Community Center

Volunteer at Louisville Science Center Thunder Over Louisville – kids event fundraiser

Volunteer in Kids Art Tent LVAA Boat Race Party Fundraiser

2005

Arts Kentucky volunteer to initiate a Percent for Arts Program

Volunteer Installer LVAA/ U of L Annual Art Auction

2004

Neighborhood Institute Graduate
Louisville Community Design Center/Center for Neighborhoods

2002-2004

Volunteer Art Installer and Video Projectionist/ Technical Assistance AlterNation and Forecastle - Art, Music, Activism Festivals

2006-present

Co-Director Metal Committee, Board of Directors Ohio Valley Creative Energy

2006

Board of Directors
Brick House Community Center

2001-2005

Co-Founder/Artist/Collective Member Louisville Assembly of Vanguard Art

2002

Art Director, Music Organizer AlterNation

2000

3-day volunteer

Society For Photographic Education Conference, Cincinnati, OH

WORK

EXPERIENCE:

2007-2008

Assistant to Sculpting Artists Dave Caudill and Guy Tedesco Photographer at the Speed Museum – Family Fun Day, Bring Your Dog Day, Summer Camp – Non-Darkroom Photography, Speed-Hazelwood Elementary Project, Speed-Meyers Middle Project Audio Tech/Camera Operator- Churchill Downs Simulcast Productions

2002-2005

St. Joseph's Children's Home /Treatment Facility Residential Youth Worker, 1st, 2nd, 3rd shifts

2000-2001

Staff Photographer
Inferno Magazine, Hip Hop Magazine

Staff Photographer
Louisville Cardinal, University of Louisville Newspaper

1999-2002

Brown Brothers Cadillac Nighttime Security

2000-2001

Sculptor, Metal Worker Eagle Sign and Design

1998-1999

Film Projectionist
Century Rio 24, Albuquerque N.M

1997

Biology Teacher / Art Instructor / Faculty Summerbridge Louisville 1997, Division of Americorps

1996-1<u>998</u>

Tutor/ Assistant Coordinator

AVID Program, Jefferson County Public Schools

WEBSITES MAINTAINED:

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www.twhat.net