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EDUCATION

May 2024	EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY Master of Fine Arts Concentration in Photography	Greenville, NC
May 2021	APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY Bachelor of Fine Arts, <i>Summa Cum Laude</i> Concentration in Photography Chancellor's List 2019-2021	Boone, NC
Dec. 2018	CENTRAL PIEDMONT COMMUNITY COLLEGE Associate of Arts Associate of Fine Arts	Charlotte, NC
ACHING		

TEACHING

Spr. 2024	ART 1014 – Narrative in Art & Design (Instructor of Record) East Carolina University, Greenville, NC Relevant Projects: narrative creation through the examination of photographs and listening to music; creating and expanding storyboards; creating a 5–10-minute film using still images with music or narrative voice-
Fall 2023	over inspired by Chris Marker's <i>La Jetèe</i> . ART 1012 - Form, Space & Color (Instructor of Record) East Carolina University, Greenville, NC Relevant Projects: exploring and finding elements of design in everyday environments; color theory; exploration of form vs. shape through light and shadow; creating visual narratives using handmade origami structures.
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Spr. 2022 Intro. to Bookmaking Pitt County Arts Council (Emerge Gallery), Greenville, NC Relevant Projects: Bound books and enclosures.

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2022 Squamograms, Health & Sciences Student Center, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC

JURIED EXHIBITIONS

2023	Juried Student Exhibition (Juror: Chris Ireland), Society for Photographic Educators Southcentral/Southeast
	Regional Conference, Columbus State University, Columbus, GA
	Joyner Library School of Art & Design Graduate Student Art Exhibition (Juror: Jonathan Burger), East
	Carolina University, Greenville, NC
2022	We Say Gay (Director's Choice Award) (Jurors: Angela Wells & Mark Rasdorf), Student Center Galleries,
	East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
	Joyner Library School of Art & Design Graduate Student Art Exhibition (Juror: Jordan Krutch) East Carolina
	University, Greenville, NC
2021	Home (Juror: Seo Eo), Proctor-Yongue House, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
	Joyner Library School of Art & Design Graduate Student Art Exhibition (Juror: Dee Dee Oliver), East
	Carolina University, Greenville, NC
2020	Art & Design Expo, Smith Gallery, Appalachian State University, Boone, NC

2018 *Paul C. Rhyne Juried Fine Art Competition* (Juror: Donna Downey), Lincoln Cultural Center, Arts Council of Lincoln County, Lincolnton, NC *Student Art Show*, Pease Gallery, Central Piedmont Community College, Charlotte, NC

SMALL GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2023	Pride, Proctor-Yongue House, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
	Graduate Student Exhibition, Student Center Galleries, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
2022	Shifting Dimensions: A Mordançage Exploration, Health & Sciences Student Center, East Carolina
	University, Greenville, NC
	Pride, Proctor-Yongue House, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
	Graduate Student Exhibition, Student Center Galleries, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
2021	Experiments in Process, Student Center Galleries, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
	Bindings: The Art of the Book, Student Center Galleries, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
	The Survival of the Artist, King Street Art Collective, Boone, NC
2020	I Am Woman 2020, Southern Arts Society, Kings Mountain, NC
	Amateur Photography Competition, Lincoln Cultural Center, Arts Council of Lincoln County, Lincolnton,
	NC
2019	A Fresh Look, Southern Arts Society, Kings Mountain, NC
2017	Amateur Photography Competition (Best in Show), Lincoln Cultural Center, Arts Council of Lincoln County,
	Lincolnton, NC

AWARDS

2023	Society for Photographic Education Student Presenter Award, Columbus State University, Columbus, GA
	Arrowmont Windgate University Fellows Award, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
2022	James & Marie Thompson Scholarship, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
	Claire E. Armstrong Scholarship, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
2020	Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship, United States Department of State, Washington, DC
	Office of International Education & Development Scholarship, Appalachian State University, Boone, NC
2019	Randolph A. Johnson Scholarship, Appalachian State University, Boone, NC

INTERNSHIPS & ASSISTANTSHIPS

2021-Pr	PHOTOGRAPHY LAB GRADUATE STUDENT ASSISTANT Angela Wells, Associate Professor, Photography East Carolina University, Greenville, NC Relevant Duties: Maintaining ink inventory for the digital lab; mixing and maintaining chemistry inventory for the darkroom and film processing room; maintaining inventory for the lighting studio; general facilities cleaning and maintenance; assisting students as needed.
2022-23	CONSERVATION LAB GRADUATE STUDENT ASSISTANT
	Larry Houston, Conservator, Joyner Library Preservation/Conservation Lab
	East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
	Relevant Duties: Environmental monitoring and integrated pest management; designing and constructing boxes for housing special collection items; performing conservation treatments on historic and rare items; repairing general circulation items; photographic documentation; creating specialized mounts for exhibit items; condition reporting for exhibit items on loan.
Fall 2021	WOOD SHOP & SHAPE LAB GRADUATE STUDENT ASSISTANT
	Gerald Weckesser, Wood Shop Supervisor
	East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
	Relevant Duties: Supervising student use of power tools, laser cutters, and other related equipment; ensuring
	students have been trained in safety procedures and best use practices before using area equipment; general
	facilities cleaning and maintenance; assisting students as needed.

- Fall 2021 GRADUATE TEACHING ASSISTANT ART APPRECIATION Susan C. Luddeke, Teaching Assistant Professor, Art Appreciation East Carolina University, Greenville, NC Relevant Duties: Grading assignments for 400+ students; answering student inquiries about assignments and grading policies.
- Spr. 2021 RESEARCH ASSISTANT Joshua D. White, Associate Professor, Photography Appalachian State University, Boone, NC Relevant Duties: Assisting with wet place collodion photography, including coating, sensitizing, developing, and varnishing photographic plates.
- Spr. 2021 CURATORIAL INTERNSHIP Steve Eichner, Registrar Blowing Rock Art & History Museum, Blowing Rock, NC Relevant Duties: Cataloging items from a prominent donor collection, including books, artwork, and exhibition lighting equipment.
- Fall 2020
 INSTRUCTIONAL ASSISTANT SCREEN PRINTING

 April V. Flanders, Professor, Printmaking

 Appalachian State University, Boone, NC

 Relevant Duties: Assisting with screen printing instruction, including setting up demonstrations, cleaning up, maintaining ink inventory, and assisting students as needed.

WORKS IN PRINT PUBLICATIONS

2024	&, vol. 4, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
2023	&, vol. 3, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
2022	&, vol. 2, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
2019	Hagley Museum Magazine, Vol. 48, No. 2, (Summer 2019).
2018	"Hagley Museum and Library Annual Report." Hagley Museum Magazine, Vol. 47 (Summer 2018), No. 2.
2017	"Hagley Museum and Library Annual Report." Hagley Museum Magazine, Vol. 46, No. 2 (Summer 2017).
2016	"Hagley Museum and Library Annual Report." Hagley Museum Magazine, Vol. 45 (Summer 2016), No. 2.
2014	"Black Philly After The Philadelphia Negro." Contexts, Vol. 13, No. 1 (Winter 2014), pp. 26-31.

LECTURES & SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

2024	Debunking Phallacies, Research & Creative Achievement Week, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
	Debunking Phallacies, Portfolio Throwdown, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
2023	Teeter Totter: Navigating the Intersections of Gender, Identity, and Code-Switching within the LGBTQ+
	Community, Society for Photographic Education Regional Conference, Columbus State University,
	Columbus, GA
	Fugilistic Intentions, Research & Creative Achievement Week, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
2022	Of Melancholic Longing, Research & Creative Achievement Week, East Carolina University, Greenville,
	NC
2018	The Original Beer Baron: Robert Portner. Growing Roots: 3rd Annual Prince William County/Manassas
	History Symposium. Manassas, VA.
2017	Brews & Brains, Part 4: The Portner Beer Barons, lecture and discussion on Robert Portner and the Robert
	Portner Brewing Company. Bad Wolf Brewing Company, Manassas, VA.

COLLECTIONS

2024	Personal Collection of Suzanne Heintz, New York, NY
2018	Central Piedmont Community College Art Collection, Charlotte, NC

CURATORIAL

2023	50 Years in 50 Objects, Manassas Museum, Manassas, VA
	Portfolio Throwdown Undergraduate Hallway Show, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
	Pride, Proctor-Yongue House, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
2018	Living the American Dream, Manassas Museum, Manassas, VA

PUBLISHED WORKS

2003	Author, The Shortest Dynasty: 1837-1947, 2nd Ed., Bowie, MD: Heritage Books.
2002	Author, The Shortest Dynasty: 1837-1947, Bowie, MD: Heritage Books.

MEMBERSHIPS & PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

2024-Pr.	Treasurer, Society for Photographic Education, Southeast Chapter
2022-Pr.	Member, College Book Arts Association
2021-Pr.	Member, The Society for Photographic Education, Southeast Chapter
	Member, Photography Guild, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
2023	Chair, Fine Arts Funding Board, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
	Relevant Experience: Managed a \$250,000 budget for four schools within the College of Fine Arts &
	Communication, including approval and disbursement of appropriate funds for conferences, speaker series, and other relevant activities.
2021-23	Co-President, Visual Arts Forum, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
	Relevant Experience: Coordinated budget requests, activities, and speaker series with twelve different guilds within the School of Art & Design; organized and facilitated the School of Art and Design's annual Holiday Sale; ensured each Guild was up-to-date on all necessary and relevant trainings per each academic semester.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Fall 2023	Green Zone Training, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
	Relevant Experience: learning how to work with military veteran students in the classroom to ensure that
	their educational needs and expectations are met, and how to work with any learning disabilities that they
	may have and any special needs that they may require.
July 2023	By Hand: Book Bound Again, Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts, Gatlinburg, TN

Instructor: Jerry Bedor Philips Relevant Experience: learning new ways to make enclosures and bind books.