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## **EDUCATION**

2004 - 2008  
Columbia College, Chicago- Chicago, IL  
Masters of Fine Arts, Photography

1995 - 2003  
East Tennessee State University- Johnson City, TN  
Bachelors of Fine Art, Photography

2001 - 2002  
Virginia Intermont College- Bristol, VA  
Advanced photography, lighting and digital imaging courses

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

2009 – current  
Assistant Professor of Art, Myers School of Art, University of Akron, Akron, OH

2008 - 2009  
Adjunct Instructor of Art, Radford University, Radford, VA

2008  
Graduate teaching assistantship, Columbia College Chicago, IL

2006  
Graduate teaching assistantship, Columbia College Chicago, IL

## **EXHIBITIONS**

*Photography 2010: Contrasting Landscapes*, L. H. Horton Jr. Gallery, San Joaquin Delta College, Stockton, CA. Juror: Carol McCusker, curator, Museum of Photographic Arts, San Diego, CA, December 2010

*100 Alumni: Art Invitational – The East Tennessee State University Centennial*, Slocumb Galleries, East Tennessee State University, Johnson City, TN, *upcoming* October 2010

*Photo 2009*, Summit Art Space, Akron, OH, October 2009

*Worth The Trip*, Virginia Intermont Photography Gallery, Virginia Intermont College, Bristol, VA, *October – November 2009*

*Photo+Book: A Juried Exhibition of Self-Published On-Demand Photography Books*, 23 Sandy Gallery, Portland, OR, March 2009

*Radford University Faculty Art Show*, The Gallery at the Covington Center, Radford, VA

January – February 2009

*Coming Home: East Tennessee State University Alumni Art Show*, Art Alumni nominated by Art Faculty, Carroll Reese Museum, Johnson City, TN, October – December 2008

*Radford University Adjunct Faculty Art Show*, Flossie Martin Gallery, Radford, VA, October 2008

*11<sup>th</sup> Annual Chicago Art Open*, Merchandise Mart, Chicago, IL, October 2008

*The Chicago Project*, Catherine Edelman Gallery, Chicago, IL, ongoing

*Worth the Trip*, Master of Fine Arts Thesis Exhibition, Columbia College, Chicago, IL May 2008

*800 Winters*, The TENSEFORMS Artist Collective Winter Exhibition, Subterranean, Chicago, IL January 2006

## **COLLECTION**

Jonesborough/Washington County Museum, Jonesborough, TN permanent collection