

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

1971-73 Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI, Master of Fine Arts in Photography

1969-71 Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI, Bachelor of Fine Arts in Photography,
Minor in Painting

Professional Experience

2012-present: Retired, teaching: Acton Senior Center, Acton, MA Fall 2023, Photographic Resource Center, Printing Workshop. Digital Silver Imaging, Preparing a Print Portfolio. Penland School of Crafts, Landscape Photography Workshop(2012), Master Class in Architectural Photography (2013) Visiting Photographer, New Hampshire Society of Photographic Artists(NHSPA), Star Island, NH, Baer Art Centre, Hofos, Iceland

1981-2012: Professor, Department of Art + Design, Northeastern University, Boston, MA, Head, Photography Program: responsible for hiring, budget, staff, facilities, curriculum and representing Program to the Department, College and University. Committees: Executive Committee, Tenure and Promotion, Full Professor Promotion, Merit, Curriculum, College Council, etc.

1978-91: Harvard University, Department of Visual and Environmental Studies, Carpenter Center, Cambridge, MA. Responsibilities: Tutor and Section Leader in photography. Excellence in Teaching awards, 1983, 1985-91

1975-81: New England School of Photography, Boston, MA. Responsibilities: Director Second Year Creative Program, Faculty Advanced Black and White, Second Year Portfolio Preparation

1977-present: Various summer photography workshops and residencies, including: Maine Photographic Workshop (1977/78); Chilmark Photography Workshop (1980/87/89); International Summer Academy of Fine Arts, Trieste, Italy (1990-91). The Boston Visual School in Viterbo, Italy (1992, 1994, 1995). Appalachian Environmental Art Center, Highlands, NC, 1991, Artist-in-Residence, Bennington College, Bennington, VT, 1996 Artist-in -Residence, Summersite: Lake Como, Italy, visiting artist 8/00, residencies at Lightwork, Syracuse, NY 9/01 & Hambidge Center for the Arts, Rabun Gap, GA 11/01. Darrow School, New Lebanon, NY artist-in-residence, 11/03. Director Photography in Venice, Italy, Summer One semester, May/June, 2006-2008, Northeastern University (see website at: neuphotovenice.com), Penland School of Crafts, Spruce Pine, North Carolina, 2012 & 2013, 2018 Digital Silver Imaging, Belmont MA, workshop 2012 & 2013, Photographic Resource Center, Boston, MA, workshop 2012

Selected Exhibitions

2023 Acton Senior Center, Acton, MA One person show
Acton Memorial Library, Wheat, One person show
Danforth Museum, Framingham, MA, Recent Acquisitions, Pulaski Motel, Pulaski, VA

2022 Concord Art Association, Concord, MA group show, award winner
Newport Art Museum, Newport RI Above/Below, group show
Marblehead Art Association, Marblehead, MA, group show

2021 Martha's Vineyard Museum, Vineyard Haven, MA Above & On the Ground

- Concord Art Association, Concord, MA, group show
- 2019 Boston Society of Architects, Boston, MA Infrared, Two person show Galatea
Fine Art, Boston MA Shrink Wrapped, Three person show
RI Center for the Photographic Arts, Providence, RI Group Show
Harvard Ed Portal, Brighton, MA, Paradise CA, solo show
- 2018 New England School of Photography, Waltham, MA Iceland, Solo Show
- 2017 Boston Athenaeum, Boston, MA Recent Acquisitions 555 Gallery, Boston, MA, Group Show
Bob Korn Photography Gallery, Orleans, MA
- 2016 Monsters, Fitchburg Art Museum, Fitchburg, MA Sep-Dec 555 Gallery Annex, Boston, MA
- 2015 555 Gallery, Boston, MA, Wild Thing, Group Show,
Photogogue: Part 3, Group Show, Flash Forward Festival, Boston, MA
I Love Your Space, Group Show, 555 Gallery, Boston, MA
- 2014 Barbarous Coast, two person show 555 Gallery, Boston, MA
Three Amigos, three person show, New England School of Photography (NESOP)
Gallery, Boston, MA
Devil's Promenade, work from the Mutter Museum, three person show 555
Gallery, Boston, MA,
- 2013 Center on the Common, Harvard, MA, Three Amigos, three person show
Panopticon Gallery, Boston, MA, Contacts, group show
Panopticon Gallery, Boston, MA, aerial photographs of Massachusetts islands, two
person exhibition
Danforth Museum, Framingham, MA "Wheat", one person exhibition
Phoenix, Museum of Art, Phoenix, AZ, "From Above", aerial photography, group
exhibition, summer
- 2012 Rhode Island School of Design Museum, Providence, RI, "America in View: Landscape
Photography 1865 to Now". Group Show
Panopticon Gallery, Boston, MA "Summer Show"
- 2011 Griffin Museum at Digital Silver Imaging, Belmont, MA, One Person Show, "Collections"
Plymouth Center for the Arts, The Fine Art of Photography, Plymouth, MA Juried Show
Gallery 360, Northeastern University, October, 2011, Boston, MA, One Person Show
PhotoStop Gallery, December, 2011, One Person Show, White River Junction, VT
- 2010 Boston City Hall, Boston, MA, Two Person Show, "Boston Infrared"
Panopticon Gallery, Boston, MA, One Person Show, "Twenty-Five Years"
- 2009 Panopticon Gallery of Photography, Group Show, Boston, MA
PhotoStop Gallery, One Person Show, White River Junction, VT
Northeastern University, Gallery 360, Faculty Show, Boston, MA
- 2008 Museum of Art- RI School of Design, Providence RI, "RISD and Photography"
DeCordova Museum and Sculpture Park, Lincoln, MA, "New Works from the Collection"
- 2007 Photographic Resource Center, Boston, MA, Group Auction Exhibition
Montserrat College of Art, Beverly, MA Group Auction Exhibition
- 2006 Panopticon Gallery, Waltham, MA, One Person Show

- 2005 Griffin Museum, Winchester, MA, "Juror's Choice", Group Show
Panopticon Gallery, Waltham, MA, Group Show
- 2004 Newport Art Museum, Newport, RI, "Places", Group Show
- 2003 Studio Soto Gallery, Boston, MA, March 7-April 16, 2003, One Man Show
DeCordova Museum and Sculpture Park, Lincoln, MA, Group Show
Newport Art Museum, Newport, RI, Aaron Siskind Memorial Exhibition, Group Show
McNeese State University, Lake. Charles, LA, Juried Invitational Show, Group Show
- 2002 The Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA, "Lens-Landscape", Group Show
- 2001 DeCordova Museum and Sculpture Park, Lincoln, MA. "Photography in Boston: 1955-1985"
Studio Soto, Boston, "Bitscapes", Three-Person Show

Selected Permanent Collections:

Fidelity Investments, Boston, MA
Martha's Vineyard Museum, Vineyard Haven, MA
Fogg Art Museum, Harvard Art Museums, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA
DeCordova Museum and Sculpture Park, Lincoln, MA
Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA
Newport Art Museum, Newport, RI
Danforth Museum, Framingham, MA
Worcester Art Museum, Worcester, MA
Addison Gallery of American Art, Andover, MA
Bibliotheque Nationale, Paris, France
Center for Creative Photography, Tucson, AZ
Harvard University, Carpenter Center Archives, Cambridge, MA
High Museum of Art, Atlanta, GA
The Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX
Kunsthhaus, Zurich, Switzerland
J.P. Morgan Guaranty Trust Company, NY, NY
Polaroid Corporation, International Collection and American Archives, Waltham, MA
Princeton University Archives, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ
Portland Museum of Art, Portland, ME
Museum of Fine Arts of the Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI
The Darrow School, New Lebanon, NY
Northeastern University, Boston, MA

Grants, Awards, Residencies:

- 2013 Hambidge Center, Dillard, Georgia, Residency
Baer Art Centre, Iceland, Residency
- 2008: Northeastern University, Research and Development Award (\$6000) to work in Italy during sabbatical leave, fall 2009
- 2006: Northeastern University, Faculty Development Award ((\$5000) to assist with publishing "American Series"
- 2004: Hambidge Center for the Arts, return residency

2001: Lightwork Community Darkrooms, Syracuse, NY, residency
Hambridge Center for the Arts, Rabun Gap, Georgia, residency

2000: Summersite Photography Workshop, Lake Como, Italy, residency

1999: The Marion and Jasper White Whiting Foundation, grant

2000,1998,1996, 1994, 1991, etc Northeastern University, Boston, MA, various university-based grants and awards for Faculty Development, Research, Scholarship, Instructional Development, Curriculum Development, etc.

Workshops

2012/14/18 Penland School of Crafts, North Carolina
2017 Baer Art Centre, Hofsos, Icalend
2006/07/08: Venice, Italy, Summer One semester, Northeastern University, Boston. MA
1995/94/92: Summer Teaching The Boston Visual School in Viterbo, Italy
1990/91: Summer teaching International Summer Academy of Fine Arts, Trieste, Italy
1980/87/89: Summer Teaching Chilmark Photography Workshop, Martha's Vineyard, MA
1977/78: Summer Teaching Maine Photographic Workshop, Rockport, ME

PUBLISHED:

2020 **Paradise**, California
A Public Space, No 29, New York

2013 **Above: aerial photographs of Martha's Vineyard**, on demand monograph

2012 **Rock, Sand, Water** on demand monograph

2011 **Wheat: An American Series**, 2nd edition, on demand monograph

2010 **Collections**, on demand monograph **Cabella's**,
on demand monograph
A Year: 2009-2010, on demand monograph **Wheat:**
An American Series, on demand monograph

2008 Northeastern University Alumni Magazine, cover

2007 Chronicle of Higher Education, end page article

2006 Noon, NY, NY Photographs. Literary Journal

American Series, monograph. Published by Pond Press, Boston, MA. Forward by Joseph Deal and Introduction by Jeffrey Hoone

American Photo on Campus, article on being a career teacher w/ photographs

Northeastern University Alumni Magazine 1/4 page mention of publishing of monograph
W/ photographs

- 2003 Pegboard, Darrow School, New Lebanon, NY, semi annual magazine, interview and biographical article
- 2002 Contact Sheet, Light Work, Syracuse, NY, photographs The Light Work Annual 2002
Spectrum Magazine Northeastern University, Boston, MA
Northeastern University Magazine, Northeastern University, Boston, MA
Hambidge Center Annual Auction catalog, Hambidge Center for the Arts, Hambidge, GA
- 2001 Museums Boston, Larry Warsh, publisher, Museums Boston, Boston, MA, cover photograph
Art New England Magazine Art New England, Boston, MA
- 2000 Photography in Boston: 1955-1985 DeCordova Museum and Sculpture Park, Lincoln, MA, exhibition catalog cover, photograph and poster, published by MIT Press, Cambridge, MA
- 1999 Photographer's Forum Magazine, Serbin Publishers, NY, NY

Past Board of Directors

Griffin Museum of Photography, Winchester, MA 2006-present, Focus Awards Committee, Exhibitions Committee, Portfolio Reviews Committee
Photographic Resource Center, Boston, MA 2007-present, Executive Committee, Portfolio Reviews Committee, Strategic Planning Committee, Nominating Committee