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Education:

Master of Fine Arts Degree in Studio Art, 2008

University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC

- Concentration in Ceramics
 - John Benz Graduate Studio Arts Award
 - USC Student Art Exhibition “Best of Show” 2006, 2007
 - Minor in Printmaking
 - Thesis Show: “Flotilla”

Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree in Studio Art, 2004

East Carolina University, Greenville, NC

- Concentration in Ceramics
 - Departmental Distinction in Ceramics
 - Nell Cole Graves Award for Excellence in Ceramics
 - Senior Show: “Reverence”

Exhibitions/Publications:

- **“Small Favors”** The Clay Studio, Philadelphia, PA 2011, 2012
- **“School of Art and Design Alumni Exhibition”** Greenville Museum of Art, Greenville, NC, 2011
- **“Athens Voices”** The Dairy Barn Arts Center, Athens, OH 2009, 2011
- **“ARToberfest”** ARTS/West, Athens, OH 2008
- **“Flotilla”** McMaster Gallery, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC
 - Thesis Show, 2008
- **“Student Art Exhibition”** McMaster Gallery, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC
 - Award of Merit, 2008
 - Best of Show, 2006
 - Best of Show, 2007
- **“University of South Carolina Ceramics: Past and Present”** Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, Myrtle Beach, SC, 2008
- **“White on White”** Artist’s Basement, Columbia, SC, 2007

- **“University of South Carolina Ceramics Exhibit”** Roswell, GA, 2006
- **“Reverence”** Menden Hall Gallery, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
 - Senior Show, 2004
- **“Student Art Exhibition”** Wellington B. Gray Gallery, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC
 - Award of Merit, 2002
 - Award of Merit, 2003
 - Award of Merit, 2004
- **“East Carolina University: People and Their Influences”** Museum of Traditional Pottery, Seagrove, NC, 2003

Related Employment/Workshops:

Art Instructor, October 2008-Present

The Dairy Barn Art Center, Athens, OH

- Instructed adult and child ceramic courses

Teaching Assistant, August 2005-May 2008

University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC

- Independently instructed introductory-level ceramics course

Kiln Building Workshop, 2008

University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC

- Doug Casebeer
- Built a cross-draft gas kiln

Honors/Awards:

John Benz Graduate Studio Art Award—2007

- University of South Carolina

USC Student Art Exhibition “Award of Merit”—2008

- University of South Carolina

USC Student Art Exhibition “Best of Show”—2006, 2007

- University of South Carolina

Graduated with Departmental Distinction in Ceramics—2004

- East Carolina University

Nell Cole Graves Award for Excellence in Ceramics—2004

- East Carolina University

East Carolina University School of Art Undergraduate Exhibition “Award of Merit”—2002, 2003, 2004