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**EDUCATION:**

Fashion Institute of Technology, State University of New York  
Associate in Applied Science Degree, May 2006  
Textile/Surface Design, Screen Printing Specialization  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Dean's List - all semesters  
  
Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI  
Bachelor of Arts degree, June 1985  
Theatre, Design Minor Cognate

**DESIGN SKILLS:**

Development and execution of fabric and graphic designs, screen prints, repeat patterns, color combinations, color ways, presentation and concept boards

**EXHIBITIONS:**

The Fine Art of Jazz, New Jersey Performing Arts Center, Newark, NJ 11/14  
#Hoodies.UP, National Black Theatre, New York, NY 2/14  
"Other, Other: High Visibility," Bronx Council of the Arts, Nathan Cummings Foundation Gallery, New York, NY 1-4/09  
Art & Design Graduating Student Show, FIT Museum, New York, NY 5/06  
Nature of Design, Textile/Surface Design Department, FIT, New York, NY 2/06  
Directions, New York, NY 4/05, 5/06  
International Fashion Fabrics Exhibition, New York, NY 4/05  
Textile/Surface Design Department Student Displays, FIT, New York, NY 10, 12/04; 3, 5, 10, 11/05; 4, 5/06  
"Four Chicks," Access Theatre Gallery, New York, NY 4/02

**AWARDS:**

Urban Artist Initiative/New York City, 2006  
Urban Artist Initiative Buddy Grant/New York City, 2007

**VISUAL ARTS**

**EXPERIENCE:**

Teacher, Advanced Screen Printing Workshop, Harlem Textile Works, New York, NY, 5/09 – 8/09, 6/10  
Teacher, After School Screen Printing Workshop, Harlem Textile Works, New York, NY, 12/07  
Teacher, Advanced Screen Printing Workshop, Harlem Textile Works, New York, NY, 2/06 – 3/06  
Teacher, Basic Screen Printing Workshop, Harlem Textile Works, New York, NY, 10/05 – 11/05  
Teacher, Mask-making Workshops, New Ensemble Theatre Company, New York, NY, 4/94  
Artist/Teacher, Children's Art Carnival, New York, NY, 9/89 – 6/90  
Artist/Computer Operation, VUCOM Graphicsystems, Troy, MI, 11/88 – 4/89

**INTERNSHIP:**

Design Intern, Raxon Fabric Corporation, New York, NY 10/06 – 5/07

**FREELANCE**

**EXPERIENCE:**

Set Dresser, H.A.D.L.E.Y. Players, New York, NY 5/07\*  
Screen Printed, Hand-Painted Shirts and Fabrics, Harlem Week Festival, New York, NY 8/06  
Theatre Poster Designs, H.A.D.L.E.Y. Players, New York, NY, 4/05, 9/05  
Set Dresser, "Pat's Pool Party," Steel City Princess Productions, New York, NY, 9/00  
Hand-Painted Shirts, Jazzmobile, Grant's Tomb, New York, NY, 6/90  
Hand-Painted Shirts, Detroit Festival of the Arts, University Cultural Center Assoc., Detroit, MI, 9/87, 9/88, 9/89  
"Dalley in the Alley," North Cass Street Fair, Detroit, MI, 10/88\*\*

**COMPUTER**

**PROGRAMS:**

Photoshop, Powerpoint, Nedgraphics, Microsoft Word, Excel

**COMMUNITY:**

Increased the participation of local artists in the Detroit Festival of the Arts by creating an outreach strategy resulting in successful art exhibitions.

\* Nomination - Best Set Design, 2007 AUDELCO Awards; \*\* Runner-Up Best T-Shirt Design