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EDUCATION

Rhode Island School of Design— 2018–2022
BFA in Textiles with Honors

EXPERIENCE

Mother Knitter - *Retail Manager*

November 2022- Current

Establishes employee schedules, long term event planning, customer service training, and coordinates visual displays for the window front and social media.

Canvas Art Studio - *Art instructor*

September 2022- December 2023

Creates lesson plans and art projects for young artists aged 6 to 14, conducts and teaches classes of 2 to 12 students.

Rhode Island School of Design— *Textiles Department Weaving Monitor*

September 2021- June 2022

Maintained equipment across the department, Upkept all studios, Available for assistance for creative and technical direction 24/7, Liaison between faculty and students within the RISD Textiles Department.

Studio Experience with Jim Drain

February 2022 - June 2022

Created installation, film and sculpture work closely with textile artist Jim Drain, with an emphasis on soft sculpture.

Studio Experience with Derrick Woods-Morrow

September 2021- December 2021

Worked closely with contemporary artist Derrick Woods-Morrow, with an emphasis on research, generating studio practices, means of production, and gallery work.

Gallery Shows

Vogue Knitting Live **Featured Artist**

2025

Liminal Spaces Atlantic **Highlands Art Council**

2024

RISD Textiles Senior **Exhibit**

2022

RISD Textiles Triennial

2021

RISD EFS Triennial

2019

Guild of Creative Art

2018

New Jersey Teen Arts **Touring Exhibition**

2018

New Jersey Teen Arts **Exhibition**

Monmouth County-2017

Awards

RISD Annual Art Award

2018

RFH Fine Art Department

Award for Outstanding Achievements-2018

Tom Regan Art **Scholarship**

2018

Rhode Island School of Design— *Weaving Teaching Assistant*

September 2020- June 2021

Teaching assistant of Weaving 1 and Weaving 2 for Susan Sklarek, Maintained equipment, Upkept Studio, Available for assistance for creative and technical direction, Liaison between faculty and students for all weaving classes.

Rhode Island School of Design— *Foundation Year Teaching Assistant*

September 2019- June 2020

Teaching assistant of Spatial Dynamics for Rachel Rosenkrantz and Deb Coolidge's Experimental Foundation Courses, and providing technical and creative problem solving for students.

SKILLS

Photoshop-RISD

-Gina Gregorio's CAD and Photoshop course-(2020)

Weaving-RISD

-Susan Sklarek's Weaving courses I & II -(2019-2020)
-Lisa Scull's Dobby Weaving course-(2021)
-Evan Runge's Jacquard Weaving course-(2021)

Machine Knitting-RISD

-Anne Emline's Single Bed Knitting-(2019)
-Anna Geitelson-Khan's Double Bed Knitting and Stoll Machine Knitting courses-2020-2021

Silkscreen Printing-RISD

-Cassie McGettigan's Fabric Silk Screen course- 2019
-Sarah Haenn's Changing Fabric Surfaces course-2021

Fabric and Fiber Dyeing-RISD

-Isa Rodriguez's Fibers and Dyeing course-(2020)