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Education:

- 2007 **MFA** University of Nebraska Lincoln
Hixson-Lied College of Fine and Performing Arts
Department of Art and Art History (UNL)
- 2000 **BFA *Summa Cum Laude***
University of Hartford
Hartford Art School
West Hartford, CT (HAS)
Ceramics and Printmaking
- 2002-2003 University of Alaska Anchorage
Graduate Student at Large
Directed Study
- 1998 University of Georgia Athens
Lamar Dodd School of Fine and Performing Arts
Fall Semester Studies Abroad Program
Cortona Italy

Awards:

- 2008 Astraea Visual Arts Fund
New York, NY
Honorable Mention
- Haydon Art Center
Lincoln, NE
Exhibition Fellowship Award
- 2007 **Elizabeth Greenshields Foundation**
grant award for \$12,500 US Dollars
*grants for artists in the early stages of their careers; working
representationally, started or completed training at an established
school of art; and/or demonstrate, through past work and future
plans, a commitment to make art a lifetime career
- The Clay Studio
Marge Brown Kalodner Graduate Student Exhibition
second prize
- University of Nebraska Lincoln
Hixson-Lied College of Fine and Performing Arts
Department of Art and Art History
**Graduate Dan and Barbara Howard Award for
Outstanding Creativity**
- 2005-06 University of Nebraska Lincoln
Hixson-Lied College of Fine and Performing Arts
Graduate Student Leadership Award

(awards continued)

- 2005-06 University of Nebraska Lincoln
College of Graduate Studies
Franklin and Orinda Johnson Fellowship
- 2004- 2007 University of Nebraska Lincoln
Hixson-Lied College of Fine and Performing Arts
Department of Art and Art History
Kimmel Fellowship
- 2004-2007 University of Nebraska Lincoln
College of Graduate Studies
Graduate Non-Resident Tuition Fellowship
- University of Nebraska Lincoln
College of Graduate Studies
Graduate Teaching Assistantship
- 2000 University of Hartford
Hartford Art School
West Hartford, CT
Felicia C. Miller Award For Artistic Excellence
- 1998 University of Georgia Athens
Lamar Dodd School of Fine and Performing Arts
Fall Semester Studies Abroad Program
Cortona Italy
Teaching Assistantship
- 1996-2000 University of Hartford
West Hartford, CT
Presidential Scholar
- University of Hartford and the
Hartford Art School
West Hartford, CT
President's and Dean's Lists

Commission:

- 2005-2007 Lincoln Arts Council
Collaborative Public Art Project
Lincoln, NE
*Stories of Home**

*Stories of Home was shaped around a visual arts project by Pepón Osorio, a MacArthur Foundation Fellowship Award recipient. The Lincoln Arts Council received funding from the National Endowment for the Arts, as well as from private donors for this project. A panel of jurors, including Pepón Osorio, selected a dozen professional artists from a pool of applicants. Each selected artist received a commission contract to create an original work reflecting a family's story. I was paired with a large family relocated from Sudan. Teams had a nine-month creative period and a nine-month exhibition period. The works traveled through the community from June 2006 through February 2007. As the works traveled, the artists gave a series of lectures about the project and its impact. The pieces were shown - both together and separately - in homes, schools, businesses and community centers. The Lincoln Arts Council is using the Stories of Home Project as a prototype with which to create a template for other cities to use in public arts projects.

Exhibitions:

2008

Dowd Fine Art Gallery

SUNY Cortland
Cortland, NY

SUNY Cortland Faculty Biennial 2008

Haydon Art Center

Lincoln, NE

Two Person Exhibition: *Charged Spaces*

Tugbat Gallery

Curator: *Personal Histories*

Haydon Art Center

Lincoln, NE

Woman; Curated by Debra Johnson

Lux Center for the Arts

Lincoln, NE

Solo Show: *Bored Meeting*

Pulp

Omaha, NE

Paper Dolls

Gallery 9

Lincoln, NE

Ceramics Invitational: *Infinite Moments*

2007-2008

Bemis Center for Contemporary Arts

Omaha, NE

ninth and tenth annual art auctions

2007

Leedy Voukos Art Center

Kansas City, MO

Group Show: *Tugboat Presents*

Sheldon Art Museum

University of Nebraska Lincoln
Lincoln, NE

SMAG Connections Series: Caitlin Applegate and Eddie Dominguez

Hilliard Gallery

Kansas City, MO

Juried group exhibition: *The Figure*

The Clay Studio

Philadelphia, PA

Marge Brown Kalodner Graduate Student Exhibition

Lux Center for the Arts

Lincoln, NE

Clay Convergence UNL Graduate Students

(exhibitions continued)

2007

Eisentrager-Howard Gallery

Richard's Hall
University of Nebraska, Lincoln
Lincoln, NE

InsideOut: MFA Thesis Exhibition

Haydon Art Center

Lincoln, NE

VAP Auction. Fundraiser for the Haydon Art Center

Hastings College

Hastings, NE

Red Alert

CMA Gallery

University of Colorado, Boulder
Boulder, CO

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2006

Sheldon Art Museum

University of Nebraska Lincoln
Lincoln, NE

Group show: Tugboat Presents: Office Space

Tugboat Gallery

"P" Street Lincoln, NE

Caitlin Applegate and Matt Hilker

Haydon Art Center

Lincoln, NE

New Visual Voices: UNL MFA Students

Hot Shops Gallery

Omaha NE

Tugboat Presents: Hot Shops

2005-2006

Kimmel Harding Nelson Center

Nebraska City, NE

Annual Kimmel Fellow Exhibition

2005

Elder Gallery

Nebraska Wesleyan University
Lincoln, NE.

Art of Fine Craft Juried Exhibition: Anne Pagel Juror.

Tugboat Gallery

"P" Street Lincoln, NE

Premier Exhibition group show: Invited Artist

University Place Art Center

Lincoln, NE

UNL Graduate Student Exhibition

(exhibitions continued)

2005

Rotunda Gallery

City Union

University of Nebraska Lincoln

Ceramics Graduate Student Exhibition

Richards Hall

University of Nebraska Lincoln

A Ceramics Continuum: Exhibition of Graduate Student Works

2004

Kansas State University

Lawrence, KS

Works in Progress: Exhibition of University of Nebraska Ceramics

Graduate Student Work

Van Brunt Visitor's Center

University of Nebraska Lincoln

Showcase of Graduate Student Work

University Place Art Center

Lincoln, NE

UNL Graduate Student Exhibition

Gallery 72

Omaha, NE

Ceramics Glass Prints

2003

The Jennie Studio

Mendocino Art Center

Mendocino, CA

Solo exhibition

Two Broke Chicks in an RV, Trying to Get From Point A to Point B

Campus Center Gallery

University of Alaska Anchorage

Annual 3-D Invitational

2001

Art Space Gallery

Hartford, CT

Bitches, Divas and Goddess: Invited Artist

2000

Taub Hall Gallery

University of Hartford

Hartford Art School

West Hartford, CT

Two Specials and a Tech

Art Space Gallery

Art space Hartford

Hartford, CT

Stark Naked; Banned in Hartford: Invited Artist and Performer

Konover Center

West Hartford, CT

Moving Forward

(exhibitions continued)

2000

Taub Hall Gallery
University of Hartford
Hartford Art School
West Hartford, CT
BFA Ceramics Exhibition

Taub Hall Gallery
University of Hartford
Hartford Art School
West Hartford, CT
BFA Printmaking Exhibition

Joseloff Gallery
University of Hartford
Hartford Art School
West Hartford, CT
Honorable Mention
Goldfarb Exhibition, Annual Student Juried Show

1998

Duke's Palace
Cortona, Italy
International Student Exhibition: UGA Works in Progress

University of Georgia, Athens
Cortona Studies Abroad Student Exhibition 1998

Residencies:

2007

Bemis Center for Contemporary Arts
Omaha, NE
Artist in Residence

UNL Hixson-Lied College of Fine and Performing Arts
Department of Art and Art History
Artist in Residence: Paper Making Lab

2003

Mendocino Art Center
Mendocino, CA
Artist in Residence

Teaching:

2008- present

SUNY Cortland
Department of Art and Art History
Adjunct Faculty:
Drawing 1-4
Painting 2-4
Design 1

Cornell Ceramics Studio (The Pot Shop)
Ithaca, NY
Beginning I Wheel Throwing

2008

Lux Center for the Arts
Lincoln, NE
Workshop: The Figure; hand building

(teaching continued)

- 2006 University of Nebraska Lincoln
Hixson-Lied School of Fine and Performing Arts
Department of Art and Art History
Teacher of Record: Life Drawing
- 2005 University of Nebraska Lincoln
Hixson-Lied School of Fine and Performing Arts
Department of Art and Art History
Teacher of Record: Beginning Drawing
- Explore! Lincoln Public Schools
Lincoln, NE
Teaching in primary schools without art programs
Drawing and Painting Teacher
- 2004 University of Nebraska Lincoln
Hixson-Lied School of Fine and Performing Arts
Department of Art and Art History
Graduate Teaching Assistant to Gail Kendall:
Advanced Ceramics
- 2003 University of Alaska Anchorage
Teaching Assistant to Robert Banker:
Beginning Hand-building
- 2000-2002 University of Hartford
Hartford Art School
West Hartford, CT
Adjunct Teaching Staff:
Issues in Art Making (two semesters)
Kiln Building (two semesters)
Life Drawing (high school classes)
Tile Making
- 2000 Renbrook Academy
West Hartford, CT
Renbrook Summer Adventure
Pottery Director/Teacher
- University of Hartford
Hartford Art School
West Hartford, CT
Teaching Assistant: Introduction to Ceramics
- 1998 University of Georgia Athens
Lamar Dodd School of Fine and Performing Arts
Fall Semester Studies Abroad Program
Cortona Italy
Teaching Assistant: Foundry and Printmaking

Professional Activity:

- 2008 Haydon Art Center
 Lincoln, NE
 Guest Speaker: *Charged Spaces*
- University of Nebraska Lincoln
 Hixson-Lied School of Fine and Performing Arts
 Department of Art and Art History
 Visiting Artist working with graduate students spring semester
- SUNY Cortland
 Cortland, NY
 Guest Speaker/ visiting artist in ceramics
- Southeast Community College
 Lincoln, NE
 Guest Speaker: *Women in Art*
- Omaha Metro Community College
 Omaha, NE
 Juror: Annual Student Exhibition
- Haydon Art Center
 Lincoln, NE
 Professional Practices Lecture Series: *Creating Effective Digital Proposals:*
- 2007 Organization for the Advancement of the Arts
 The Bemis Center for Contemporary Arts
 Omaha, NE
 Juror: University of Nebraska Omaha Annual Student Art Show
- Haydon Art Center
 Lincoln, NE
 Organizer: Lincoln Open Studio Tours
- Bemis Center for Contemporary Arts
 Omaha, NE
 First Thursday Art Talk Presenter
- Bemis Center for Contemporary Arts
 Omaha, NE
 Give us 5 and We'll Give you 80! Slide Jam Presenter
- 2006- 2008 Haydon Art Center
 Lincoln, NE
 Member of the Board of Trustees, *Friends of the Haydon*
 Chair of the Artist Committee, Executive Committee member
- 2005-2008 Haydon Art Center
 Lincoln, NE
 Volunteer: hang shows, gallery-sit, and gallery maintenance
- 2006 Haydon Art Center
 Lincoln, NE
 Emerging Artist Lecture Series: *Creating Effective Proposals*
 Panel Speaker and organizer; Moderator: Gail Kendall

(professional activity continued)

- 2006 Goodrich Middle School
 Lincoln Public Schools Lincoln, NE
Guest Speaker: *Stories of Home Windows Project*
- Elliot Elementary School
 Lincoln Public Schools Lincoln, NE
"Celebrate Elliot!" Guest Speaker: *Stories of Home Windows Project*
- Children's Museum's "Family Fun Day!"
 Lincoln, NE
Clay Club outreach volunteer
- University of Nebraska Lincoln
 Department of English
 Professor Robert Brooke's
 Advanced Composition
Guest Speaker: *"Community, Literacy and Visual Art"*
- Haydon Art Center
 Lincoln, NE
 Malone Community Center
Educational Outreach
- 2004-2006 University of Nebraska Lincoln
 Hixson-Lied School of Fine and Performing Arts
Graduate Student Advisory Board:
Representative of the Department of Art and Art History
- 2005 University of Nebraska Lincoln
 Hixson-Lied College of Fine and Performing Arts
 Young Nebraskan Artist Awards
Panel Speaker; Moderator: Dean Giacomo Oliva
- Hixson-Lied College of Fine and Performing Arts
 Graduate and Undergraduate Student Advisory Boards Lecture
Writing Effective Grant Proposals Moderator
- Haydon Art Center
 Lincoln, NE
 Art in the Afternoon Lecture: *the Graduate School Experience*
Panel Speaker; Moderator: Eddie Dominguez
- 2005-2006 University of Nebraska Lincoln
 Hixson-Lied School of Fine and Performing Arts
 Department of Art and Art History
Graduate Student Organization, VAP: Visual Artists in Practice
President and Founding Member
- 2000-2002 University of Hartford
 Hartford Art School
 West Hartford, CT
Ceramics Technician/ Studio Manager:
kiln, wheel and equipment maintenance, clay and materials budget and inventory,
undergraduate student support.

Collections:

Sheldon Art Museum Sheldon Art Association permanent collection
Tom and Candy Henning Lincoln, NE
Marc and Kathy LeBaron Lincoln, NE
Ron Parks Omaha, NE
Carol Gendler, Omaha NE
Robert and Victoria Northrup Lincoln, NE
Michelle Tilley Lincoln, NE
Pam and Gary Marsh Navato, CA
Bill Bottrell Caspar, CA
Bobby Miller, Caspar, CA
Susan Basile, Collegeville, PA
Becky Grunder, Anchorage, AK

Press:

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'Personal Histories' an impressive show at Tugboat by L. Kent Wolgamott 7/19/2008 Lincoln Journal Star

<http://journalstar.com/articles/2008/07/19/living/gz/performances/doc487d00ac5187c899020638.txt>

Caitlin Applegate's 'Bored Meeting' looks beneath 'perceived interiors' by L. Kent Wolgamott 2/10/08 Lincoln Journal Star

<http://www.journalstar.com/articles/2008/02/10/living/gz/performances/doc47ab7189e17ce541225257.txt>

Lady Love; Pulp's latest exhibit supports the female form in all its beauty by Sarah Baker 2/5/08 The Reader; The News Weekly of Omaha, Lincoln, and Council Bluffs

http://thereader.com/art.php?subaction=showfull&id=1202249302&archive=&start_from=&ucat=11&

Pulp Friction ; New Benson Gallery Offers 'Paper Dolls' to Omaha's Appetite for Edgy Art by Michael Joe Krainak 1/23/08 Omaha City Weekly

<http://www.omahacityweekly.com/article.php?category=culture>

Big Bang; Final Show in Sheldon's Local Series Connects . by Sarah Baker 9/29/2007 The Reader; The News Weekly of Omaha, Lincoln, and Council Bluffs.

http://thereader.com/art.php?subaction=showfull&id=1190919008&archive=&start_from=&ucat=11&

Mission Accomplished; Sheldon Connections Series Climaxes with 3rd Experimental art Show. 9/15/07 by Michael Joe Krainak Omaha City Weekly

<http://omahacityweekly.com/article.php?id=3963>

Sheldon Connections 3' Connects by Kent Wolgamott 10/06/07 Lincoln Journal Star

<http://www.journalstar.com/articles/2007/10/10/living/gz/performances/doc47054f5f43fe5945071625.txt>

MFA Factor August/ September, 2007 issue of Ceramics Monthly (www.ceramicsmonthly.org - pdf)

L. Kent Wolgamott: MFA Exhibition Makes Strong Showing by L. Kent Wolgamott. 4/14/07 Lincoln Journal Star

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