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PROFESSIONAL BRIEF

Education:

- Burren College of Art, County Clare, Ireland. MFA Visual Arts (2011-2013)
- Burren College of Art, County Clare, Ireland: Spring Semester art immersion (2010)
- Eckerd College, St. Petersburg, Florida, USA. BA Visual Arts (2007-2011)

Exhibitions:

Solo Exhibitions:

- “Lingering Squalls”, The Burren Art Gallery, Tubber, Clare, Ireland (2015)
- “Sussuros de amor”, Live Collision Festival, Dublin, Ireland (2015)
- “Sumptuous Nightmare”, The New Cobb Gallery, St. Petersburg, Florida, USA (2011)

Selected Group Exhibitions:

- “Woven”, 3024 Creative, Seattle, Washington, USA (2018)
- “Shafer Baillie Mansion 2nd Annual Art Show”, Shafer Baillie Mansion, Seattle, Washington, USA (2017)
- “Burren College of Art Residency Open Studio”, Burren College of Art, Ballyvaughan, Co. Clare, Ireland (2017)
- “Nua Festival”, The Village Hall, Cork, Ireland (2017)
- “Queer Portrait Show”, Cupcake Royale, Seattle, Washington, USA (2017)
- “In other words”, Fred Wildlife Refuge, Seattle, Washington, USA (2017)
- “We [occupy space]”, MART Gallery, Dublin, Ireland (2016)
- “A room filled with air”, Soil Gallery, Seattle, Washington, USA (2016)
- “Kon-fluhks”, Love City Love, Seattle, Washington, USA (2016)
- “We [occupy space]”, Summit on Pike, Seattle, Washington, USA (2016)
- “Pancakes and Booze Art Party”, El Corazon, Seattle, Washington, USA (2016)
- “Lumicor works”, Lumicor Industries, Renton, Washinton, USA (2016)
- “AWAKE”, Harbor Point Warehouse, Stamford, Connecticut, USA (2015)
- “This forever [together we raised some hell]”, Occupy Space, Limerick, Ireland (2015)
- “DATELINE: 012”, Dateline, Denver, Colorado, USA (2015)
- “SalonVideo”, MAG MA, Bucharest, Romania (2014)
- “DATELINE: 006”, Dateline, Denver, Colorado, USA (2014)
- “TDC”, Katalog Collective, Triskel Christ Church, Cork, Ireland (2014)
- “I love to you”, Burren College of Art, Co. Clare, Ireland (2014)
- “Middle of Everywhere”, Burren College of Art, Co. Clare, Ireland (2014)
- “Id Engager”, Occupy Space, Limerick, Ireland (2014)
- “Guystock”, The Market Studios, Dublin, Ireland (2014)
- “V.A.P.I.D. Video Salon”, Back Loft Gallery, Dublin, Ireland (2013)

- “Mamuska Dublin”, Back Loft Gallery, Dublin, Ireland (2013)
- “I Give You My Utopia: ‘Keep Yourself’”, Dublin Live Art Festival, Back Loft Gallery, Dublin, Ireland (2013)
- “PoSt PrIdE pARty”, Artpool Gallery, St. Petersburg, FL, USA (2013)
- “Burren College of Art @ 126”, Gallery 126, Galway, Ireland (2013)
- “Black-eye”, MFA Graduate exhibition, Burren College of Art, Co Clare, Ireland (2013)
- “Dead-eye”, Graduate exhibition, Burren College of Art, Co Clare, Ireland (2012)
- Iniscealtra Arts Festival, Mountshannon, Ireland (2012)
- “Trasna III”, Courthouse Gallery, Ennistymon, Co. Clare, Ireland (2012)
- “Poll na bPeist”, Burren College of Art, Co. Clare, Ireland (2012)
- “Bugbear”, Burren College of Art, Co. Clare, Ireland (2012)
- “Trasna II”, Courthouse Gallery, Ennistymon, Co. Clare, Ireland (2011)
- “Free Art: Plywood”, Peacock Gallery, Washington DC, USA (2011)
- “Members Show”, Gallery 126, Galway, Ireland (2011)
- “Collective”, Rhino Gallery, St. Petersburg, FL, USA (2011)
- “Undergraduate Exhibition”, Burren College of Art, Co. Clare, Ireland (2010)
- “Charleville House”, Burren College of Art, Co. Clare, Ireland (2010)
- “Remembering the Cliffs”, Cliffs of Moher Visitor Center, Co. Clare, Ireland (2010)
- “Sophomore Show”, Elliott Gallery, Eckerd College, St. Petersburg, FL USA (2009)

Honors/Achievements:

- Awarded Artist’s Residency at the Burren College of Art, Clare, Ireland (2017)
- Honorable mention in the Salvador Dali Surreal Film Competition, Salvador Dali, Museum, St. Petersburg, Florida, USA (2016)
- Painting chosen to represent Lumicor Industries for an advertisement featured in Interior Design Magazine (2016)
- Published sketchbook in the Brooklyn Art Library, Brooklyn, NY (2016)
- Awarded Solo Show for Grand Opening Exhibition, The Burren Art Gallery, “Lingering Squalls”, Tubber, Co. Clare, Ireland (2015)
- Published in “Performance Art in Ireland: A History” by Aine Phillips (2015)
- Awarded Artist’s Residency at the Royal Hibernian Academy, Dublin, Ireland (2012)
- First Place Award in Salvador Dali Surreal Film Competition, St. Petersburg, FL, USA (2011)
- Awarded Solo show for Grand Opening Exhibition, Cobb Gallery, “Sumptuous Nightmare” St. Petersburg, FL, USA (2011)
- 4 year Dean’s Scholarship – Eckerd College (2007-2011)
- Michael Greene Scholarship – Burren College of Art (2011-2013)
- Artistic Achievement Scholarship – Eckerd College (one of two given per year) (2007-2011)
- Christiana and Woodbury Ransom Scholarship for Artistic Achievement (sole recipient) (2010-2011)
- Public Sculpture award, “In My Palm’s Eye” 17ft steel permanently installed in Art Complex Grounds, Eckerd College (2010)

Experience:

- Events and Exhibitions Manager for Gage Academy, Seattle, Washington (May 2017 - Present)
- Visual Arts Instructor: Gage Academy (Youth classes and Teen Art School at Gage and Bellevue Arts Museum), Seattle, Washington (September 2016 – 2017)
- Founder, Director and Head Curator of Occupy Space – Seattle, Seattle, Washington (March 2016-present)
- Foreign Correspondent for Occupy Space – Limerick, Limerick, Ireland (2014-present) <http://www.occupyspace.com>
- Visiting Artist Workshop: “Experimentations in Form”, Instructor for Life Drawing/Painting workshop, The AIGA Link Program at Cornish College of Art, Seattle, Washington (April 2016)
- Assistant Teacher: Life Drawing and Interdisciplinary Sculpture, Gage Academy (Teen Art School at the Bellevue Arts Museum), Bellevue, Washington (paid position) (March 2016-present)
- Harbor Point Warehouse: Head Curator and Organizer, “AWAKE: An Event To Benefit the National MS Society”, Stamford, Connecticut, USA (2015)
- Pinot’s Palette: Painting Instructor (youth and adult), Stamford, Connecticut (paid position) (2014-present)
- Art and Soul: Ceramics Instructor (youth and adult), New Canaan, Connecticut (paid position) (2011-present)
- The Market Studios: Guest Curator: “BUZZERS IN ART”, Dublin, Ireland (2014)
- Occupy Space (HQ): Guest Curator: “Id Engager”, Limerick City, Limerick, Ireland (2014)
- Produced and Directed Music Videos for Boston Producer, {pwsd} (2014 - 2017)
- Occupy Space (HQ): Education Coordinator, Limerick City, Limerick, Ireland (2013)
- “Lived Lost Lives” Letterkenney Regional Culture Center: Artists Assistant and Videographer for Seamus McGuinness, Letterkenney, Donegal, Ireland (2013)
- The Cube Gallery: Artist’s Assistant and Videographer for performance artist Aine Phillips, Galway, Ireland (2013)
- Courthouse Gallery: Gallery Assistant “Trasna III”, Ennistymon, Co. Clare, Ireland (2012)
- Wrote, Produced, Directed Music Videos for French Indie group, Mondrian Pop Band (2010-2011)