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TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Guangdong Overseas Chinese High School, Guangzhou, China Sept 2016- July 2017

Class Instructor

Course List: English Language Development, English Language Arts

- 20 hours of teaching weekly
- 20+ hours of office work
- Create ELA/ELD curriculum, lesson plans, reading material and multimedia content
- Grade and update online school grades
- Meet individually with students
- Participate in weekly teacher meetings

PhotoManhattan Photography Center, New York, NY Oct 2009 - Oct 2013

Class Instructor and Private Tutor

Course list: Darkroom, Photo Documentary, Photography I and II, Photoshop I and II, Portable Flash, Portraiture, Studio Lighting, Wedding Photography, Digital Camera Settings, Photography in Automatic Mode

- Conduct lectures and technical demonstrations, supervise hands on shooting sessions
- Curate student exhibitions
- Create interdisciplinary syllabi for private one-on-one lessons
- Develop curriculum, construct lesson plans, lead classes of up to 20 students
- Facilitate classroom critique sessions of student assignments and exhibition projects
- Responsible for lighting, portraiture, and general course equipment set up

San Francisco Art Institute (SFAI), San Francisco, CA Sept 2008 – May 2009

Graduate Teaching Assistant

Course list: Seeing and Cognition (Terri Cohn), Cinema and the Global (Chris Bratton, SFAI president)

- Assistant for critique class of 100 undergraduate students, responsible for group section of 15-20 students
- Collaborated with university staff to develop course materials and syllabus
- Conducted lectures and led class discussions
- Oversaw critiques, coordinated off-campus learning excursions

Distinguished Guest Lecturer

Course list: SFAI alternative art and literature series (Apr 2008), SFAI alternative film series (Nov 2008)

- Held readings, screened select French cinema, led forum discussion and Q&A sessions

International Center of Photography (ICP), New York, NY Sept 2006 – Jun 2007

Teaching Assistant

Course list: Digital Flash for Photojournalism (Nelson Bakerman), Between Shirt and Skin Portraiture (Nelson Bakerman and Barry Munger)

- Provide curriculum and teaching feedback
- Responsible for grading and providing homework assignments
- Conduct lectures and multimedia presentations
- Provide valuable critique and direction

EDUCATION

Norwood English, Laois, Republic of Ireland

Aug 2016 - Mar 2017

TEFL Certificate

120 hour online course

San Francisco Art Institute (SFAI), San Francisco, CA

Aug 2007 - May 2009

MFA, Photography and New Genres

Nominated for Headlands Residency Program (Marin Country, CA)

International Center of Photography (ICP), New York, NY

Aug 2005 – Jun 2006

Certificate, General Studies

Awarded Josephine Lyons Merit Scholarship (Jan 2006)

Assistant Managing Editor of "SHIFT", ICP Publication (Jan 2006 – Jun 2006)

University of Connecticut (UConn), Storrs CT

Aug 2000 – Jun 2005

BFA, Photography, GPA 3.42/4.0

Awarded Gloriana Gill Prize in Photography (May 2005)

Awarded UConn Summer Undergraduate Research Fund (SURF) grant to create the documentary
“HIV/AIDS Pandemic in South Africa” (Capetown, South Africa, Summer 2004)

Assistant and Manager, UConn Photography Lab

Co-chair and exhibitor, UConn Earthdance Student Film Festival (2004 & 2005)

Coordinator and exhibitor, UConn Artist Collective

Community/Resident Assistant, nominated for Resident Assistant of the Year

WORK EXPERTISE

Independent Photography Professional, New York, NY

Jun 2006 – Aug 2016

Select Client List:

Architecture/Interiors: CTC Creative (2014-present), NYC Housing Development Corporation (2013-Present),
NYC Department of Housing Preservation and Development (2013-Present), Independent Real
Estate Owners (2014), Pierce Eislen (2012-Present), Wallingford/Yalesville Funeral Homes (2013)

Documentary/Editorial: SpotHero (2015-present), Talent Philanthropy Project (2015), Forest City Ratner
Company B2 site (2013-2014), Forest City Ratner Company Barclays Arena Video (2013), Brooklyn
Eagle (2006), Atlantic Yards public hearings video (2006)

Fashion and Entertainment: Jeff Shaw (2015-present), CNN online (2015), World Picture Service (2015),
Patrick McMullan FDNY Calendar (2014), Kenny Vance Kickstarter Campaign (2013), Kenny Vance
and the Planotones, 3 music video series (2013), Meikow Jewelry (2012), PrismSport (2012), Phony
Ppl video (2010); Santigold (2010); Urban Outfitters (2009); Everything for Nothing (2009)

Portraits: Holiday Cards (2011-2012), Professional Headshots (2012-14), Profile Photos (2009-2014), Senior
Portraits (2012), Maternity Photos (2013), Newborn Photos (2013-2016), Engagement (2013)

Weddings/Events: Velush Wedding (2015), Donadio Wedding (2015), Liu Wedding (2014), Kung Wedding
(2013), Gargiulo wedding (2012), Kuncle wedding (2011), Thach wedding (2011), Presser wedding
(2011), Ebert wedding (2010), Ingwer wedding video (2006), MacDonald engagement (2011),
MacDonald Christening (2014), Thach shower (2011, 2013), Wei Engagement (2013)