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ARTISTIC PURPOSE

As a dual disciple of art and multimedia, I strive to find a balance between traditional mythology and modern technology. Through integration of symbols, strange creatures and illustrations, I have created a form of cyber-alchemy that touches on the forces of nature, fantasy and the art of storytelling. I work primarily in polymer clay on various hard surfaces such as canvasboard, wood and book, as well as acrylic on canvas, acrylic on acrylic sheet, with experience in printmaking, sculpture and jewelry-making. My aim is to create precious objects that enhance the beauty of everyday surroundings as well as capture an idea or a look. My work is bold in colour and expresses delight and wonder through the richness of my materials and the charm of my illustrative style.

My education was completed at McMaster University in Combined Honours Fine Art and Multimedia and I am well versed in painting, life drawing, bronze casting, wire sculpture, polymer clay, silicon clay, etching, lithography, transfer printing, paper lithography, cyanotype, woodcuts, paper sculpture, acrylic, watercolour and ink illustrations. My multimedia training includes Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Macromedia Freehand, Flash, CorelDRAW, Director, Adobe Premiere, Fireworks, Dreamweaver, OpenCanvas, Painter, as well as HTML and CSS.

EXHIBITIONS

Barber Gallery, Guelph	Ongoing
FanExpo Artist Alley, Toronto	August 28-30, 2010
Anime North Artist Alley & Art Show, Toronto	May 2010
Art on the Street, Guelph	July 2010
FanExpo Artist Alley, Toronto	August 28 th - 30 th 2009
Art on the Street, Guelph	July 18 th 2009
Faery Fest, Guelph	June 20 th - 21 st 2009
Anime North Art Show, Toronto	May 22 nd - 24 th 2009
DotCon Dealer's Room, Markham	December 13 th - 14 th 2008
FanExpo Artist Alley, Toronto	August 22 nd - 24 th 2008
Anime North Art Show, Toronto	May 22 nd - 24 th 2008
Richmond Hill Heritage Day Festival	June 2008
Hamilton Maker's Market	May-July 2008
Hamilton Maker's Market – Christmas Sale	December 2007
Anime North Artist Alley	May 2002-2007
Young Emerging Artists of Hamilton, Hamilton Artists Inc	Feb 24 th - March 25 th 2006
Beyond the Page, McMaster University	Feb 17 th - Feb 19 th 2006
Winter Salon, Loose Canon Gallery, Hamilton	Dec 2005 - Jan 2006
Student Center Yearly Exhibition, McMaster University	2004-2005

NOTABLE ACHIEVEMENTS

Featured Artist at FanExpo by CTV.ca	2010
Daily Deviant Artwork Showcase – Deviantart.com	2008
Best in Show - Young Emerging Artists of Hamilton, Hamilton Artists Inc	Feb 2006
2nd Place Winner in McMaster Anime Club Mascot Design Competition	2004

COMPETITIONS

Deviant Art Lolly Tattoo Competition	2008
3M Notable Notes Post-It Note Competition	2004

WORKING IN THE ART WORLD

Graphic & Web Design for Northern Villages	2009-Ongoing
Graphic Design for H Paulin	August 2008-March 2009

Graphic Designer for printed clothing, Toronto Transit Commission	September-March 2006
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Sign Auditor for the Toronto Transit Commission	May-August 2006
	July-August 2005

Partner and Designer in multimedia company RowdyMedia

Co-op at Canadian Film Center, Bell H@abitat New Media School - 4 months, 2000-2001

EDUCATION

McMaster University Combined Degree Fine Art & Multimedia Honour Roll	2002-2006
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Thornlea Secondary School	1997-2002
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Achievement Award Grade 12 Visual Art
Achievement Award Grade 12 Advertising
Achievement Award Grade 12 English
Honour Role grades 9, 10, 12, OAC

PORTFOLIO

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